

Rotary
 Rotary Club of Seymour
Connecting with our community

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President: **Bill Dwyer** Secretary: **Bonnie Williams** Treasurer: **Peter Holland**

No 12. 21 September 2026

Coming Meetings

Unless otherwise noted, we meet at 6.30pm for 7pm

DATE / VENUE	28 Sept Royal Hotel	5 th October Royal Hotel	12 th October Royal Hotel
GUEST SPEAKER/ EVENT	Speaker: Outbound Exchange Student Millie Miller	African Drumming Experience	Rotary – past projects Speaker: John Keeffe
CHAIRPERSON	Fiona McCarthy	Bonnie Williams	TBA
TOAST	Jane Challis	Ron Halicki	TBA
CASHIER / RAFFLE	Catriona Jarman	Peter/Ann Holland	TBA
GREETER	Paulette Andrews	Dave Palmer	TBA

If you cannot perform your duties, please arrange someone else to do so and advise

President Bill, Ann Holland, Catriona Jarman or Alison Hall.

All Members: Please respond to meeting invitations to allow for easier catering.

SAVE THESE DATES

1st October

2nd & 3rd October

17th October

All Abilities Showcase

Seymour Show Gates

Trivia Night

Ruth Byers

Our chair for the evening, Dave Palmer, welcomed all in attendance. A special guest for the evening was Shannon who had recently been introduced to Rotary by his New Zealand grandfather. Shannon researched the Rotary Club of Seymour online and visited the Royal Hotel to meet us. Formal apologies were received from Viv Beaumont, Greg and Ruth Byers, Leanne and Russell Chapman, Ron Halicki, Alison Hall, Peter Holland, Liam Jones, Tony Lee, Fiona McCarthy, Kathy Mills, and Fred Sartori.

TOAST TO THE ROTARY E-CLUB OF CANADA ONE - ANN HOLLAND



The Rotary E-Club of Canada One was chartered on the 23rd February 2013 which coincided with Rotary International's 109th birthday. Club projects focus primarily on supporting childhood literacy, including Dolly Parton's imagination library, and assisting the children of lower income families in Mexico, Guatemala, Namibia, Lybia, Honduras and El Salvador. Canada ranks 12th in the world for both membership and its number of Rotary Clubs.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT – BILL DWYER

President Bill reported that the recent trip to the Grand Stupa in Bendigo had been successful. Upcoming activities for the Club include the All Abilities Basketball BBQ, the annual manning of the Seymour Show gates and our Trivia Night. The recent BBQ at Seymour's fishing festival in Goulburn Park was well received. A Club Assembly is to be held on Monday 26th October.





FROM CLUB MEMBERS

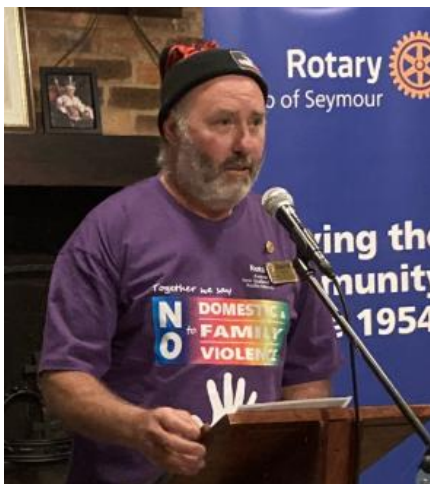
- **Bonnie** notified the Club that **Matt Brown** tickets for the 27th November will be on sale from 28th September. She also outlined Club program events: our outbound exchange student Millie Miller will speak to the Club next week and the following week, there will be a **drumming session** in the hotel beer garden – **cost \$25 per person**.

Bill, Bonnie, Ron, Mathew and Craig manning the fishing competition BBQ at Goulburn Park over the weekend.

The successful event raised \$1,200.



FOOTY NIGHT



In the lead up to Saturday's AFL Grand Final, Chair Dave Palmer hosted the annual Rotary Club of Seymour's Footy Night. Unfortunately, our rival competitors, the Rotary Club of Alexandra, were unable to share the evening with us. Nevertheless, the internal competition was fierce, and consisted of numerous fun footy facts on which members were later quizzed. There was also a footy handball and quoits playoff. Dave thanked the Seymour Football/Netball Club who provided the footballs for our use.



Alan was in fine footy form



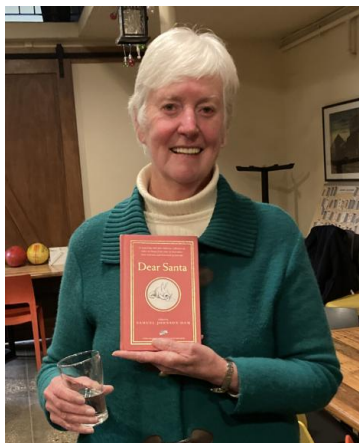
Shannon showed us his quoits technique

Adjudicator Bonnie announced that the competition between the “East” and “West” teams was a legitimate draw! Afterwards, the individual winners were declared:

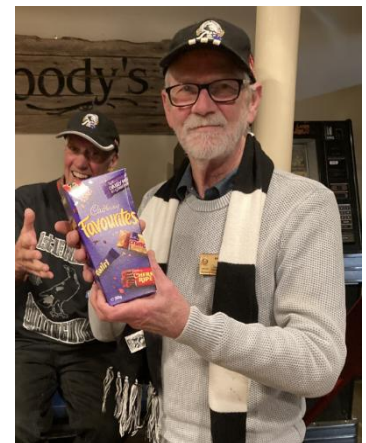
Overall Winner: Paulette Andrews (who scored ten points for the handball and an additional point for the quoits throw – she claimed that her skills came from playing with her brothers whilst growing up)

Runner-Up: Bill Dwyer (with a total of 3 quoits landing on the pin)

Quiz Winner: Mark Dossor (who wowed us with his footy knowledge which extended even beyond the Collingwood Football Club)



Winners Paulette Andrews and Mark Dossor with their prizes.





Freemantle Dockers vs Brisbane Lions

May the best team win on Saturday



RAFFLE WINNERS



Bill Dwyer
(who continues to add to
his chocolate collection)



Alan Walton (wine).

Alan drew his own
ticket for the Joker
Poker – Jack Clubs)



My thanks go to everyone who helped with the Bulletin during my absence.

- Ed.



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CAMPAIGN

WEEK SEVEN

ROTARY CLUB OF SEYMOUR PRESENTS

TRIVIA NIGHT

Saturday, 17 October 2026

\$20

Per person

Bring your own nibbles/supper

Lots of Games,
Auctions, Raffles and
of course TRIVIA!

QUIZ MASTER
• Ian Moore •

No BYO alcohol.
Drinks at bar prices.

Tables of 10 available.
Individuals placed
together on tables.

Seymour College Junior Games Hall, entry via Loco St, Seymour
Doors open at 6:15PM. Trivia starts at 7:00PM Sharp!

To book your table & tickets, please use the QR Code or
follow the link:
<https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1641096?embed>
For any enquires please call 0447 300 839

