

RSAA President is awarded the Medal of the Order of Australia

It was announced in the Queen’s Birthday Honours List on Monday June 11 last year that the President of the RSAA Bill Callaghan had been awarded the Medal of the Order of Australia “*For service to community health through the Rett Syndrome Association of Australia*”.

Articles on his award were published in two local newspapers, namely, the Geelong Advertiser and the Geelong News, in which he was quoted as saying the medal was for everyone who has supported RSAA over the years.

Bill is honoured to be a recipient and very grateful to those individuals who nominated him for the award or acted as referees. He intends to use it as a means of drawing community attention to Rett syndrome.

Investiture of the Medal took place at Government House, Melbourne, in early November.



Government House Melbourne – Bill (at left) is presented with his award by the Governor of Victoria, the Honourable Alex Chernov