



26th August 2019

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Open: 27th – 29nd August 2019
10.00 – 3.00pm

Endeavour Hills Men's
Shed

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Guest Speakers

Men's Activities

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ENDEAVOUR HILLS
MEN'S SHED
16 Essex Park Drive
Endeavour Hills
Tuesdays, Wednesdays and
Thursdays
10 am – 3.00pm

This week at Endeavour Hills Mens Shed

Tuesday – Shed open from 10.00 am to 3.00 pm. Supervisor Paul Morris

Wednesday - Shed open from 10.00 am to 3.00 pm. Supervisor John Thornton

Thursday - Shed open from 10.00 am to 3.00 pm. Supervisor – Doug Rowley

Please call the nominated supervisor if you need any assistance.

Our lease times are Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Last week



President Trevor with guest speaker from Parkinson's Victoria, Victor McConerey.

83,000 Australians have Parkinson's Disease. Over 1% of the population over 60 yo are affected. 27 cases are diagnosed daily increasing by 4% per annum. 20% of people diagnosed are over 60, with 50% being under 40.

There is no known cause and no known cure for Parkinson's
More information go to <https://www.parkinsonsvic.org.au>

Scalextric



This was the first week of testing our new Scalextric equipment. After set-up, Rudi challenged Paul to a race but failed to stay on the track long enough to win.

Plans are underway for our Hornby 00 set up.

Grafting



Our second annual grafting day was held at Ivan's house. Ivan demonstrated fruit tree grafting and Tony C taught us how to draft tomatoes.



The demonstrations were followed by an excellent lunch thanks to Ivan with home made red wine (Tony), skinless sausages in bread, followed by orange cake (Maureen) and coffee.



This week

Satan's Computer's, the music group with soup for lunch cooked by Chef Andras.

NEW BUILDING



A meeting with council officers/councilors with the Committee to address the latest requirements and budget for our new shed will be held on Wednesday 28th August 2019.

President Trevor has submitted our application for a State Government Grant for up to \$80,000. It took several emails to get all our information submitted. We now must wait until later in the year to see if we are successful.

Please all shedders put your thinking caps on, we will need to continue fundraising after our permanent shed is built to cover outgoings for the new build. If you have an idea please follow it through **yourself before** presenting it at a meeting. Trevor is working very hard behind the scenes but cannot do it alone nor should he, we all want a shed so let's all help.

Grant applications:

The Casey Cardinia Foundation - 2019 Community Grants, are now OPEN.

The Casey Cardinia Foundation is inviting applications from community groups, charities and not-for-profit organisations from within the City of Casey and Cardinia Shire, to apply for a Community Grant.

Applications open: 7 August 2019

Applications close: 5:00pm, 9 September 2019

STRONGER COMMUNITY GRANTS PROGRAMME ROUND 5

The Stronger Communities Program (SCP) Round 5 will provide up to \$150,000 of funding in the federal electorate of Bruce for small capital projects which improve community participation and contribute to the vibrancy and viability of our local communities.

Grants of between \$2,500 and \$20,000 are available for capital projects.

Closing by 5.00pm on Friday 13 September 2019.

Cricket Scoreboards

We still have many scoreboards to sell, all members should try and find a home for one, at least. We have three in the top storeroom and more at the DAA Office in Doveton.

David's, Jokes – new weekly segment.

HOW THE FIGHT STARTED

My wife and I were watching Who Wants To Be A Millionaire while we were in bed.
I turned to her and said, 'Do you want to have sex?'
'No,' she answered.
I then said, 'Is that your final answer?'
She didn't even look at me this time, simply saying, 'Yes..'
So I said, "Then I'd like to phone a friend."
And that's when the fight started...

Forthcoming Events

28th August Committee meeting with Councilors and officers to review the progress on our permanent shed.

30th August (Friday) Bunnings BBQ

7th September (Saturday) Promotional table at Shopping Centre.

9th September



Projects

- Construction of base and installation of Scalextric Racing Set
- Construction of base and installation of Hornby OO train set.
- Mounting of 23 Barometers
- Woodwork Toys

We have more models to work from i.e.: - Truck, Steam Roller. Please call in on our project days Wednesday & Thursday to help. Neil E has plans for a grader



Plans are available to commence project now

Shedders we have the equipment please roll up on **Wednesday & Thursdays** to make the most of our project days

Great to see members, making use, of our project days. Airplanes galore

Guys if you are looking for anything in the storerooms. Just ask Neill B he knows where everything is.

Endeavour Hills Men's Shed Committees

Program

Graeme Seymour
Andras Jakab
Neil Bennet
John Grennan

BBQ

Stan Ashley
Ivan Stiglic
Graeme Seymour

Management

Trevor Ratcliffe John Grennan
Doug Rowley Neil Bennet
Paul Morris Laurie Canfield
John Thornton

Working with Children Checks held by:

John Grennan
Geoff Brown
Doug Rowley
Howard DeZylva
Stan Ashley
Paul Morris
Gordon Harris
Geoff Lacey
Neil Evans
David Robinson

Tony Phillips
Neil Bennett
Andras Jakab
David Taylor
Brian Ashworth
Hans van Dyk
Robert Kay
Will Beattie
David Taylor

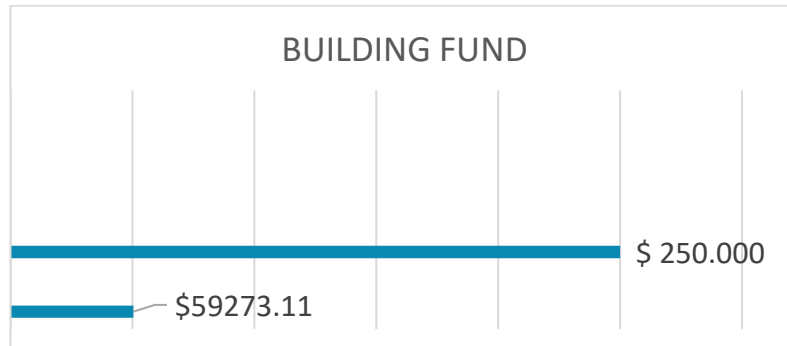
First Aiders:

Trevor Ratcliffe
Paul Morris
Doug Rowley
John Thornton
Brian Ashworth
Neil Bennet
Tony Cannata
Howard De Zylva
Garrick Williams

Building Fund

As always thanks for the amazing donations and thanks to the BBQ team.

We have increased our building fund target to \$250,000 but does not include the latest council estimates.



The balance of the No 1 Account is \$ 8096.26.

Grants Pending State Gov \$80.000

Grants promised City of Casey \$600.000