



SEYMOUR ALTERNATIVE FARMING EXPO

14 – 16 February 2020 | seymourexpo.com.au

MEDIA RELEASE

28 January 2020

The whole family will be entertained at Seymour

Backflipping quad bikes, award-winning whip-crackers and some seriously talented kelpies – that's just some of the entertainment on offer for young and old at the Seymour Alternative Farming Expo.

Held in Seymour's Kings Park from Friday, February 14 to Sunday, February 16, event manager Jamie Gilbert said the 28th expo would have something for everyone, with plenty of new events to look forward to.

"This year's expo promises to be a fantastic day out for the whole family, for animal lovers and thrill-seekers alike," Mr Gilbert said.

"We've added the All 4 FMX quad bike demos to the entertainment line-up, which will be absolutely enthralling for visitors of all ages."

ALL 4 FMX rider Mitch Van Vliet said his team would be performing electrifying and nail-biting aerial tricks on motorbikes and quad bikes.

"We are the only team in Australia that has a backflipping quad-biker in our ranks," he said.

Mitch is a world-class rider, having won titles in Australia and China, while his team-mate and brother Jack currently ranks second in the world.

Although the Van Vliet brothers have seen glory on the international stage, Mitch said the smaller moments were what made it all worth it.

"My favourite part doesn't have to be a big trick, it's when you just seeing the reactions of the kids," he said.

"You go past, wave at a kid, and their face lights up – that's pretty special."



SEYMOUR ALTERNATIVE FARMING EXPO

14 – 16 February 2020 | seymourexpo.com.au

MEDIA RELEASE

There's plenty of other entertainment on offer at the expo, including *Australia's Got Talent's* flipping disc dogs, the 2020 AWPA Victorian Whipcracking and Bullock Whip Championships, Working Dog demonstrations, Harness Racing Victoria's HERO program, cooking demonstrations at the Country Kitchen and Butcher's Shop and Ag Skills Victoria Young Farmer Challenge, sponsored by The Weekly Times.

The Seymour Alternative Farming Expo will be held at Kings Park in Seymour from Friday, February 14 to Sunday, February 16.

For further information or to buy tickets online and save 15 per cent off the gate price, visit:

www.seymourexpo.com.au

To stay up to date, find Seymour Alternative Farming Expo on Facebook and Instagram.

[View and download event imagery](#)



SEYMOUR ALTERNATIVE FARMING EXPO

14 – 16 February 2020 | seymourexpo.com.au

MEDIA RELEASE

“On the quads myself and one of my brothers”

“I’ve retired from professional racing,

“he currently ranks number 2 in Australia on quad bikes, he’s still competing”

“I’ve won the Australian championship, the Chinese championship, and have gotten six in the world”

“Motor tricks have weird names”

“my favourite non backfluirp tricks include a cliff hanger – it looks like you’re standing on top of your handle bars”

“another one is a ruler, and you jump on top of your bike, and you’re doing a handstand on top of the bike”

“our first show of the year, we’re changing things up a bit, we’re testing our new format and we’ve got some new tricks up our sleeve”

Victor Bonacci – pretty passionate about quad bikes. When we were racing in Italy he was our translator, and we’ve known each other since we were little kids. Total coincidence.

Media Contact

Emma Bridgland

Marketing & Administration Co-ordinator | MMG Events

media@seymourexpo.com.au
Mobile: 0417 490 783 | Office: 5820 3161
7940 Goulburn Valley Hwy, Kialla, Vic, 3630
PO Box 204, Shepparton, Vic, 3632