

FAMOUS PEOPLE HAVE SAID IN WRITING

The legendary late Bill Roycroft, Multi-Australian Olympian of 5 Olympic games: "The flag you have put up I think is good. Well done. I look at it and I would accept that flag. I would like to see your flag at the equestrian events."

Barry Jones AO: "Many flags have been proposed, most of them unappealing or inappropriate. Bob Crawford's design with its striking colour & flying kangaroo motif is one of the very few that deserves serious consideration."

Peter Russell-Clarke: "The symbolism is absolutely appealing & appropriate for our Nation's signature. In fact the concept is what **Australia** has needed since we came of age at Gallipoli."

Professor of Australian History. Weston Bate AO: "A joyous creation. I admire the good sense you put into it... It is a liberation & embracing, a stillness of remembrance & an energy of hope."

Natasha Stott Despoja: "Well thought out and crafted flag."

Caroline Briggs, Elder of the Boonerwrung tribe: "The Aboriginals will always tell stories of this flag."

Chris Franklin: "I wouldn't follow the Union Jack down a slippery hill, but I'd follow the Flag of Unity anywhere."

Hon. Gough Whitlam A.C., Q.C.: "I applaud your efforts to secure a distinctive Australian flag."

Mike Brady, Singer-Songwriter of "Come on Aussie Come on", "Up There Cazaly" etc.: "Since arriving in Australia as a child in the fifties, I have always been confused as to why we do not have a flag that symbolises Australia's individuality and diversity. I believe your design goes a long way towards that end."

Dean Pullar, Olympic Medalist: "I believe it is time to embrace our own flag. After travelling the world as an elite athlete and seeing the different flags symbolising the unique traits of each nation I believe we need a flag that expresses what and who we have become. The Australian Flag of Unity is a unique and symbolic flag, which stands us apart from all others."

Tanya Plibersek: "You've covered many important elements of Australia's national identity in the composition of this flag."