

THE TIM MC COY AWARD 2014

The Trustees of the Tim McCoy Trust invite nominations for the 24th annual 'Tim McCoy Award'. The \$1000 Award celebrates the life of the late Tim McCoy (1956-1987). It recognises the work of individuals, groups or organisations within the community law or legal aid movement. A particular, but not exclusive focus is the promotion of human rights and justice for socially and economically disadvantaged people in Victoria.



Nominations are requested to specifically address at least one of the following criteria:

- Outstanding achievement in *advocacy* of human rights and justice for socially and economically disadvantaged people and communities in Victoria.
- Achievement in undertaking a range of *law reform* and or *community legal education* activities over an extended period or a single significant law reform or community legal education initiative, that protects and promotes human rights and justice for socially disadvantaged people and communities in Victoria.
- Outstanding *contribution above the call of duty* in protecting and promoting human rights and justice for people and communities in Victoria

The Trustees welcome nominations that reflect collaborative and networked initiatives. Further information can be obtained from Lou Schetzer 0417 141 769 or lschetzer@piac.asn.au

Written nominations must include the following material:

- Name and details of nominee
- Name and details of nominator
- Specifically address one or more of the criteria
- Confirmation that the nominee is aware of the nomination

The Award will be presented at the 27th Anniversary Dinner on Friday 7th November 2014.

Please email nominations to Lou Schetzer at lschetzer@piac.asn.au

Nominations must be received no later than 5pm on Friday 31st October 2014

Tim Mc Coy Awards

1991	Flemington Kensington Legal Service
1992	Refugee Advice & Casework Service
1993	Essendon Legal Service
1994	Women's Legal Resources Group
1995	Fitzroy Legal Service Western Suburbs Legal Service
1996	Federation of Community Legal Centres (Vic)
1997	Western Suburbs Legal Service
1998	Alternative Law Journal Coburg Legal Service
1999	Amanda George (Brimbank)
2000	S11 Defence Team (c/- Fitzroy Legal Service)
2001	PILCH (MV Tampa Defence Team)
2002	PILCH (The Homeless Persons Legal Clinic)
2003	Springvale Legal Service (Corrections Group)
2004	Refugee and Immigration Legal Centre & VLA
2005	Julian Gardner
2006	Flemington Kensington Legal Service
2007	Vicki Roach & Charandev Singh
2008	Loddon Campaspe Community Legal Centre
2009	Jan Pentland* (Consumer Action Law Centre)
2010	Denis Nelthorpe (West Heidelberg Legal Centre)
2011	M61 and M70 Asylum Seeker Defence Team (RILC)
2012	Occupy Melbourne Legal Defence Team
2013	AED Legal Centre

*Posthumous