Australia Day

Citizen of the Year 2018
Kara Kara Ward

Peter Knights

A myriad of involvements, contributions and hundreds of volunteer hours makes Peter a model of dedication to the community. He is a community-minded individual and his list of volunteer positions within this community is too extensive to list in full, including roles with the St Arnaud Hockey Club and North Central Hockey Association, the St Arnaud Turf Club, the St Arnaud CFA, the St Arnaud Agricultural Show Committee and the St Arnaud Basketball Association.

This body of work is supported by roles serving the wider Northern Grampians Shire community at large, acting as the chair of Council's audit committee and as an independent member of East Wimmera Health Service Audit and Risk Committee.

On a larger scale, he delivers support and advice to his colleagues across the state as a member of the CPA Australia Public Practice Committee. Somewhere in amongst all these duties, he also finds time to own and operate two businesses in St Arnaud. Dedication to advancing the interests of this community and its members embody what this award is all about.