

WANGARATTA UNLIMITED ADVISORY BOARD MEMBER PROFILES - Nov 2009

MICHAEL CARLILE - Chairman

Retired Chartered Accountant who now breeds thoroughbred horses. Extensive experience in accounting and taxation as a World-Wide partner with Arthur Andersen.

Currently a director of Merriwa Industries Ltd with many years of involvement with community and sporting organisations

including:

- President Subiaco Football Club, Perth
- Commissioner Australian Football League
- Advisory Board of The Little Company of Mary who operate Calvary public and private hospitals and aged care facilities around Australia
- Chairman of the Development Fund for the Archdiocese of Broken Bay, Sydney

Appointed to the Wangaratta Unlimited Advisory Board in June 2007.

GREG LARKINS - Vice Chairman

Wangaratta born and education, finishing his education at Goulburn Ovens TAFE.

Owns and operates Wangaratta Office Supplies since 1995 with wife Helen.

Justice of the Peace – appointed 2003.

Current Board Member of Business Wangaratta.

Past President of Business Wangaratta 2003 - 2005.

Currently Vice Chair Wangaratta Unlimited.

Finance Director Wangaratta Festival of Jazz Inc 1993 – 2003

Rotary Club of Wangaratta, member since 1996.

Appointed to Wangaratta Unlimited Advisory Board in June 2003 and current Vice Chairperson.

HAYLEY CAIL

20 years experience in education and community engagement, Hayley is a motivating educator and facilitator with specific expertise in learning and development, facilitation, leadership and performance. Program Area Leader for Wodonga Institute of TAFE with a strong business development focus involving working with various industries and organisations.

Partner in a Chiropractic practice in Wangaratta and has commenced a Masters in Organisational Leadership at Monash University.

Appointed representative on the Regional Development Victoria Advisory committee and Chairs the Regional Development Australia committee for the Hume region.

Appointed to the Wangaratta Unlimited Advisory Board in June 2007.

JOHN G BROWN

Born into what is now a 120 year "Brown Brothers" family tradition of winemaking.

Starting as "winemaker and general hand" he has since held the positions of Chief Executive Officer, and Chairman of the business which still remains entirely Brown family owned.

During John's custodianship the Brown Brothers brand has gained great respect internationally, winning numerous prestigious awards for its wines, its vineyards, its business practices and also for its family succession planning.

Volunteer fireman, supporting regional development at Local and State Government level and keenly supports rural leadership and vocational skills development.

John relinquished the role of CEO for Brown Brothers in 2001 and now enjoys more time traveling, especially in Australia.

He has been awarded a Centenary Medal, a National Medal for his services to the Fire Brigade, and an "Officer of the Order of Australia".

Inaugural member since 1996, holding position of Chair from inception to 2000 of Wangaratta Unlimited Advisory Board.

KEN BUTTERWORTH

Started his working life as an electrician.

Ken moved into hospitality some years later starting his own hospitality business in 1976.

Purchased and operated his first hotel in Wangaratta in 1993 after operating a variety of hospitality businesses.

Director and Project Manager of the Taverner Hotel Group

Purchased and refurbished the Sydney Hotel in Wangaratta in 2008-09.

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Ken has developed and managed several commercial properties in Wangaratta and the Geelong region. Community involvement includes Councillor and Deputy Mayor of Shire of Barrabool (Surf Coast Shire) in the early 80's and a position on the Angelsea Sewerage & Airey's Inlet Water Authority. Advisory Board Member of Wangaratta Private Hospital. Appointed to Wangaratta Unlimited Advisory Board in June 2007.

GRANT JONES

Senior environmental scientist and hydrogeologist with GHD (consultancy company). Nine years in Canberra and a short period working in the UK. Grew up in Perth, attended Scotch College before moving to University in Canberra. Worked at Woomera, SA, on a planned low-level radioactive waste site whilst working for the Bureau of Rural Sciences. Keen interest in the region's water security and overall economic and resource sustainability. Current projects include determining the water resources of the Ovens Catchment (groundwater study around Wangaratta), water savings and modernisation projects for Goulburn-Murray Water, Environmental Site Audits (contaminated sites) and the Falls Creek Geotechnical Risk Management Program. Graduate of the Alpine Valleys Community Leadership Program in 2009 and current member of North East Region Water Authority - Wangaratta Water and Wastewater Advisory Committee. Appointed to Wangaratta Unlimited Advisory Board in June 2009.

STEPHEN OXLEY

Licensed Surveyor & Civil Engineer
Opened Stephen Oxley & Associates in November 1996.
Surveying, civil engineering and planning company.
Property development industry undertaking work for State Govt, Local Govt & private clients
Expertise in land development and planning.
Wangaratta Base Hospital Board member 1992 – 2007. Awarded Life Governorship in 2009.
Appointed to Wangaratta Unlimited Advisory Board in May 2002; Chairperson from 2006 to 2009.

LISBETH (LIZ) LONG

Moved to Glenrowan in May 2006 joining Granite Range Estate, Cellar Door and Bed and Breakfast as the General Manager.
Past 18 years worked for a number of ASX top 100 mining, manufacturing and petroleum companies in remote areas of Australia
1999 was the Manager Human Resource for the Century Mine Limited's operations in the Gulf of Carpentaria and oversaw the construction and commencement of operations of the second largest zinc producer in the world. This project was also notable for its education, training, employment and retention of people from the local communities.
General Manager Human Resources reporting directly to the Managing Director of Adelaide Brighton Cement and subsequently Caltex Australia Limited
Bachelor of Economics degree and 18 yrs of significant change management, leadership development, employee relations, remuneration, recruitment, occupational health and safety, training, communications and most significantly, community and economic development and capacity building skills and experience.
Ministerial appointed Board member of Goulburn Ovens Institute of TAFE, the Wangaratta Technical Education Centre Industry Reference Group, the Wangaratta Tourism Advisory Board, the Glenrowan Vignerons' Association, the Warby Range Network for Success group and the Glenrowan Kindergarten Committee.
Appointed to the Wangaratta Unlimited Advisory Board in June 2006.

BARRY SULLIVAN

General Manager, Ordnance Business Unit, Thales Australia
Extensive experience in manufacturing and engineering Bachelor of Engineering Degree in Electronics from Monash University
Graduate of Stanford University, School of Business in the USA
Honorary Fellow of Institute of Engineers Australia.
Former Board Member of Alpine Valleys Community Leadership Program
Life member of the Wangaratta Rovers Football Club.
Appointed to the Wangaratta Unlimited Advisory Board in June 2009
