... and the ACCAN Remote Communities Champion Award goes to: Activ8me!

Activ8me has been awarded The Australian Communications Consumer Action Network (ACCAN) 2019 Remote Communities Champion Award, an accolade that recognises Activ8me's efforts to tackle the unique telecommunications challenges faced by remote Australian communities.

In recognising Activ8me as the Remote Communities Champion, ACCAN highlighted the success and impact of Activ8me's bespoke community phone and public Wi-Fi initiative, which to-date has connected more than 300 very remote Indigenous communities across Australia.

"We'd like to thank ACCAN for recognising our tireless efforts to improve connectivity in the remotest parts of Australia," said Martin Camilleri. "We will continue to work hand-in-hand with remote communities and organisations like ACCAN to improve communications across rural, regional and remote Australia, and in doing so, close the digital divide."

ACCAN is Australia's peak communications consumer organisation. They represent individuals, small businesses and not-for-profit groups as consumers of communications products and services.

Activ8me CEO Martin Camilleri accepted the award at a ceremony held at ACCANect, ACCAN's 10th year anniversary celebration, on Wednesday 11th September at the Aerial UTS Function Centre in Sydney, NSW.

ABOUT ACTIV8ME

Activ8me is the **largest Australian-owned-and-operated nbn™ Sky Muster™ satellite internet service provider in Australia**, and an acknowledged expert in remote communications. More than 50,000 customers across Australia trust Activ8me to keep them connected. Activ8me is also a **Major Service Partner to the Royal Flying Doctor Service of Australia (RFDS).** Activ8me designs and builds innovative communications technologies to ensure the RFDS remains at the forefront of innovation. For every customer who joins Activ8me on a Sky Muster™ Satellite service, Activ8me donates \$2 per month for the first 12 month of the customer's active account to the RFDS. For more information visit <u>www.activ8me.net.au</u>

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