## Free webinar: The ACNC and the ATO

**Charity tax concessions and endorsement**

You are invited to join us at midday (AEST) next Tuesday 18 July for an overview of charity tax

concessions available to registered charities.

Presented with our friends at the ATO, this free webinar will feature information on:

•         The relationship between the ACNC and the ATO

•         Commonwealth charity tax concessions, and

•         Deductible gift recipient (DGR) status.

The webinar will also include a Q&A session where you will be able to ask questions of ACNC and ATO staff.

If you want to know more about the charity tax concessions available to you, how to apply for them, and what they mean for your charity, don't miss this webinar.

You can sign up for free at acnc.gov.au/webinars.

## Premier's Volunteer Recognition Program

**Nominations are now open**

NSW Volunteering encourages you to nominate your volunteers by 30 September 2017.

The program is a meaningful way to celebrate the valuable contribution of the many volunteers who make a difference in your organisation and the community.

Organisations such as yours may have many people worthy of recognition under the following award categories:

• people with over 25 years of volunteering experience
• people with a lifetime of volunteering experience – over 40 years
• significant volunteering at any age
• newly retired people who have commenced or continued volunteering.

Your volunteers would join the 12,500 people already recognised across NSW under this program, which is now in its third year.

Nominating is easy using our online form. If you have multiple volunteers you wish to nominate or if you have any other inquiries, please contact Gail Knox via gail.knox@facs.nsw.gov.au or on 8753 8543.

## Network of Community Activities

Network is working with the NSW Department of Education to assist services to utilise the $20 million fund for OSHC services.

We are interested to hear from services who meet the following criteria:

1. Not for profit
2. Not located on a school site or in a local government building

Email us on network@networkofcommunityactivities.org.au   as we would like to assist you to access this funding.

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## P&C Federation 2018 Conference

Friday 2 & Saturday 3 March 2018, Novotel Parramatta
The P&C Federation Conference is being held for its members across New South Wales to attend regardless of their location whether it be in metro, regional or rural areas.
Each P&C Association has the opportunity to elect and send 2 representatives from their P&C Association to attend on their behalf in order to gather information, knowledge and resources and be able to share, learn and network with other P&C Associations and then return to their members and pass on what they have learnt to assist their P&C Association achieve their goals and better support their students and school community. Please note that places are limited.
The conference will run over 2 days, Friday 2 & Saturday 3 March 2018. Friday will commence with registration at 9am and conclude at 4.30pm allowing for a little free time before the Awards Dinner starting at 6.30pm for those attending. Saturday will kick off earlier with an 8.30am registration and conclude at 4pm. The conference will include guest speakers, exhibitors and workshops for attendees to participate in, the details will be advised once final confirmation is complete. Registration for workshops will open in January 2018. For more information go to P&C Federation 2018 Conference

## "NSW P&C Volunteer of the Year" - Nominations are Now Open

Does your P&C Association have a volunteer that deserves the title "NSW P&C Volunteer of the year"?
P&C Federation wants to hear from you so why not nominate them!
To nominate a deserving candidate please complete the nomination form ensuring all criteria is addressed.
* Nominating P&C Association must be a financial member of P&C Federation at the time of the nomination.
* Nomination to be a decision of the P&C Association members
* President to sign off that the person nominated was the choice as voted by the P&C Association.
* The period in which the deserving volunteer is being nominated for is within the period of 1 January 2017 and 31 December 2017

Nominations are Now Open and Closes at 5 pm, Wednesday 11 October 2017, Click Here for further information regarding nominating
Please Note: No nomination will be accepted after 5 pm on the closing Date. No Exceptions

## Conference Sponsorship and/or Exhibitor Interest

If you would like to know more about becoming a sponsor or being an exhibitor at the P&C Federation 2018 conference, please go to our Conference page and click on the buttons

## Generation Next

Generation Next is a not-for-profit organisation that provides education and information about the prevention and management of mental illness in youth to professionals, young people and the wider community. Our objective is to raise community awareness of mental illness through increasing mental health literacy, reducing associated stigma and positively influencing individual and community behaviour to improve the mental health of young people.
Sydney Mental Health and Wellbeing of Young People Seminar will be held on **Friday, 4th August at Sydney Town Hall** and is ideally suited for frontline professionals in the education, community and health sectors that work directly with young people as well as parents.
The program this year features topical issues such as:
* Preventing depression
* Managing anxiety
* Mental health first aid
* Supporting a young person in their decision not to drink
* Understanding and managing anger and aggression
* Nurturing a healthy mind

This year, we also have a dedicated parallel program focusing specifically on the challenges of the online space, tackling issues such as digital education, a healthy 'digital diet' and cybersafety called 'Kids in Cyberspace'. More information about both events is available from our website: http://www.generationnext.com.au/educate/generation-next-seminars/sydney/.