

# Conspicuous Service Medal (CSM)



## **Chief Petty Officer Dennis Bentley**

**Citation:** For meritorious devotion to duty as the Operations Manager, Royal Australian Navy Relief Trust Fund. Chief Petty Officer Bentley personifies the highest qualities of a senior sailor. His dedication to duty was instrumental in achieving a record number of Royal Australian Navy Relief Trust Fund loans in the 2009/2010 financial year, assisting over 2,000 service personnel and their families. His outstanding contribution represents the finest traditions of the Royal Australian Navy and the Australian Defence Force.



**Date received:** 26th January 2012

## **Chief Petty Officer Andrew William Maskell**

**Citation:** For meritorious devotion to duty as the Personnel Officer aboard HMAS Manoora and for services to the wider naval community. Chief Petty Officer Maskell is an exceptional senior sailor displaying consistently professional excellence, inspirational leadership, thoughtful initiative and dedication to duty, particularly in complex and challenging situations. He has been instrumental in establishing effective personnel management standards and in facilitating the introduction of innovative initiatives throughout Her Majesty's Australian Fleet.



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## **Leading Seaman Sean Anthony Cryer**

**Citation:** For devotion to duty as Executive Assistant to the Chief of Navy

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## Chief Petty Officer Peter Mark Stone

**Citation:** For outstanding service as the Staff Officer Grade 4 Personnel Operations and Administration for Headquarters Australian Theatre during Operations SLIPPER, BASTILLE, FALCONER, CATALYST and CITADEL.

**Date received:** 26 January 2005



## Fiona Anne Kearney

**Citation:** For outstanding service in the performance of duty as the Personnel Officer, HMAS KUTTABUL

**Date received:** 14 June 2004

## Leading Seaman Margarita Buchmayer

**Citation:** For outstanding service as the Leading Seaman Writer pay and accounts officer HMAS CRESWELL. A most impressive sailor, Leading Seaman Buchmayer has consistently delivered an exceptional service to HMAS CRESWELL and the community. Her commitment and outstanding devotion to duty and her continual efforts to strive for excellence reflect great credit on herself and the Royal Australian Navy.

**Date Received:** 26 January 2000

## Petty Officer Milligan

**Citation:** For outstanding service as the Sailor-in-Charge of the removals and entitlements section of the Personal Services Organisation, *Stirling*. Brigitte Milligan rejoined the Royal Australian Navy in 1990 and has served at various shore establishments. She was promoted to Petty Officer in 1995. In August 1996 she was posted to the Personal Services Organisation, Western Australia as the Sailor-in-Charge of the removals and entitlements section. As the Sailor-in-Charge she displayed excellent levels of knowledge of the relevant instructions and ensured that members and their families received their correct entitlements. She also demonstrated a high degree of tact and understanding when dealing with families who are experiencing extreme pressure and stress during



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the removal process. Her position also required her to provide expert advice to families of deceased members, a situation requiring compassion, patience and sensitivity. Petty Officer Milligan has excelled in all these areas and has received numerous accolades which have greatly enhanced the image of the Personal Services Organisation and the Navy. The HMAS WESTRALIA disaster highlighted the outstanding abilities and dedication to duty that Petty Officer Milligan possesses. Her firm belief that the welfare of the families is paramount ensured the best possible service and advice were given. Her encouragement and leadership qualities were inspirational and reflected great credit on the organisation. Petty Officer Milligan has developed new processes and databases to greatly improve the effectiveness of the organisation with a commensurate improvement in the services to the members and their families. The effectiveness of her databases has been recognised by Defence and is expected to be used nationally in all the new Defence Relocations Centres. Petty Officer Milligan's outstanding devotion to duty has been in the finest traditions of the Personal Services Organisation and the Royal Australian Navy.

**Date received:** 14 June 1999.

### **Warrant Officer Leigh Peter Doak**

**Citation:** For outstanding service in the performance of duty as the Staff Officer Personnel in Her Majesty's Australian Ship CERBERUS. For outstanding service to the Royal Australian Navy, particularly for service in the role of Staff Officer Personnel in Her Majesty's Australian Ship CERBERUS. Since July 1995 Warrant Officer Doak has filled this position where he is responsible for the non financial conditions of service of 2000 personnel and trainees posted to Her Majesty's Australian Ship CERBERUS. He has proven throughout this time that he has the outstanding ability to balance the needs of the Service with the needs of individual sailors and officers.



**Date Received:** 08 June 1998

### **Petty Officer Karin Julie Radig (Now Leepere)**

**Citation:** For outstanding service to the Royal Australian Navy particularly in the area of personnel management while serving in Her Majesty's Australian Ship KUTTABUL. An exceptional Senior Sailor whose consistent professional excellence and interpersonal skills, outstanding dedication and inspirational leadership while serving in Her Majesty's Australian Ship KUTTABUL, have ensured the well being of the almost 2000 men and women who serve in, or are attached to the establishment. As the accounts office manager she has used her considerable initiative to implement creative, and



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positive changes to work practices. She is a credit to the Royal Australian Navy and epitomises the very best qualities of a Senior Sailor. She is an outstanding role model and inspiration for all personnel.

**Date Received:** 08 June 1998

### **Chief Petty Officer Lance Allen Atkin**

**Citation:** CPOWTR For outstanding service and exemplary performance of duty as the Chief Petty Officer in Charge of Sailors' Promotions for the Royal Australian Navy. Chief Petty Officer Atkins is an absolutely outstanding senior sailor who consistently demonstrates exceptional performance, dedication and devotion to duty, even in the most demanding circumstances. He has provided loyal and devoted service over a protracted period of great change and has continued to display outstanding initiative, motivation and drive throughout producing exceptional results as the Chief Petty Officer in Charge of Sailors' Promotions, Directorate of Sailors' Career Management.



**Date Received:** 26 January 1998