

## **Volunteer Award**

The Volunteer Award, sponsored by the Sunday Mail City-Bay Fun Run and is given to an individual who has contributed on a voluntary basis to sport in South Australia. The recipient of this award will be an administrator, coach, official or undertake multiple roles as long as they have not received any remuneration (expenses and true honorarium allowed) in respect of their duties. This Award is not restricted to the last 12 months.

### **Jane Russo**

Organisation: Touch Football

Jane Russo's reputation as a leader in sports advocacy and sports administration is widely recognised in South Australia. Her drive and commitment, particularly to furthering participation for girls in sport is well known and with more than 20 years volunteering across multiple sports in a variety of roles, she has been key to the ongoing successes of many areas. She holds a number of board positions with sporting bodies including Athletics South Australia, Sport SA and Office for Recreation and Sport and Racing. She the head coach for the South West Wolves Touch Football league team, and she coaches Unley Primary Year 4s. She advocates for diversity and inclusion in sport, and her commitment to empowering others is admirable.