



Bulletin #34, 13th March 2024

President Greg Byers **Secretary** Catriona Jarman **Treasurer** Peter Holland

Next meeting is at The Seymour Racecourse by 1800 followed by the meal at the Royal Hotel

Duty Rota

If you cannot fulfill your duties please arrange someone else and inform Pres.

Date	18th March	25th March	1st April
Guest Speaker	Visit to the Seymour Race Course for a tour.	Living Legends	Easter Monday No Meeting
Chair	Peter Holland	Ruth Byers	NA
Greeter	Jane Challis	Alan Walton	
Loyal Toast	Paulette Andrews	Richard Pennington	
Cashier	Matt F	Mark Dossor	

Invocation ALL

*For Good Food, Good Fellowship and the Opportunity to Serve through
Rotary We Give Thanks*

Monday's meeting is a vocational visit to the Seymour Racing Club with a tour of the course and its new facilities. CEO Chris Martin, will be facilitating the tour.



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Upcoming Events			
<i>Month</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Organiser</i>
March	24	District Assembly	
	29 - 1st April	Shake the can	TBC
April	21	Community Market	Mark Dossor
	19-21	District Conference	
May	18	70th Anniversary	TBA
	19	Community Market	Mark Dossor

Golf Night at the Rotary Club of Alexandra

There were 8 members from the Rotary Club of Seymour who made their way over to the Rotary Club of Alexandra in a 12 seater bus for the hotly contested annual golf tournament; they were Greg and Ruth Byers, Jane Challis, Paulette Andrews, Alan Walton, Catriona and Eliot Jarman and our designated driver, Chris Bence. After taking the scenic tour of the Alexandra township, we arrived safely at our destination.

The Rotary meeting commenced with in house announcements from the Rotary Club of Alex who advertised the weekend's upcoming Cycle Dindi bike ride and also the Art Exhibition being held over Easter.

The Rotary Club of Seymour's talents were evidenced by our members' golfing styles:

Greg – who led the way by teeing off first in the competition

Alan – whose prowess on the bowling green was transferred onto the golfing green

Eliot – who earned the title of 'Scud' on the night

Catriona – who displayed her ambidextrous putting abilities

Jane – whose fashion conscience led her to match her bright pink shirt with a golf ball of the same colour

Chris – whose navigational skills in bus driving assisted with mastering the golf course

Paulette – whose enthusiasm with the social aspect of the tournament was evident

Ruth – who tied up the match with her tour de force golf swings

Despite our best attempts, the scores of both teams drew equal and a play off between Greg Byers and the Rotary Club of Alex's Bob Flowers ensued. The tension was palpable but unfortunately Greg's game was no match for Bob's superior skills.

Assistant Governor Sharon Fox declared her neutrality as a supporter of both Clubs (although we probably know where her true allegiance lay!) and formally announced Alex to be the winner. Greg Byers followed with a presidential speech expressing disappointment at handing back the golfing trophy (which a relieved Catriona no longer has to store in a certain spot in her house!) and emphasised the need for our Club members to 'lift their game' for next year. An invitation was also extended to the Rotary Club of Alex to participate in Seymour's footy night.

After the frivolity of the playoff, a BBQ dinner was enjoyed by all and the two raffle prizes both went to Alexandra's Club members.

The bus trip home allowed Chris to more thoroughly display his driving skills by successfully dodging both a wombat and a deer and we comfortably returned home in order to participate in our next Rotary event.

Written by Catriona Jarman



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Post Event Activities

This is a reminder to all that once an event is concluded there are things that need to be done so equipment is ready to go (possibly at short notice) for the next event.

I am mainly referring, here, to the trailer; it is not just push it back into the shed, shut the door, job done.

Any leftover food stuff needs to be got rid of, consumed or ditched.

The front cooler bins need to be emptied and the lids left partially open so mould and mildew do not form.

All of the bins with utensils, cleaning material etc need to be placed back on the shelves.

The condiments - sauces, mustard etc. are to be returned to the fridge.

If any of the eskies were used they need to be emptied wiped out and left open to dry completely so mould does not form.

Any dirty aprons and utensils will need to be washed by someone and returned to the correct storage boxes in the shed.

Finally the keys for the shed need to be returned to Halls Jewellers as soon as practical.

These are all common sense things that only take a few minutes to do and makes life easier for all.

Peter Holland



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