

Rotary Club of Maungakiekie Bulletin / Newsletter NL 234 29th September 2025



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Meeting of the 29^{th of} September was a joint meeting with Remuera Rotary where the guest speaker was R.H David Seymour presenting a state of the Nation address.

Reported by our own Sergeant, Noel Carey, as a great night, with a large number of Rotarians, partners and guests attentive, as Hon David Seymour spoke on a number of pertinent topics and answered, a wide range of questions from the audience.

Next week 6th October. Guest speaker will be Troy Elliot. CEO of the Think and Be Me Foundation.

Duties 6th of October.

President: Paul Jenner Scribe: Bill Appleton

Attendance: Barry Stafford Hospitality: Rhett Stephens

Host: Jeanette Thorne Thanks: Trevor Mosley

Thought For the Week: Brian Williams

Guest speaker:

Apologies or attendance confirmation to Noel before 5.00pm Friday.

Club notices:

Remember 'The Joy of Walking' project is live, online.

The "Joy of Walking" is a 12-month community program by the Rotary Club of Maungakiekie, offering monthly self-guided walks in the Onehunga, One Tree Hill, and Epsom areas to encourage physical activity and community connection.

https://joyofwalking.nz/



Board Meeting 6th of October 4.00pm at Royal Oak Bowls.

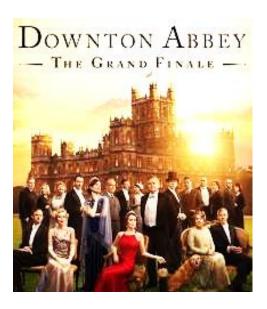
RYLA 2026

District are looking for expressions of interest in sending candidates to RYLA, (*Rotary Youth Leadership Awards*.) to be held in June 2026, at MERC Long Bay. Applications are required this year, 2025, to confirm numbers for planning. If anyone knows of suitable candidates, from your social group or family connections. Please advise Noel Carey.

Movie Night.

Monday the **13^{th of} October** will be a Movie Night at the Lido Epsom.

The film is **Downton Abbey: The Grand Finale.**Replaces our usual meeting that week. Please notify of your intention to attend, as soon as possible, to Gary Hays to facilitate the theatre booking.



Dates for November 2025 Rotary Club of Maungakiekie Bookfair:

Pamphlet dates:

- Monday 13th October- Printed stock delivered for splitting into delivery zones with maps.
- Monday 20th October- Pamphlet zone stock ready for Club Members pickup this night.
- Tuesday 21st October- Pamphlet delivery begins, and all delivered by Sunday 9th November.

Sorting dates: November

- Begin sorting.
- Monday 10th open Room 7-Sorting. Arrange banana boxes.
 Receive 2 x 3cum bins outside the deck, and setup using OC House tables.
- Tuesday 18th- open Room 4-Fiction and begin setup with extra tables.
- Wednesday 19th- open Room 6- Music, CDs, and NZ
- <u>Thursday 20th- 9am-</u> Take over whole House and setup Rooms 5-History, Sport, Art. Room 8- Children's books, toys, and puzzles.

Book fair times:

- <u>Friday21st- Open at 7am-9am</u> for Early Birds/dealers with \$30 entry fee and EFTPOS. Close 5pm
- Saturday 22nd- 9am to 5pm
- <u>Sunday 23rd- 9am to 12pm</u>. Last gasp sale to close at 2pm. (Marbecks etc.) Loadout residue to OJI fibre. Loadout tables and clean up.
- Monday 24th-9am Final checks and hand back to Tony and Miguel at OCH.



Happy Days! Bill Grayson

Smile: It makes people wonder what you have been up to





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End note. "Simplicity is the ultimate sophistication" –
 Leonardo da Vinci