

McKenzie-Smith, Graham(from Linked In)



Katoomba High School 1961 – 1965. B Sc (Forestry), M Sc (Forest Management) ANU 1969 – 1970.
Consultant at Grimwade Forestry 1978 – . General manager, Pine Operations Bunnings Forest Products 1981 – 1991. Chief Executive ACT Forests 1991 – 1999.
Semi retired, but still available for interesting projects.
Now researching, writing and publishing widely on the Australian Army in WW2.
Publications: Australia's Forgotten Army, Vol 1, The Ebb & Flow of the Aust Army in WA, 1941 to 1945. Grimwade Publications (1994). Australia's Forgotten Army, Vol 2, Defending the Northern Gateways, NT & Torres St, 1938 to 1945. Grimwade Publications (1996). Defending Fremantle, Bunbury & Albany, 1939 to 1945. Grimwade Publications (2009).

CITATION EXTRACT provided by Graham February 2022

Name	Mr Graham Robert McKENZIE-SMITH
Award	Member of the Order of Australia
Post-Nominal	AM
Date Granted	26th of January, 2020
State	WA
Suburb	Mount Pleasant
Postcode	6153
Citation	For significant service to military history preservation, and to forestry.
Media Note	Royal Australian Artillery Historical Society of WA

- Vice-President, since 2016.
- Management Committee Member and Research Officer, since 2014.
- Steering Committee Member, Leighton Battery Refurbishment, Town of Mosman Park, current.
- Author, Register of Historical Guns in WA.
- Member, and Tour Guide, Leighton Battery Heritage Site, since 2006.

Royal Australian Engineers Association of WA

- Honorary Historian and Committee Member, since 2009.
- Member, since 2008.
- Life Member, 2019.

Military Historical Society of Australia

- Member, Western Australian Branch, since circa 2000s.
- Former Member, Australian Capital Territory Branch.

Military History Society of WA

- Member, current.

National Trust of WA

- Member, Defence Heritage Committee, current.

Institute of Foresters of Australia

- Past Member, State Committee.
- Member, since 1973.

Australian Forest History Society

- Member, current.

Australian Forest Growers

- Past Member, State Committee.
- Past Member.

Australian Plantation Timbers

- Executive Director (Forestry), 1999-2002.

ACT Forests

- Chief Executive Officer, 1991-1999.
- Co-Founder, Southern Tablelands Farm Forestry Network.
- Member, Standing Committee on Forestry, 1991-1999, and past Chair, International Competitiveness Working Group.
- Member, ACT Bushfire Council, 1991-1999.

- District Forester, 1972-1981.

Bunnings Forest Products Pty Ltd

- General Manager, Pine Operations Group, 1981-1991.

Publications

- Author, *'The Unit Guide, The Australian Army 1939-1945'*, Big Sky Publishing, 2018.
- Author, *'Sappers in the West, Army Engineers in Western Australia'*, 2015.
- Author, *'Defending Fremantle, Albany and Bunbury'*, 2009.
- Author, *'Australia's Forgotten Army: Vol 1 - The Ebb & Flow of the Australian Army in WA - 1941 to 1945'*, 1994. *'Vol 2 - Defending the Northern Gateways, NT and Torres Strait - 1938 to 1945'*, 1995.
- Author, various articles, *'Sabretache'* Journal, Military Historical Society of Australia, since 1989.
- Author, various articles, Newsletter of the Australian Forest History Society.

Awards and recognition includes:

- Gold Commendation, Australian Army, *'for his 35 years of research on The Unit Guide'*, 2018.

Announcement Event Australia Day 2020 Honours List

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