

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE GENERAL DIVISION

Ms Phillipa Louise EDWARDS, Ormond VIC 3204
For service to music through brass bands.

Glenferrie Brass

- Musical Director, since 2019.

Footscray-Yarraville City Band

- Musical Director, 2004-2019.
- Life Member, current.
- Member, 1999-2019.
- Instigator, Western Brass.
- Instigator, Percussion Academy.

Hyde Street Youth Band

- Musical Director, since 2019.
- Junior and National DGrade Champions, 2023.
- Tutor, mentor and guest conductor, Hyde Street Junior Band, 1999-2019 and Musical Director, 2016-2019.

Brass Bands - Other

- Member, Victorian Bands' League, since 1980s.
- Musical Director, Darebin Junior Brass Band, 1997-2004.
- Musical Director, Preston Municipal Juniors, 1995-1996.
- Former Member, National Brass Australia, two years.

Music Education

- Music Teacher, Lyndale Secondary College, since 2018.
- Teacher, Firbank Grammar School, 1997-2015.
- Head of Brass, Marcellin College, 1997-2001.
- Trumpet Specialist and Band Director, Eltham High School, 1994-1997.
- Band Director, Melbourne Youth Music, Victorian College of the Arts, 2009-2013.

Skunkwork Productions

- Co-Founder and Director, since 2019.
- Co-Conceived, wrote, created, produced and performed, *The Silent Anzac*, since 2014.
- Co-Founder, Bright Summer Intensive, since 2017.
- Co-Founder, Schoolies Band Camp.
- Co-Founder Alpine Brass Festival.
- Co-Founder Skunkworks Online Master Class Series, since 2020.
- Organiser and supporter of many corporate and community events including; Maribyrnong Carols by Candlelight, Melbourne Anzac Parades and Choir of Hard Knocks.

Community

- Presenter, *Arts Weekly*, 3MBS Community Radio, since 2012.

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Awards and Recognition include:

- 40 year service Medal, Victorian Band's League.
- Musical Director of the Year, Victorian Band's League, 2007.