



Nepean Football Association May 2025 Club Volunteer of the Month

Thank you to all the clubs who have helped us promote this via their own social media sites. This important recognition can only succeed if clubs get behind it.

Blaxland Football Club Volunteer of the Month

Michelle Finegan - Member Protection Information Officer



This year, Michelle stepped up into the important role of Member Protection Information Officer. She is working tirelessly in the background making sure members are protected and the club is compliant and her willingness to learn as much as she can about the role is commendable. Michelle is always willing to chip in to help others out and do whatever needs to be done to help make the club a better place to be. Her tireless efforts in and around the club on a weekend is something that does not go unnoticed. We are very grateful for all of the work you do for the Redbacks! Thank you Michelle!!

Bligh Park Football Club Volunteer of the Month

Alie Thomas - TREASURER



In recognition of National Volunteer Week from May 19th to 25th, 2025, we want to highlight the remarkable contributions of our volunteers at Bligh Park Football Club. One such individual is Alison Thomas, who has been instrumental in enhancing our operations since 2021.

Alison has introduced a fully integrated Square system in the Canteen and established a Keycard bank account for easier expense tracking. She implemented the XERO accounting system for effective financial reporting and budgeting, contributing greatly to our club's financial health. Additionally, she played a key role in developing our website and setting up Mailchimp for member communications. Her grant writing efforts have secured vital funding for new equipment and safety measures, including our new fence that improves safety for everyone. As Treasurer, Alison manages our financials and has been a dedicated member of our O30's team on the field.

Alie, thank you for all you do.

Blue Mountains Football Club Volunteer of the Month

Germaine Quinn - Committee



Germaine stepped up to help the Club last year and we haven't looked back. Germaine radiates positivity and energy. She is quick to help with small tasks like kit bags to scheduling photo days to being a hands on helpers at clinics. Germaine embodies being a volunteer wholeheartedly. She notices how she can help, shows up and makes doing any job with her a joyful experience.

Colo Soccer Football Club Volunteer of the Month

Simon Flanagan - Grounds officer



Simon is an enthusiastic committee member, always willing to jump in and lend a hand wherever needed. Simon is doing a wonderful job at weekly field setup and has assisted with many other areas of general club operations.

Hazelbrook Football Club Volunteer of the Month

Ellen Kane – Merchandise Manager



Ellen joined our committee this year as Merchandise Manager and has truly hit the ground running. From day one, she has brought fresh energy, initiative, and a strong commitment to enhancing our club's merchandise offering. She has played a pivotal role in sourcing new suppliers and developing exciting new merchandise that will soon be available to the public. This has involved navigating complex supplier negotiations and contracts - all while ensuring the unique needs and preferences of our club community are met. Ellen's efforts have been especially impactful in supporting the development of merchandise for our female football players, helping to ensure they are represented and celebrated within our club identity. We are incredibly grateful for Ellen's dedication, innovation, and the positive momentum she has brought to this space. Her contributions have not gone unnoticed, and we're excited for what's to come under her leadership. Thank you, Ellen!

Henry Lawson Football Club Volunteer of the Month

Greg Nielson - Treasurer & Grounds Keeper



Greg always goes out of his way to ensure our grounds are as good as possible - despite the weather and council support.

From Hand mowing where needed, to line marking weekly. His efforts do not go un-noticed :)

Jordan Springs Joeys Football Club Volunteer of the Month

Natalie Cavanagh - Manager U9 Green



Natalie is new to football and managing a team. She has taken to the role with gusto producing an amazing weekly team newsletter to ensure the kids and parents are kept informed of upcoming events.

She is enthusiastic and always brings a smile to the grounds.

Penrith Football Club Volunteer of the Month

Lachlan Wiffen - Coach and comp secretary



Lachlan's passion for football is second to none, he's always looking to help improve his players he coaches! Lachlan will go above and beyond for his under 9's team he coaches, Lachlan took on competition secretary this year and is doing a great job so far!

We appreciate the hard work you do

Penrith R.S.L. Soccer Club Volunteer of the Month

Ronan McNally - Coach



Ronan joined our club with an u8s team and has continued to coach ever since. This is Ronan's 8th year with RSL. Ronan is committed to the sport and continues to develop his team each and every week. Ronan will be at training well before any player to ensure training is set up and the players are able to grow and develop every week. Ronan loves winning but is also very much the Coach that encourages ALL players to play to their OWN strengths and continue to grow and develop. Ronan has great values, leads by example and is always encouraging from the sideline.

THANK YOU Ronan, for all that you have done with all the players over your RSL years.

Penrith Rovers Football Club Volunteer of the Month

Natalie Moffitt - Coach, Ruby League Player & Volunteer



It is with great pleasure that we recognise Natalie Moffitt as the Penrith Rover's Volunteer of the Month for May. Natalie is an exceptional member of our community - an inspiring player, dedicated coach, and unwavering supporter of female football.

As a player in our Ruby League Female Premiers squad, Natalie demonstrates passion, skill, and team spirit that uplift those around her. Beyond the field, she generously dedicates her time as a coach for our U12 girls team, passionately imparting her football knowledge and enthusiasm to the next generation of football athletes.

Natalie's infectious bubbly personality makes her a beloved figure at the grounds - she's always the first to volunteer in the canteen or lend a hand wherever needed, demonstrating her genuine commitment to the club. Her friendly approach and eagerness to connect with everyone foster a welcoming and vibrant atmosphere that embodies the true spirit of community.

A passionate advocate for female football, Natalie serves as a fantastic role model and ambassador, inspiring young girls and women to embrace the game. She is the true embodiment of a 'Wild Rover' - energetic, adventurous, and full of life.

Thank you, Nat, for all the energy, positivity, and dedication you bring to our club. Your impact is felt every day, and we are incredibly grateful to have you as part of our football family.

Richmond Ex-Servicemen's Soccer Club Volunteer of the Month

Ben Gabriel - Vice President



Ben is a stalwart of Richmond ExSSC, 2025 sees Ben with 37 years of service wearing various hats over this time span. Starting out as a 4-year-old player, growing up playing in many teams. Ben has also coached plenty of teams, some from U6 to IM's and has never shied away from putting his hand up to coach if we can't find one, being the current coach of an AAM. Ben has served on the committee for 17 years, with 16 of them as Vice President, and is a deserved life member. On Saturdays Ben is usually found behind the BBQ, serving his stacked Egg and bacon sanga's - "best you'll find in the Hawkesbury" he proudly quips!! Ben's volunteer contributions have been clearly invaluable in keeping our wonderful club chugging along, we are proud to have him as one of our volunteers, deserving this recognition!!

Springwood United Football Club Volunteer of the Month

Amy Hawkes - Junior Female Co-Ordinator



Amy Hawkes has driven the development of our female teams over the last 2 seasons as SUFC's Junior Female Football Co-ordinator and has also been the quiet achieving organiser of this year's Female Football Week activities. Amy supports all of our female teams on a week-to-week basis whilst juggling Football Committee duties, managing an U9 girls team, sharing her partner with the Club and the most important thing... being a soccer Mum!!... A big thank you from the Club to Amy for all the work she has put in to the female football space over the last few seasons and we hope you're around for many seasons to come.