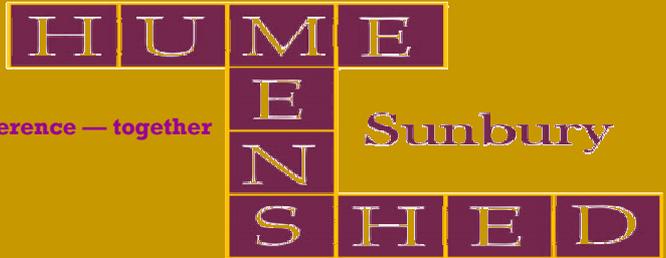


**October
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Shedders News

SCAMMER ALERT by Rod Jackson



Hope everyone is hanging in there with the lockdowns. Over last 4 months that we have been in lockdown the rise of Scammer/Cyber

It is also the same for the Australia crime authority, NBN and the Taxation Department.

Most of the phone call are from mobile numbers that they have made just so you answer it..

Just hang up on them. Yes I do play with with me when they call where I maybe on the phone with them for about 10min then call them a scammer they do not like this but that means I have hung up their phone system so they cannot get anyone else while they have me.

The best thing is I you do not know the number is don't answer it and if there is no voice message from the caller just don't call the number back. They don't leave messagers.

It is the same for power and phone companies looking for you to change.

Phone TXT messages

The phone TXT messages look like this

Item AZ57111E is due for delivery on (n) the next working day. Alternative delivery options here <http://blog.kloshart.pl/o/?6wrp3migmo> 9

I do a lot of online shopping and I only get emails from the people that I buy from.

This example has come from my phone. Some times it will say DHL or some other courier names. Yes I get ones from Couriers please but all they say is that it is on it way. See Below

From 26874377757

Your parcel is on route for delivery today, link to track <https://nxt.to/iE6XJhu> CouriersPlease.

It always come from the same number all the time. A lot of the scammer number are +61 4xxxx xxx.

Best thing is if not sure, don't open it don't answer it or reply to it. That is the best way to stay cyber safe.

attacks have gone through the roof.

They come as Emails, Phone calls and Messages on your mobile phones.

Here is an example of one through the email;

"McAfee Security has been auto renewed

Email address McAfee Security mcafeesecure02@gmail.com

Please contact us and log into your account by the link below."

In this example, the first thing you will look at is the email address it came from a "gmail.com" and all emails from McAfee come from support@mcafee.com

Also important is that McAfee will not contact you at all.

Once you click onto any of the links in the email they give you, it will take you to the scammers home page. Also do not call the phone number the supplied that is another way they can get you.

Phone calls

The phone call go like this

This is Amazon calling you need to talk to one of our team due to being over charged \$99.00 please press 1 to talk to our refund person.

This is scammer calling you.

What they want you to do is to start up your P.C. or Laptop to get into it, Once you do that, they will try and take control of your computer. Alternatively they could want to go to the bank and draw out money.

Using Shed Material and Equipment for personal use? Don't forget to make a donation

President Report

October 2021



Hi Shedders,

October already and I hope everyone is doing their very best to stay healthy and active.

If you know of anyone doing it tough at the moment please either let me know or any other Committee

Members and we can

try and help to the best of our ability.

We live in hopes for the next milestone in our road map out of this covid lockdown and hoping that it wont be long before we can open the shed and all be together once more.

Before everyone is allowed back though, we have to have a working bee for the Committee to make sure everything is safe for all our members to return, together with our covid safe plan in operation for all

Members.

We have had a couple of members sick (not covid) and we wish them all the best for a speedy recovery, especially the ones that have been or are still in hospital at the moment.

With not much else happening with the shed not open, there is not a lot to report.

I must give a shout out to The Star newspaper for the two excellent articles which were run on the Hume Mens Shed.

You can keep in touch on a Zoom meeting every Thursday morning, run by Peter Canning and our Committee Meetings are still going ahead via Zoom also.

Quilty is still missing her cuddles and can't wait to get back to see you all.

Remember "YOU NEVER NEVER KNOW IF YOU NEVER HAVE A GO"

Ted Riley

The Art of Silence

Recently Pete was reading an article and mention was made of a Japanese conversation strategy which uses the art of silence as a response in difficult or problematic situations.

It is known as *mokusatsu*, and in typical Japanese fashion it has several different meanings depending on the circumstances in which it is used.

Its literal meaning is "Death By Silence". Examples are:

Government:

"We're thinking about it" Amazingly this was the 'silence' response used by the Japanese government when the US said "if you don't surrender we'll drop a bomb on you like the world has never seen" Ten days later Fat Man exploded over Hiroshima.

I'm Feeling Generous:

"Waiting for wisdom before speaking". Can be interpreted as 'you are cleverer than me so I'll shut my mouth so that I don't provide you with added proof.'

I'm Feeling Dismissive:

"Waiting until there is something worth talking about". Can be interpreted as 'your conversation/suggestion is without intelligence and I just can't be bothered to respond.'

Sometimes 'aggro' people just want to stick the branch in the bees' nest. If there's no response they're more likely to go and poke another nest.

Contributed by Pete Hobbs

Don't wait to be asked to volunteer, offer to volunteer

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Minutes of Meeting 138 Tuesday 19th October 2021 9.30am

Minutes of previous meetings

Correspondenc

17 items of correspondence

New Members/ Membership renewal

General Business

1/ Names of who will attend Shed for 1st day clean up, set up and machine service so we can contact them.

Also for test & tag morning the next day

Machine Maintenance new manual set up

Day we open maintenance

Test and Tag next day

2/ VMSA newsletter states that they are awaiting direction re compulsory vaccinations in the shed

VMSA now confirmed compulsory vaccinations

Everyone to get double vaccinated

Vaccination registers at sign in station

Mark name badge with a sticker to show vaccination registered

Covid Safety marshal - appoint Rob Musson

3/ ACNC documents for 2020/21 has been lodged online

4/ PA system for shed Review once we open

5/ Location of donated pantograph to be In the engraving area

6/ Annual Fees Due to Covid closure, reduction of fee to \$25 for 2022/23 for members as at 30/6/22.

7/ Container ok to go ahead once planning permit obtained.

For the protection of all members



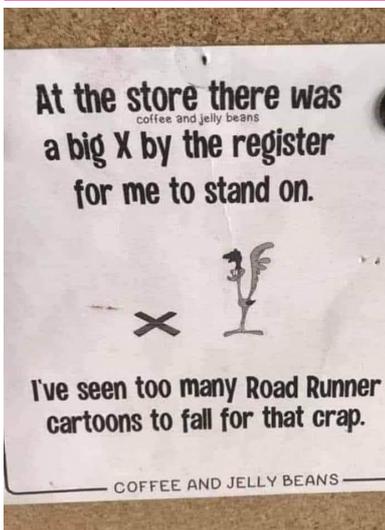
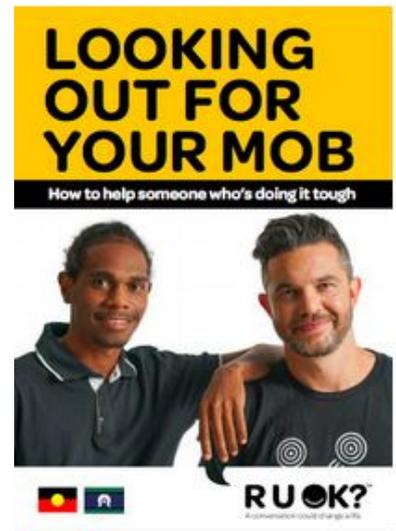
All members visitors and prospective members

MUST BE FULLY VACINATED

BEFORE ENTERING THE SHED

A vaccination register will be at the sign in desk

Evidence of vaccination must be produced



 **Social distance**
 **Sanitise hands frequently**
 **Wear a mask**
 **Get tested if unwell and stay home**



My kids say they want a cat for Christmas.

Normally I do a turkey but hey, if it'll make 'em happy...

A sign posted outside a Uniting Christian Church, Burwood East, Vic. reads "You can't change the beginning. Start now and change the end"!!!

Have you looked at our web page lately??

<https://sunburymensshed.com>

The web site is constantly being updated and suggestions are very welcome.

Pages on the site include;

All the Newsletters

Photo Gallery

Contacts and links etc etc

How Ken Wannel Kept Himself Occupied during Lockdown

How I have kept myself occupied and somewhat sane, (some would argue otherwise) during these @%\$#! Lockdowns As you may have read in the May newsletter, I like to paint. Painting has been one way for me to try and have a "normal" life. I cannot complain really. Apart from not being able to see family (miss the grandkids terribly) and friends, or actually travel anywhere, I have not suffered the financial stresses, lost my job or had to close a failing business, that a lot of others have. I have endeavoured to keep our (Sunbury Art Society) members "connected" with a weekly challenge. Each week I post a challenge topic and members are asked to paint a picture relating to the topic. We have had some brilliant pieces submitted.

Some of my own work for topics
 Geometry Memories Antique



Friends

an Old Master... the Outback Dunny...



We are now working on Challenge week 44. The other hobby I have is Chip Carving. My father taught me this skill a very long time ago – something he learned in the Repat Hospital during WWII. I am not as good as he was – just sticking to basic shapes. I find this a very relaxing and rewarding exercise. I usually focus on old wooden cigar boxes – when I can find them but I have done a couple of bigger pieces on large boards – they used to be the backing of the picture boards in the old red rattler trains. The knives are hand crafted out of old bone handled table knives.



That's me. Hope you are all keeping yourselves sane. Thanks for letting me be part of this great organisation. Happy to have a chat anytime. Cheers.
 Ken Winnell



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OR open up zoom and enter the following
meeting ID and passcode.

Meeting ID: 788 894 0705

Passcode: L4nEsX

RETIRED DOCTOR

An elderly, retired doctor became very bored in his retirement,
so decided to open a medical clinic.

He put a sign up outside that said: "Dr. JONES clinic. Get your
treatment for \$500, if not cured, get back \$1,000."

A young physician, Doctor MALLARD, saw the sign.

He was positive that the old doctor didn't know anything about
modern medicine, and thought this would be a great
opportunity to get \$1,000.

So he went to see the old doctor.

Dr. MALLARD: "Dr. JONES, I have lost all taste in my mouth.
Can you please help me?"

Dr. JONES: "Nurse, please bring medicine from Box 22 and
put three drops in Dr. YOUNG's mouth."

Dr. MALLARD: "Aaagh! This is petrol!"

Dr. JONES: "Congratulations! You have your taste back.
That will be \$500."

Dr. MALLARD: Gets annoyed and goes back after a couple of
days figuring to recover his money.

Dr. MALLARD: "I have lost my memory, I cannot remember
anything."

Dr. JONES: "Nurse, please bring medicine from Box 22 and
put three drops in the patient's mouth."

Dr. MALLARD: "Oh, no you don't, that's petrol!"

Dr. JONES: "Congratulations! You have your memory back.
That will be \$500."

After having lost \$1,000, Dr. MALLARD leaves angrily and
comes back after several more days.

Dr. MALLARD: "My eyesight has become weak... *I can hardly
see anything!*"

Dr. JONES: "Well, I don't have any medicine for that so, "
Here's your \$1,000 back."

Giving him a \$10 note.

Dr. Mallard: "But this is only \$10!"

Dr. JONES: "Congratulations! You have your vision back!
That will be \$500."

MORAL OF STORY:

Just because you're young doesn't mean you can outsmart an
old guy.

REMEMBER:

Don't make old people mad.

We don't like being old in the first place, so it doesn't take
much to p us off.



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"People matter - so, we'll never stop caring."

MEMBERSHIP CARD

Membership cards are now available to paid up members.
 Please see the secretary, treasurer or assistant secretary to get your card.
 Remember Elite Tyres and Harvey Norman Sunshine will give members a discount



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