

May
2023

Making friends, making a difference — together



SHEDDERS NEWS

Membership renewal for 2023—2024

An invitation to renew your membership was sent out on the 1st May 2023.

Please contact secretary Albert, if you have not received the renewal notice.

Please note:

After you receive your invoice in early June, then you can pay your fees

Membership fee:\$42

Insurance levy:.....\$25

Total of \$67 for 2023/2024 financial year

You may remember that last year the committee decided to half the annual from \$42 to \$21 for the 2022/2023 financial year. This was done due to the pandemic.

Food handling Course

Please contact Secretary if you are interested in doing an online Food Handling Course

The course will be funded by the Hume City Council

Limited to 10 participants

NOTE: participants MUST be willing to volunteer for Friday lunches

President Report

May 2023



Pleased to report that we have received a \$500 cheque from the Commonwealth Bank Community Donations Program. This is due to the community choosing their favorite local organization (The Hume Mens Shed Sunbury) to receive a funding boost from the Community Donations Program.

This funding will be used for the benefit of the members, stay tuned for how it will be used.

The request from the Sunbury branch of the SES for two outdoor picnic tables has resulted in an unexpected result. Ian Lupson noticed that there were a number of these type of settings at a council depot, sitting gathering dust. An enquiry by Ian to the right person has resulted in two being donated to the Shed for restoration and passing on to the SES. Nice work Ian.

The children's table and chairs jobs are progressing nicely Andrew, Garry and Steve have produced a number ready for delivery.

Special thanks to those members that braved the freezing conditions on Sunday 7th May at the Bunnings Sausage Sizzle, they achieved a great result considering the conditions.

We have received an order for four Lego Robotics build/display table tops from the Sunbury Heights Primary School, this will be a challenging build given the precise dimensions that need to be achieved. I am sure the boys involved are up for the challenge, feel free to offer them assistance. The Principle has inspected the prototype and is very happy with Fred's build the three remaining will be completed as per the prototype.

The Macedon Ranges Montessori Preschool children's tables and chairs have been partly delivered, great work guys. The two large tables have also been collected by the kindergarten it is great to see these projects producing such good results.

I have been informed by the Hume City Council Property and Leasing Department that the rear fence will be built/ reinstated from next Monday 15 May. Be aware that there will be some disruptions to parking. This will enable us to provide parking for extra vehicles, thanks to the efforts of Maria at the council.

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

Secretary Report

May 2023

General Business

- 1/ Do we need to construct a program to get members to volunteer for work on future sausage sales by a roster. Decided to keep doing the present manner.
- 2/ Arrange a midyear function such as a Xmas in July or a lawn bowling event. Arrange for after the AGM. Rob and Andrew to organize.
- 3/ Food handling certification City of Hume will pay for 10 members. Members to be invited to participate on the understanding that they will assist with Friday lunches.
- 4/ Ian Phillips has take up the position of Vice President leaving the position of Assistant Secretary vacant. David Balfour has volunteered to be the Assistant Secretary for the remainder of this term. Under our constitution the committee is able to fill a casual position.
- 5/ A Ryobi battery has died. New after market Lithium Ryobi Battery 6.0ah can be bought on EBAY for \$60.99 or 2 for \$115.88 .Authorised to purchase twin pack from Bunnings at a cost of \$199 and hand in 2 dead batteries for \$50 credit each.
- 6/ Interested in the big table. To be offered one of our work benches for \$50. We keep the table donated by Bunnings.
- 8/ We received a notice of cyber attack on our web site. We believe it is a scam but reported to REPORT CYBER.
- 9/ Hume Community Grants are now open. Andrew Wilson will be taking over Grants Officer from AGM

Don't leave your mess for some one else to clean up



We received a grant from the Commonwealth Bank of \$500. The cheque was presented by the manager of the Sunbury Branch Kelly Forsyth

The team at CBA Sunbury have again selected your organisation to participate in our National Community donations program.

Differing from previous years this year our customers will be given the option to vote between 2 local community organisations.

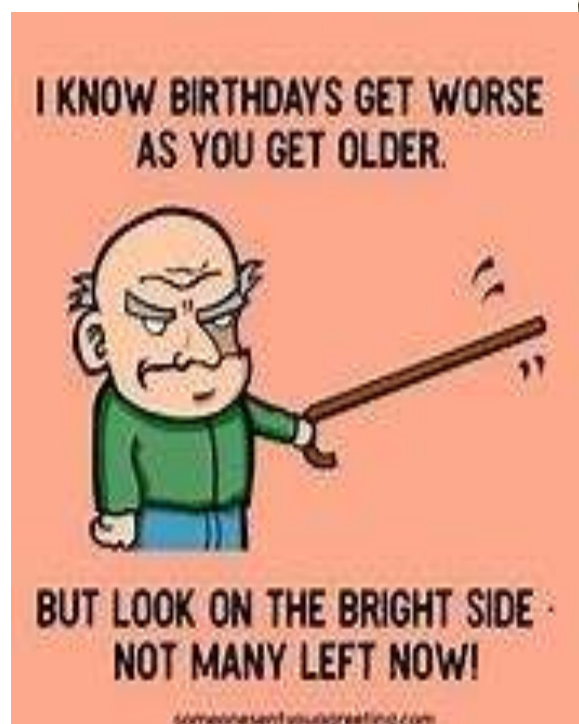
Our shed received the highest number of votes. Thanks you to all members, their families and friends as well as the general public for voting for our shed

Attached is president Dale receiving the cheque from Kelly Forsyth the manager of the Commonwealth Bank Sunbury

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These table and seats were donated by the Hume City Council to the Mens Shed, and then we donated them to the SES Sunbury

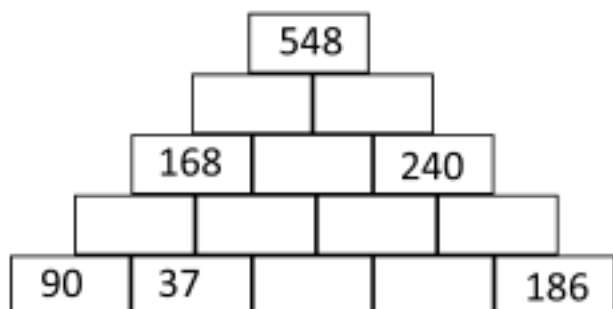
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What happens in the shed stays in the shed

A reminder to all Sheddies,

It is **your responsibility** to clean up your own mess, don't wait until your mother comes to clean it for you



Find the missing numbers in this pyramid, bearing in mind that the numbers in each square correspond to the sum of the numbers in the two squares placed immediately below

I bought my friend 4 pregnancy tests they all came out positive now she's crying💔

😞 .. She asked how will she feed 4 kids 😞



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



REGENERATE ENGINEERING



Family Problems

HOW OLD IS YOUR GRANDFATHER, GIVEN THAT:

HE IS TWO YEARS OLDER THAN HIS WIFE WHO WAS BORN 8 YEARS AFTER HER SISTER WHO IS TWICE AS OLD AS YOUR MOTHER'S COUSIN WHO IS 5 YEARS YOUNGER THAN YOUR MOTHER WHO HAS JUST CELEBRATED HER 40TH BIRTHDAY

To YOU it may only be a shed but to ME it's a sanctuary

Birthday's for the month of May

Better to be an old fart
than a dumb ass.



Happy Birthday!

Happy Birthday Old Man © www.drawing.com

ROBERT MUSSON

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New sheddie for the month of May

LACHLAN DODD

COMPASSION NORTH



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

STAY SAFE, STAY HEALTHY

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

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