

# RACISM. IT STOPS WITH ME

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Welcome to our latest supporter update!

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## Campaign supporters organisations support Adam Goodes

Campaign supporters were among the 150 organisations that signed a joint statement on racism directed at Adam Goodes, entitled 'Australia must and can be better than this.'

This statement called for renewed efforts to stamp out racism in sport and everyday life following the increase in booing of Sydney Swans player and *Racism. It Stops With Me* ambassador, Adam Goodes, during AFL matches in recent months.

Read the statement [here](#).

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## New campaign posters

We wanted to showcase the great activities that supporter organisations are undertaking, so have developed a new campaign poster featuring pictures of supporter activities. You can download the new poster from our [website](#).



*If you want the chance to feature on future materials or in publications, remember to send us your pics!*

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## Human Rights Awards nominations close soon

Nominations for this year's Australian Human Rights Awards close Friday 11 September 2015.

The awards recognise the work of individuals or organisations that have contributed to human rights in Australia.

For the first time, the awards feature a *Racism. It Stops With Me* category for an organisation working to reduce and prevent racism in Australia.

More details about the awards and information about nomination can be found on the Awards [website](#).

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## Supporter of the month

Congratulations to GippSport for being selected as August's supporter of the month!

GippSport, a regional sports assembly in the Gippsland region of Victoria, is in the process of finalising a Racism Action Plan. The plan includes numerous anti-racism actions, including promoting the campaign internally and to local sporting clubs and encouraging clubs to become supporters of *Racism. It Stops With Me*.

Great job, Gippsport, a free merchandise pack is on its way!



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## Supporter activities

National anti-racism organisation, All Together Now, has launched a new campaign to encourage people to stand up when they witness racism. Take a look at the video [here](#).



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A shout out to the University of Tasmania for their work promoting the campaign in local schools. Take a look at this great pic of students and staff at Hutchins School in Sandy Bay showing their support.



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### How should you respond to racist behaviour?

Check out [this article](#) by psychology academics from Murdoch University outlining what psychology says about how you should respond to racist behaviour.



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Until next time!  
The campaigns team