

ACHPER (SA) HONOUR BOARD

*ACHPER (SA) recognise the outstanding efforts of many volunteers who have shaped the future of todays organisation. We highlight and celebrate the contributions of these Life Members and Fellows of
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ACHPER FELLOWS

MR WAYNE COONAN ACHPER FELLOW

An outstanding teacher, Wayne became a member of the Physical Education Branch, and became involved in the famous Hindmarsh experiment that created the basis for introduction of daily physical education in South Australian primary schools.

His association with the CSIRO Epidemiology section led him to become dedicated to the social and medical aspects of physical Activity. Wayne was deeply involved in ACHPER at state and National levels being the state President for a number of years.

Wayne made an outstanding commitment to ACHPER activities over many years. John was awarded ACHPER Fellowship in 1981, and is a most worthy recipient.



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MR JOHN HALBERT ACHPER FELLOW



An outstanding sportsman John was deeply involved in teacher training at the Adelaide Teachers College and its subsequent change to a College of Advanced Education.

He became the Head of Department at the College and made very positive advances in the Pedagogical area. John was, and is a constant supporter of sports at primary and secondary level and is a preferred spokesman in sporting issues by the South Australian media. John was an active ACHPER member and always available for political comment to support ACHPER initiatives.

John made an outstanding commitment to ACHPER activities over many years. In 1981 John was the worthy recipient and awarded an ACHPER Fellowship recognising his ongoing support of ACHPER.

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MR ROBERT PADDICK ACHPER FELLOW

Robert (Bob) Paddick lectured in physical education, and latterly education, at Flinders University from 1972 to 2001. Prior to 1972, Bob was a member of staff at Bedford Park Teachers' College which had become part of Flinders University by the time of his death.

His overall grasp of physical education was outstanding. He leaves a legacy of academic excellence, passion for learning and commitment to physical education and philosophy.

Bob gained his BA from the University of Adelaide in physical education and comparative philology in 1961 and he completed an MA in physical education at the University of Alberta in 1969. He was also awarded an MA in philosophy by the University of Adelaide in 1975.

In 1969 Bob co-founded the Adelaide based Institute of Fitness, Research and Training and he was its chairperson from 1980 to 1987. The Institute stimulated interest in the area of fitness and had a major impact on the spread of fitness programs in the local community. For many years Bob ran such a program for colleagues at the university.

A significant part of Bob's research focused on the Olympic movement. He was interested in Olympism and in the extent to which it achieved the ideals set out in its Charter. In 1984 Bob was invited to lecture at the international Olympic Academy in Greece and he co-founded the Australian Olympic Academy in 1985. Olympism encapsulated his philosophy of life and this is why he regarded being a torch bearer for the Sydney Olympiad in July 2000 as one of the highlights of his career.

Bob was an ACHPER champion, a true professional not necessarily known for official roles but for his un-heralded support behind the scenes. His leadership in 1979 for the ACPHER national/International Biennial Conference was outstanding and in his later years he would quietly and knowingly slip into the National ACHPER office to assist in book reviews and to chat about the issues that continue to challenge our profession.

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PROFESSOR JOHN DALY OAM

ACHPER FELLOW



John Daly was appointed to Adelaide Teachers College in 1961 after three years teaching at Lefevre Boys Technical High School. His innovative work there suggested that he could mentor young graduates in the University of Adelaide PE course. The University of Adelaide PE diploma course was transferred to the College in 1968 and John Daly designed and headed a four year degree course there. He completed his Masters and PhD at the University of Illinois, USA while on leave from what had become the University of South Australia. He lectured in the sociology and philosophy of sport and was considered a master teacher. Dr Daly remained Head of the School of Physical Education at Uni SA for twenty years and retired in 1996. By then graduates of the School were highly regarded not only in SA but also outside the State.

Professor Daly also had a successful career as an athletic coach. He served as national coach of the Australian athletic team from 1956 until 1992 and was coach to five Olympic teams – Montreal, Moscow, Los Angeles, Seoul and Barcelona. He was one of the initial group that set up the Australian Institute of Sport in Canberra, established the National Coaching Council and its accreditation scheme and was awarded the Order of Australia for service to national sport. Dr Daly is the author of eight books, numerous articles, book chapters and Government white papers.

Professor Daly made an outstanding commitment to ACHPER activities over many years. John was awarded ACHPER Fellowship in 1981, and is a most worthy recipient.

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MR JOHN MILLER ACHPER FELLOW



John taught at Concordia College and then joined the Physical Education Branch. He was always active in ACHPER affairs and took over as the National Secretary after being strongly involved in the state branch.

He was totally involved in the production of the Daily Physical Education materials for primary schools. John was very dedicated to his work and was always lobbying for ACHPER, its health and physical activity components with state and national politicians. John currently conducts a “Healthy Lifestyle” consultancy out of Canberra.

John made an outstanding commitment to ACHPER activities over many years. In 1981 John was the worthy recipient and awarded an ACHPER Fellowship recognising his ongoing commitment to ACHPER.

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MR CHARLES BROOKS

ACHPER FELLOW

Charlie made a strong impact as a Lecturer in Physical Education at The Wattle Park Teachers College and as an athletics coach. His passion and willingness to help young people be better teachers and coaches was well known.

He was the first to volunteer for ACHPER conferences and workshops and always available to provide advice and assistance to students, teachers and young athletes. Charlie was one of the first to promote the value of scientific assessment of human performance in his early days as a teacher and coach.

Charlie was the deserving recipient of the award of ACHPER Fellow in 1982.



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MR BOB SMITH ACHPER FELLOW

Bob served the profession through his work as a curriculum adviser in the SA Physical Education Branch education Branch. He was particularly influential in his work on school based curriculum development and organized many professional development projects related to this.

Bob's interests grew into evaluation of physical education programs and his critiquing approach challenged teachers to look at their programs and ask whether or not they were effective. Bob assisted with the Program of the 1979 National Conference in Adelaide and was a regular presenter at ACHPER workshops and conferences. He was also a willing contributor to the ACHPER Journal.

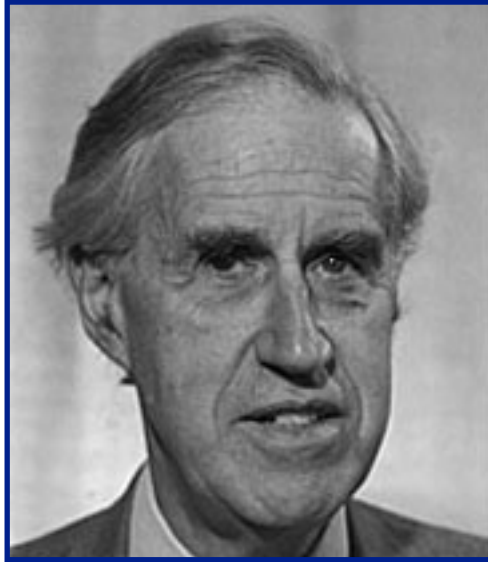
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DR. BASIL HETZEL

ACHPER FELLOW



Dr Hetzel's pioneering work led to our understanding of the effects of iodine deficiency on brain development – and the importance of incorporating iodized salt in the diet to prevent brain damage in newborns.

Dr. Hetzel's research team in Papua New Guinea (1964-1972) established that brain damage could be prevented by correction of iodine deficiency before pregnancy. This groundbreaking research led him to begin a worldwide campaign to incorporate iodized salt into the diets of more than two billion people in some 130 countries where iodine is lacking.

The World Health Organization now recognizes that iodine deficiency is the most common preventable cause of brain damage in the world today.

Dr. Hetzel's efforts have prevented brain damage in millions of children. We honor his vision, leadership and discovery.

Basil was the deserving recipient of the award of ACHPER Fellow in 1982

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DR. GARY HOWAT

ACHPER FELLOW



Dr Gary Howat has played a major role in ensuring that Recreation has been a focus area of ACHPER. As Senior Lecturer in Recreation and Park Management at S.A.C.A.E. (Salisbury Campus) and Course Coordinator Sport and Recreation Courses co-coordinator (Uni SA).

Gary came to Adelaide in 1980 after 5 years lecturing and study (recreation and park management) in California and Illinois, U.S.A. Previous to that he was involved in school and community recreation and sport in New Zealand; and as a Borough Councilor was chairman of the Parks and reserves and Library Committees.

Gary played an important role for a number of years as Chairman of the National recreation Committee for ACHPER. As a member of the ACHPER (SA) Recreation Directorate for many years, Gary contributed many articles and sessions to ensure Recreation as a focus area for ACHPER.

Gary made an outstanding commitment to ACHPER activities, particularly the focus area of Recreation over many years. Gary was awarded ACHPER Fellowship in 1989, and is a most worthy recipient.

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MS JULIE TAYLOR

ACHPER FELLOW



Julie Taylor was a valuable member of the ACHPER (SA Branch) Executive committee who instigated new initiatives in the health education area of focus and ACHPER generally. Her foresight, enthusiasm and encouragement of others to be involved has been invaluable to the SA Branch and had significant impact on the positive direction of the Branch.

Julie was a committed and active member of the SA Branch Executive in her position as Health Coordinator 1989-91, and Vice-President 1991. Julie was an outstanding SA Branch member who has worked tirelessly to raise the profile of health education, and in particular the health education focus area of ACHPER through the development of Health matters resources, the editing and promotion of a teacher resource entitled 'Warming up to Health' (a collation of group/class warm-up activities), an active involvement in the coordination

of ACHPER (SA) workshops and her positions where she has supported and encourages ACHPER membership, projects and initiative.

Julie had been a driving force behind taking the health education area of focus in SA from one that was weak, with a low profile and under threat from a group of teachers who were agitating to form an opposition Health Education Teachers Association, to one which is respected and attracting new membership. She has also motivated a number of people to work as active members with a result that many hundreds of volunteer hours have been given to ACHPER towards publications, conduct of workshops & conferences, development of strong communication links with the Education Department and other ACHPER flagships.

Julie made an outstanding commitment to ACHPER activities and in 1992 she was awarded an ACHPER Fellowship recognising her ongoing commitment to ACHPER.

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MR JEFF EMMIELL

ACHPER FELLOW

Jeff is acknowledged throughout SA as an outstanding leader in the area of Health and PE. His work on the Daily PE resources and their underlying concepts was excellent. The coordination of the Girls in Physical Activity project resulted in improved Physical Education opportunities for Girls and a greater understanding of the problems for girls in sport.

His contribution to the responses from the SA Branch to the Senate Inquiry and to the development of the National Profiles in HPE over countless hours was invaluable.

Jeff's work in curriculum development has resulted in vastly improved outcomes for students in PE in SA, particularly in the Senior School with development of SACE Stage 1&2.

Jeff has always had the interests of ACHPER as a main priority. In his dealing with various Government Departments and professional bodies, Jeff is an ardent advocate on behalf of ACHPER, resulting in an improved professional profile, particularly in Health and Physical Education.

Jeff's' continuous commitment to the maximizing of opportunities, for SA school children and their teachers, to achieve in the areas of Health and Physical Education is outstanding. The energy and hours of selfless work put in are clearly reflected in the improved profile of what H&PE means to the SA community and the respect afforded to Jeff at all levels of his professional life.

Jeff's outstanding commitment to ACHPER activities was rewarded when in 1994 he was awarded an ACHPER Fellowship recognising his ongoing commitment to ACHPER.

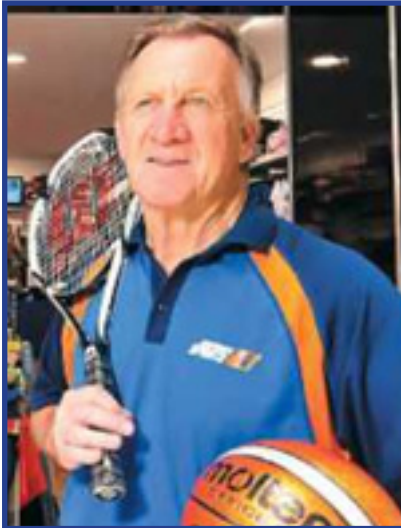


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MR ANDREW MILLER

ACHPER FELLOW



Andrew Miller served ACHPER (SA) diligently for over ten years as a member and leader of the Sport Directorate and as President of the SA Branch from 1987-1990. His outstanding contributions were, to lead a most dynamic Sport Directorate ACHPER (SA) has experiences and to coordinate and facilitate many conference and seminars in the Sport Focus area.

As President, he oversaw the development of the Branch into a viable financially sound organisation. Andy came into the President's position at a difficult time and his calm effective handling of problem areas resulted in positive outcomes for the Branch and its directorates. The many hours spent planning new initiative and not being reticent to discard un financial activities meant an increase in cash flow and financial viability.

Andy's development of a sound financial base meant that other projects could then proceed. His work on the PE Week committee saw the Sponsorship by Medibank Private consolidate and increase. This enables expanded programs to develop and therefore more students could be involved.

The development of Country networks in Port Lincoln, Balaclava and Port Augusta meant increased opportunities for professional development for teachers of Health and Physical Education. This networking also resulted in increased membership. This in turn improves the opportunities for children to experience quality Physical activity and education.

Andy's leadership, in difficult circumstances, revitalized ACHPER (SA). He spent countless hours striving to develop the Branch and succeeded. Andy is one of South Australia's quiet achievers and his outstanding commitment to ACHPER activities was rewarded when in 1994 he was awarded an ACHPER Fellowship recognising his ongoing commitment to ACHPER.

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MS JILL GROVE ACHPER FELLOW



Jill Grove has been a major contributor to ACHPER's vision, mission and objectives through a number of areas since 1978.

Jill has been an advocate for a high standard of professional preparation and conduct in the area of Health Education. Jill has undertaken this through an active role both in office and in her professional employment, supporting fellow professionals through professional development and a range of important committees, where she has been involved in highlighting the importance of ACHPER's role amongst the health sector. Jill was committed to ensure that Health Education continued to be a major focus area for ACHPER.

Jill regularly sought to promote the area of Health Education, through active involvement as a presenter, organizer of conferences and seminars, and being involved in a range of special interest Health Education groups. Jill was a member of the ACHPER (SA) Board, including Vice President for 10 years. Jill has acted formally and informally as an ACHPER representative and cooperated with a range of kindred organizations in the Health Sector.

Jill has been committed to developing a range of quality curriculum resources and support materials for health professionals and educators, sharing her expertise and knowledge of Health Education.

Jill Grove is a committed health professional who has been actively involved with ACHPER (SA) for over 30 years. Jill was actively involved in organizing a range of professional development opportunities including State conferences and health forums. Jill made an outstanding commitment to ACHPER activities over many years. In 2004 Jill was awarded an ACHPER Fellowship recognising her ongoing commitment to ACHPER.

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MS JANET HARPER

ACHPER FELLOW

Janet Harper has been a major contributor to ACHPER's vision, mission and objectives through a significant number of areas since 1992.

Janet has been an advocate for high standards in the professional preparation and conduct in the area of Physical Education. She has undertaken this through an active leadership role, supporting fellow professionals in professional development activities and a range of important committees.

Janet has regularly sought to promote the area of Physical Education, through active involvement as a presenter in, and providing major contributions to the organization of, National and State conferences and seminars. She has been especially active in her support of, and involvement in Physical Education and Sport special interest groups, the SA Branches' PE and Sport Directorate, SAPSASA, and various major event organizing committees.

Janet has acted as an ACHPER representative and cooperated with a range of kindred organizations including SAPSASA, Sports Medicine Australia (SA Branch), and the PE/Sport Consortium.

Janet has been active in developing a range of initiatives and practices for the educational and professional communities. Janet's enthusiasm and work ethics provide an excellent role model for others in the profession. Her leadership over a number of years in Physical Education has resulted in much valued growth in this important focus area.

Janet is an enthusiastic and committed professional who has been actively involved with ACHPER (SA) for over 20 years. Janet has been a member of the ACHPER (SA) Board, PE/Sport Consortium, PE/Sport Directorate Coordinator and she has been Chairperson of Physical Education Week for more than 13 years. Janet has the ability to draw other people into ACHPER committees and activities to support the work of ACHPER (SA).

In 2004 recognising her outstanding commitment to ACHPER activities, Janet was awarded an ACHPER Fellowship.



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MS CAROL SHARPE

ACHPER FELLOW

Carol Sharpe has been a major contributor to ACHPER's vision, mission and objectives through a significant number of areas since 1993. Carol has been extremely active in the area of training and development for the South Australian Community.

Her involvement in the area of Physical Education and Sport has been enthusiastic and ongoing for several years. Carol has established a reputation as an excellent training and development coordinator, and she has traveled the state, supporting ACHPER (SA) activities running a variety of workshops and sessions at ACHPER (SA) Conferences.

Carol has been an advocate for high standards in the professional preparation and conduct in the area of Physical Education, through an active leadership role, supporting fellow professionals in professional development activities and a range of important committees.

Carol's enthusiasm and work ethics provide an excellent role model for others in the profession. Her leadership over a number of years in Physical Education has resulted in much valued growth in this important focus area, and ensured that this has been a major area for ACHPER (SA) .

Carol has worked strategically to lead development of ACHPER SA resources including the 'Pick Up and Run' series. Carol's support and promotion of these resources has been exceptional with hundreds of resources sold direct through Carol's training and development sessions.

Carol has the ability to draw other people into ACHPER committees and activities to support the work of ACHPER (SA). Carol has been a major influence on the success of the SA Branch over the past 10 years in her official capacity as a member of the SA Board, various committees including the PE Week Committee, the PE and Sport Directorate and, through her frequent and numerous technical and professional development workshops and sessions at Conferences.

Carols dedication to ACHPER was recognised in 2005 when she was awarded the Fellow award of ACHPER.



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GEORGE EVRENIADIS

ACHPER FELLOW

For 30 years, since joining ACHPER as a third year university student in 1975, George Evreniadis has been a major contributor to ACHPER's vision, mission, and objectives.

George has been a vocal advocate for high standards for the professional preparation and conduct of HPE Educators. This has been obvious through active leadership in the schools in which he has taught, supporting fellow educators in professional development and advocacy of ACHPER.

George continues active involvement as a presenter and contributor to ACHPER SA activities, especially in the area of Health Education. As a member of the ACHPER SA Board and Health Directorate for 12 years and as Chair of this important committee, George has sustained and raised the profile of this important aspect of ACHPER SA's work through difficult and trying times. This has been achieved by initiating contact and coordinating with representatives of a range of kindred organisations including National Heart Foundation, SHINE SA (Sexual Health, Information, Networking & Education SA Inc), CHDF (Children's Health Development Foundation), Cancer Council of South Australia and DASC (Drug and Alcohol Services Council). George is committed in ensuring that Health Education continues to be a major focus area for ACHPER.

George's enthusiasm and passion for Health Education combines with an excellent work ethic and community spirit in providing an outstanding role model for the current and future generations of HPE Educators. George remains active in promoting ACHPER to increase membership of both Branch and Directorate. He seeks opportunities at workshops and conferences and, throughout a range of Health and Education professionals.

George is a committed educator who has actively contributed to ACHPER for 30 years. George remains a passionate advocate for the role of ACHPER in a variety of settings, but particularly among the Health sector.

In 2005 recognising his outstanding commitment to ACHPER activities, George was awarded an ACHPER Fellowship.



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MR CRAIG FOSDIKE

ACHPER FELLOW

Craig Fosdike has been an ACHPER member since the mid 1990's. For more than 15 years, Craig has always been an enthusiastic and highly professional activist for the cause of quality health and physical education.

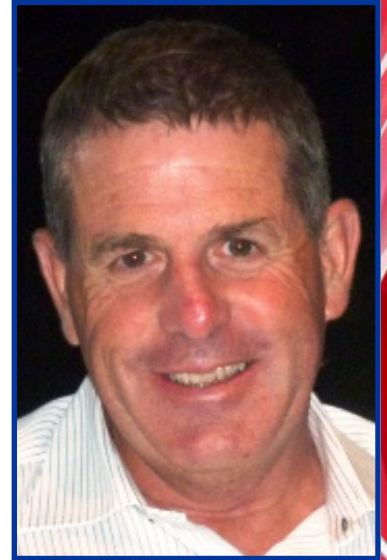
Craig is a much admired leader who has positively influenced the teaching standards and professionalism of many of South Australia's physical educators. Craig has been a member of the ACHPER (SA) Board since 2005, was a member of the 2011 National Conference Planning Committee and was a long term contributor to the PE Week Committee.

Craig has undertaken a number of key roles within the organization that have assisted the professional growth of ACHPER (SA). His leadership within the Catholic Education sector with the drive and growth of SACPSSA has established a legacy which is admired by peers and fellow educators.

Craig is a dedicated advocate of ACHPER (SA) continually promoting the role of ACHPER, and has the ability to draw other people into ACHPER committees and activities to support the work of ACHPER (SA). Craig is recognized in his own workplace and the wider community as a strong and effective leader, and passionate advocate for Health & Physical Education.

Craig's dedicated, continuous, high level professional commitment to ACHPER and to Physical Education in South Australia is truly inspirational.

His contribution to ACHPER and specifically advocating for Health & Physical Education in South Australia has been outstanding and in 2009 Craig's efforts were recognised with the awarding of an ACHPER Fellowship.



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MR TOBY PRIEST ACHPER FELLOW

Toby Priest, has been an ACHPER member for over 14 years, since 1998 and during that time he has always been an enthusiastic and highly professional activist for the cause of quality health and physical education.

ACHPER(SA) has enjoyed a very close professional relationship with Toby for 8 years, since 2004. Toby has undertaken a number of key roles within the organization that have assisted the professional growth of ACHPER (SA).

Toby has been extremely active in the area of professional learning for the South Australian Community in the area of Physical Education and Sport. He has established a reputation as an excellent training and development coordinator, and has supported many ACHPER activities running a variety of workshops and sessions in South Australia and beyond.

Toby's dedication, continuous, high level professional commitment to ACHPER and to Physical Education in South Australia is truly inspirational. His contribution to ACHPER and specifically advocating for Health & Physical Education in South Australia, including Catholic Schools has been outstanding. Toby was a most worthy recipient for the Award of ACHPER Fellow presented in 2012.



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