

VX87167 (V55069)
John Victor Connard
Passed away January 2014
Victorian Scottish Regiment (VSR)



At the age of 21 John enlisted in the Victorian Scottish Regiment (VSR) in June 1939. During World War II he enlisted into the 2nd AIF "In the field, Western Australia" on the 22nd of July 1942 and was discharged on the 22nd of March 1946 with the rank of Sergeant. During WWII he served with the 16th Infantry Training Battalion.

He became an inaugural member of the VSR Association in 1946. He was a long serving committee member, a Vice President and a Life Member of the VSR Association. The Battalion was represented at John's funeral in the best way possible; a minnie RVR Pipes and Drums band played at the service. He would have been delighted. Thanks go to Pete Barker for organising the band at short notice.