

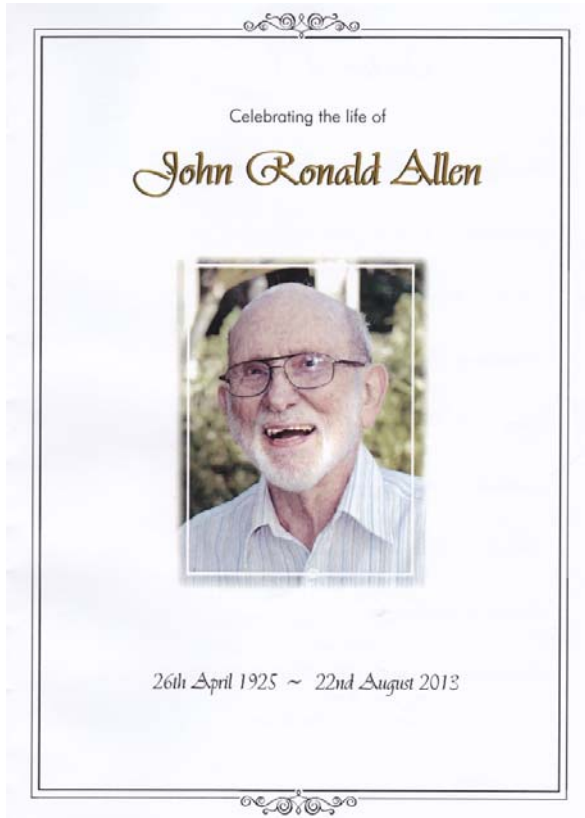


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Australian Society of Sugar Cane Technologists

Life Member

Dr John Ronald ALLEN



John Allen was appointed the second Director of Research, at the Sugar Research Institute, Mackay, in 1962. Dr Allen joined QSSCT in 1962 and in 1975 was President for the 42nd Conference of the QSSCT. In 1986 he was made ASSCT Honorary Life Member, for his contributions to the sugar industry. Also in 1986 John was honoured with the award of Member of the Order of Australia (AM), 'in recognition of service to the sugar industry, particularly with SRI'. John retired in 1986 after 24 years of service with the Sugar Research Institute (SRI).

In 1988 John was the recipient of the 1988 AGM Mitchell Award from the College of Mechanical Engineers Australia, followed in 2001 by the award of a Centenary Medal 'for service to the Australian Society in Mechanical Engineering'. Dr Allen has been involved with Rotary, Probus and the University Conservatorium of Music in Mackay.

Dr John Allen passed away in Mackay on 22 August 2013.

The Australian Society of Sugar Cane Technologists Executive and members would like to convey their heartfelt condolences to his wife Mrs Barbara Allen and their children.