

THE CHAPMAN SCHOLARSHIP

(Secondary Solo Strings)

Roberta Chapman has been involved with the Performing Arts Festival for Catholic Schools and Colleges since its inception.

She was a Primary School Principal until her retirement from teaching.

Roberta holds a Bachelor of Education from Edith Cowan University and a Masters Degree in Interdisciplinary Education from the University of Oregon, U.S.A.

During her teaching career, Roberta directed school choirs and classroom music and organised community musicals. She also enjoyed being part of many community stage plays.

For many years Roberta coordinated the Piano Solo/Duet and the Instrumental Solo/Duet section of the Performing Arts Festival. Roberta retired from the Performing Arts Festival Committee in December 2010 but continues to assist during the Festival.

The Scholarship named in her family's honour is open to Secondary students in all Catholic Schools entering the Solo Strings section of the Festival. Its aim is to promote musicianship and to enable the recipient to undertake further musical studies.

The donor of this Scholarship stipulates that it be given to a performer whom the Adjudicator considers to show outstanding potential.

The value of the Award is \$500

The Scholarship is available to a student once in Years 7-9 and once in Years 10-12.