



7th October 2019

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**Open: 8th – 10th October 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.



Left: Photo missing from last week's bulletin.
Brian giving his presentation.

Below: David and Tony C at the Bunnings Family Day on Saturday.



Thanks to Doug, Robert Graeme and John Grennan for manning the promotional table at the Endeavour Hills Shopping Centre on Saturday.

More from Bunnings family day



The mobile phone holders were popular with children and the young at heart.

I missed a great photo opportunity when one of our members got excited with the glue container.

Fortunately, there was no damage done.

Committee Meetings

Your Committee meets regularly to ensure that all things in the shed runs smoothly (most of the time) and that we, as a shed, we meet our targets and look to the long term by actively managing our strategic plan as a living document.

The building Committee met on 25th September to review the concept plan prior to the meeting with council.

The management committee met on 1st October to discuss the Strategic Plan, in addition to Men's Health, ongoing fundraising and membership growth were discussed to ensure that we have a smooth transition into our new shed and that we are able to meet our financial outgoings for power, water and other demands.

A special thanks to those non committee members who do a fantastic job organizing things like Bunnings BBQ's (Stan Ashley, John Grennan and Graeme Seymour), the program (Andras Jakab) and the Tuesday lunches.

With our recent activities outside the Shed, the Bunnings BBQ's on Grand Final Day and last week and the Family Day, we have raised another \$1300 an excellent result.

NEW BUILDING

Work will start in January and be completed by the end of June.

At a recent meeting with council officers the detail of the Shed was discussed, everything was very positive, Angie confirmed that solar panels will be included on the roof. This was followed up on an email to Angie with some comments re the overall size of the building. Officers will now work on the tender documents to be released mid-November with a closing date 21 days later.

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.

Our President has applied for these plus other grants

Grants Pending State Gov \$80.000

Grants promised City of Casey \$600.000

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 Weekly Joke

When our lawn mower broke my wife kept nagging me to get it fixed. But I always had something else to take care of. Finally, she thought of a clever way to make her point. I found her seated in the tall, unmown grass, busily snipping away with a tiny pair of scissors. I watched silently for a short time and then went into the house. I was gone only a minute, and when I came out again, I handed her a toothbrush. I said, "When you finish cutting the grass, you might as well sweep the driveway." The doctors say I will walk again, but I will always have a limp.

Projects

- Construction of base and installation of Scalextric Racing Set – completed.
- 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. Sandy has plans for a grader now completed plus truck money box's

Plans are available to commence projects 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.

WOODWORK MODLENG



Sandy and his handy work

Endeavour Hills Men's Shed Committees

Program

Graeme Seymour
Andras Jakab
Neil Bennett
John Grennan

BBQ

Stan Ashley
Ivan Stiglic
Graeme Seymour

Management

Trevor Ratcliffe
Doug Rowley
Paul Morris
John Thornton
John Grennan
Neil Bennett
Laurie Canfield
Neil Evans
Robert Kay

Working with Children Checks held by:

First Aiders:

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

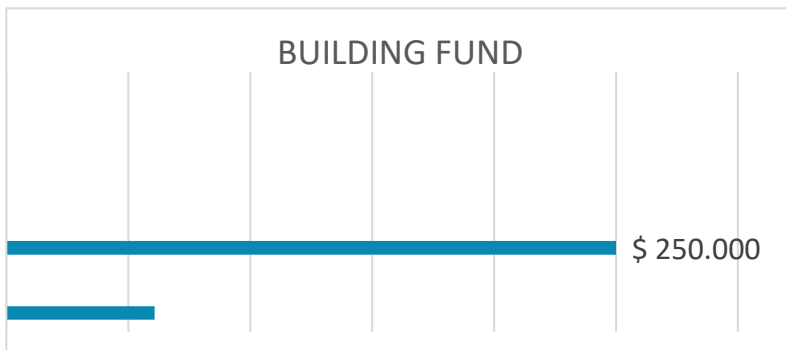
Tony Phillips
Neil Bennett
Andras Jakab
David Taylor
Brian Ashworth
Hans van Dyk
Robert Kay
Will Beattie
David Taylor

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

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



The balance of the No 1 Account is **\$ 7705.87**

The balance of the No 2 Account is **\$ 60,839.45**

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