

**October
2022**

Making friends, making a difference — together

**H U M E
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S H E D**
Sunbury

\$HEDDERS NEWS\$



The story that goes with these photos is on page 2



Attention all Sheddors

if you use any machinery

please clean up after your self

Friends of Aileu 2022 Trivia Night on Thursday 6 October.

Thank you so much for supporting the Friends of Aileu 2022 Trivia Night on Thursday 6 October. Please send our gratitude onto the Sunbury Men's Shed as well.

With the help of your generous donation, **we raised more than \$15,500!**

The items donated by the Men's Shed raised the following amounts:

- Wine and glass holder - \$35
 - Noughts and crosses - \$30
 - Key ring holder - \$40
 - Clock - unknown (apologies the winner must have taken the bid sheet with them)
- Tool box - part of the raffle which raised \$920 in total

These funds will go directly to supporting our Scholarship Program in Aileu, East Timor. These scholarships provide young Timorese people with the opportunity to attend university, follow their dreams and achieve economic independence. These funds are particularly important at present, as the people of Aileu recover economically following the pandemic, lockdowns, and a devastating cyclone.



The Sheddies



BUNNINGS

SAUSAGE SIZZLE

Sunday 18th December 2022

We need volunteers for all shifts

Please advise if you can assist

President Report

October 2022

On a Pleasing note I would like to recognize John Callaghan from Calco Electrical for his ongoing support and donation, as always local support is appreciated by the Shed.



The progress of the Emergency systems is almost complete, the speakers and emergency Buttons are now fully functional. As an extra measure warning strobe lights for the hearing impaired have been installed in the two workshops. The outstanding item is an extra Camera over the metal shop door.

The security cameras are now accessible remotely by a mobile phone app. The security system can also be managed via an app removing the need to employ a security management firm at a cost saving to the Shed, whilst also providing the ability to arm/disarm the system remotely. The new security camera in the timber storage area has been installed with an additional unit over the Metal Shop. Many thanks to Four Aces for their assistance in this area.

The Metal cutting Bandsaw donated by Dieter's sons work has been made functional at a minor cost and will prove an asset for us. Kevin has constructed a frame on wheels from existing parts to make the saw fully moveable, this machine is now located near Woody's bench. Please ensure you are fully trained on its use before operating it. This asset has enabled the sale of the existing cold saw for \$1200 wins all around.

Rob is organizing a Xmas lunch for members and their partners ensure you add your name to the list pinned on the notice board if you are interested in attending. Payment and your order will be required before the event, keep your eyes peeled for the details of when this is required.

The tree branches supplied by WINSLOW INFRASTRUCTURE although not suitable for the intended use have provided us with a modest cash influx, members have also availed themselves to small amounts for their private use. It all needs to go so if you can use some help yourself.

The Bunnings sausage sizzles 8th of October was very successful, however, as usual filling the staffing requirements is challenging, thanks to the usual's who volunteer, we have one on the 18th of December and would appreciate some new blood, put your name on the list.

It's nice to see Gary back on deck and recovering.

Work has begun on the items for the upcoming garage sale, we can always use more items to sell so if you have any ideas time to get producing.

MENU

7 COURSE IRISH MEAL

6 PINTS & A POTATO

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

SECRETARY REPORT

October 2022

17 items of correspondence were dealt with

General Business

Guest speakers , when how why. Rob to organize speakers

Review Bunnings Sausage sizzle – cash security, volunteers

Make up checklist and procedure document detailing shutdown, money etc

Christmas Lunch Friday 9th December Langama Park. Mitchell lane Cost \$18 seniors meal. Time of arrival 11.30. Meal starts 12.00. Cost of senior meal with desert and have baskets of garlic bread on table. Shed to pay for garlic bread and initial jug of soft drinks and juice on table.

We supply name and details of which meal is wanted 7 days before function. Members to pay and book by Thursday 1st December

RATs test, Mask and sanitizer donation from City Of Hume. Available to members at the shed.

Cold Saw sell on Facebook for \$1000

PAYPAL Cancelled. PAYPAL was cancelled due to an attempt to access the account. The account was only used to direct debit our account, EBAY sales etc. A PAYPAL in the Shed's name charges a commission of 2.6% plus 30c per transaction, it is recommended that we do not use PAYPAL in the future.

FACEBOOK currently controlled by Rod Jackson under his personal account. Requested Rod to open a shed Facebook and create a new Facebook page for the shed and give us the sign in and passwords.

UPS (Uninterruptible Power Supply) for the NBN Modem, alarm and cameras. It prevents an intruder from turning off the power to the shed to disable the alarm and cameras Currently if the power goes off we would not have internet. The alarm monitoring and the camera monitoring goes through the internet.

The UPS is a battery backup and also ensures a steady power supply to the equipment. Appropriate size of UPS to be investigated and quote sent to committee members for approval

Better shelf support for the equipment in the office. Currently all the communication, alarm, internet and cameras are on shelves which are not designed for that weight. The UPS would increase the weight on those shelves substantially. Possible use of rack and if not better shelving.

The collection of timber after the conclusion of the horse racing season as per previous years also mentioned the possibility of pallet racking (Donation) . Question do we want either where do we store it. Committee decided to go ahead with the timber and also investigate where we could install the pallet racking

Hairnets and beard nets to be worn when preparing food. Nets to be ordered

Fire sprinklers installation. Await Ted's report from his son.



If you never have a go you will never know

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One of our members, Jon Fettes uses his skills in making furniture from discarded pallets





GARAGE SALE

3RD. DECEMBER

VARIETY OF PRE LOVED GOODS



SHEDDERS

PLEASE WEAR YOUR NAME TAG

WHILST IN THE SHED.

REASONS:

IT IDENTIFIES YOU TO FELLOW MEMBERS

IT SHOWS WHETHER YOU ARE ALLOWED TO USE THE SHED EQUIPMENT

IT SHOWS IF YOU ARE A FIRST AIDER AND OR COMMITTEE MEMBER

Don't like your photo or no photo on the name tag.

Easy see someone in the office and get a new one taken



A little old man shuffled slowly into an ice cream parlor and pulled himself slowly, painfully, up onto a stool.

After catching his breath, he ordered a banana split.

The waitress asked kindly, "Crushed nuts?"

"No," he replied, "Arthritis."



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Wheel alignments

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and many more.**



Thanks to Dieter for securing the saw and also Kevin Wood, Trevor Dunn and Kevin Swaffield for getting it all prepared for the shed

What happens in the shed stays in the shed

GARDENERS WANTED

Barry (Bazza) would like more help and assistance within the garden, so if any one has a green thumb let Barry know and he will



**I HATE IT WHEN YOU CAN'T
FIGURE OUT HOW TO OPERATE
THE IPAD AND THE RESIDENT
TECH EXPERT IS ASLEEP.**

BECAUSE HE'S 5.

AND IT'S PAST HIS BEDTIME.

Birthday's for the month of October

Barry Kelly
Milton Oliver
Annesley Caspersz
Ian Thompson
Graeme Simmons
Arnold Sharpe
Stan Petryk
Narayan Lingam

Brian Girdwood
Ian O'Brien
Keil Maslen
Geoff Fanning
David Balfour
Victor Swain
Karl Woetzel
Milvan Francescutti



New sheddies for the month of October

No new members



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SHED DETAILS

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