

Our community

Plaque is a legacy

Pakenham Secondary College student Kirsten Trewarn is the latest to benefit from the legacy of Ron and Sylva Cameron.

The Camerons lived on a property in Toomuc Valley Road for many years, where they had an orchard growing soft fruits and tomatoes.

They contributed to the Pakenham community in many ways

- Ron chiefly through Rotary and Sylvia mainly through Red Cross and Inner Wheel.

They had no family and left money in trust for the ongoing benefit of the community.

A substantial amount was given to the Rotary Health Research Fund.

Some was given to the Rotary

Club of Pakenham to establish a trust to assist the education of local students.

The first award was made in 2005 and from then until 2011 the award was made to a student from a secondary school in Pakenham.

From 2012, annual awards have been made to a student at Pakenham Secondary College.

The student is chosen by the school and must be a high achiever, be trustworthy and show leadership abilities.

The winning student's name is inscribed on a special plaque that is displayed in the school foyer.

The student also receives a cheque for \$650 to assist with ongoing studies.



Rotary President Lyn Bunce and award recipient Kirsten Trewarn.