



THE ROTARY CLUB OF SYDNEY

Community Peace Award 2021

Turbans 4 Australia

The Rotary Club of Sydney Community Peace Award recognises an organisation or an individual whose work at a grassroots level has demonstrated

- Commitment to the advancement of peace with justice or the promotion of nonviolence within the community, nationally or internationally
- Contribution to the promotion and attainment of human rights
- The philosophy, language and practice of nonviolence
- Evidence of building bridges between different groups to work toward peaceful communities in an increasingly diverse society, and
- Actions as a 'peacemaker' within the local community.

Turbans4Australia has been supporting Australians since 2015 in Sydney, throughout NSW and across the country. It serves anyone in need ranging from senior citizens, disabled, international students, temporary residents, homeless, needy, refugees and people from disadvantaged backgrounds.

As part of its community work, Turbans4Australia has delivered hay for drought-affected farmers and food, groceries and supplies to others following bushfires, floods and other climate-related emergencies. It has actively promoted intercultural awareness and engagement in schools, sporting and other events through its large network of volunteers from across our diverse communities.

We recognise Amar Singh and Turbans4Australia now for their efforts in assisting those in Western Sydney especially hard hit by the COVID-19 pandemic. Their delivery of thousands of hampers of food, other support services and especially person to person contact and care is peacebuilding in action.

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President – Rotary Club of Sydney

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Chair – Peacebuilding Group

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