



Community Service Medallions

The Bega Valley Shire Medallion is presented for the outstanding work of volunteers across Bega Valley Shire and recognises one of the great strengths of a community, people who are prepared to give up their own time to for the benefit of others and the community as a whole.

The criteria for the Bega Valley Shire Council Community Service Medallion requires that recipients have served within the Bega Valley community for an extended period of time, preferably more than 10 years, and in a number of areas and/or organisations, although consideration is given to those volunteers whose commitment to one organisation or group is such that they would not be able to give much time to other activities (for example being on call 24 hours a day, seven day a week).

Service can be in any field for example sports, community service, health, education, arts, the environment etc.

Official nomination forms are available from Council's Website <http://www.begavalley.nsw.gov.au> or by phoning Council's Executive Assistants on 6499 2104, or 6499 2289.

Nominations are called each year around May but can be submitted at any time and held until they are considered by the Bega Valley Medallion Committee (made up of 4 community members and the Mayor).

The medals are presented at a Bega Valley Medallion Presentation Ceremony, usually held in July or August each year.