



Issue 5 # 11

Shedding Endeavour's

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FB - Endeavour Hills Men's Shed



Men's Activities

Guest Speakers.

We are now meeting at the new shed at Sydney Pargeter Reserve Endeavour Hills

10.00 –15.00 on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, soon to increase to Friday and Saturday.

This week we will meet at the New Shed on Tuesday at 10.00 am, after our meeting the setup of the workshop will continue.

Music Group

The Ukulele group will meet at the new shed from 12-2.00 pm on Tuesdays.

The guitar group will meet at the new shed from 12.30 – 3.00pm on Thursdays.

We will have a person on the door to ensure that you sanitize your hands and log in to the new identity QR check point using a mobile phone which is a compulsory requirement. Your number and first name will be recorded for 28 days in case there is a breakout, and you need to be contacted.

Note any breaches will result in 12 months suspension of the meetings for the Men's Shed.

(not just the offending member)

- Apologies from Max Brockbank, John Grennan, David Robinson, Howard de Zylva, John Thornton and Tony Rotunno.
- No table at the EH Shopping Centre this week.
- We are having difficulty obtaining a Certificate of Currency from our insurance broker.
- Fishing trip on Friday, see Garrick.
- The thickener is NOT to be used outside it creates environmental and waste issues.
- There was a vigorous discussion led by Vin re our proposed internet connection.
- New sign in pages have been prepared to avoid confusion.
- A supervisor is required for 7th -14th April.
- Vin Stan and Paul will meet Telstra today.

- No birthdays this week



The Friday fishing trip was cancelled at short notice (everyone had assembled at the shed) due to bad weather.

New equipment delivered to the shed.



Pallett stacker



Metal guillotine and bender



Metal saw

Roll Call - Checking up making sure everyone is fine.

during these difficult times. I will be sending.

out a roll call every week or s/o to make sure.

all our shed members are coping with the times.

Please reply with OK

If things are not progressing as you wish

And would like someone to talk with

Please speak up so I or someone can help – Regards Doug




Events Calendar

Settling In Our Shed				April 2021		
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
			1 Guitar Group @ 1pm	2 Good Friday	3 Easter Saturday	4 Easter Sunday
5 Easter Monday	6 Easter Tuesday (TAS) Ukulele group at midday Walking with Probus Lysterfield Park at 10.30am Lunch at Stella's Kitchen at Montague Orchard at 12pm	7 World Health Day	8 Guitar Group @ 1pm	9 Fishing in Western Port 12.30pm – 4.30pm Boarding at Yarringa Boat Harbour Carpool at 11 am \$80pp	10 Natl. Siblings Day	11
12	13 Newby's Time New Members Self-intro Ukulele group at midday	14	15 Guitar Group @ 1pm	16	17	18
19 Bike Riding Trip from EHMS 10 km to Jells Park Talk to Hans	20 Newby's Time New Members Self-intro Ukulele group at midday	21	22 Earth Day Guitar Group @ 1pm	23 World Book Day	24	25 Anzac Day
26	27 Newby's Time New Members Self-intro Ukulele group at midday	28	29 Guitar Group @ 1pm	30 Barefoot Bowling 5 - 8.30pm		

Rotary Club of Greater Dandenong and Endeavour Hills

President Kam Pow wrote (in part)

With the availability of the social area at the new Men's shed, it gives our club another venue for evening meeting. I will bring this up at the next meeting to inform the members. As mentioned previously, I will drop by one Tuesday to visit the new Men's shed and perhaps get a sausage for lunch.

All the best to the new Men's shed. Kind Regards Kam

MEN'S HEALTH

Has the increased pressure I am under impacting my partner or family?

Have I ever scared my partner or family?

Have I been putting my partner or family down, or calling them names?

Has my partner ever said they feel controlled, threatened, or scared by me?

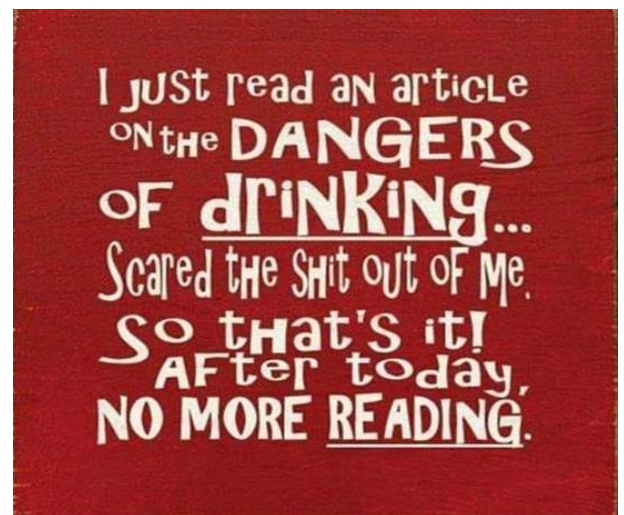
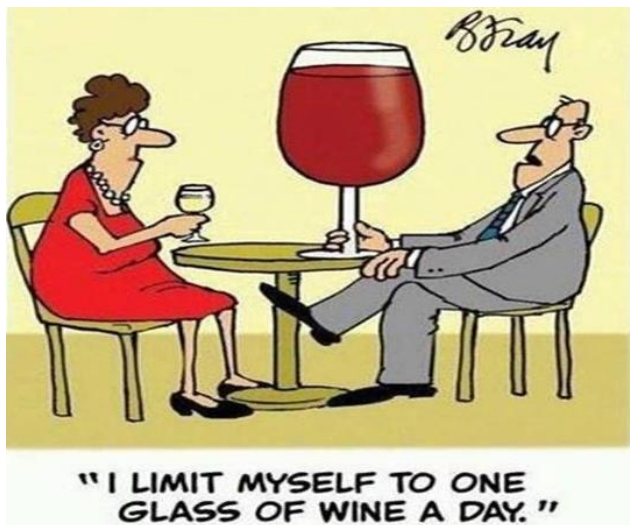
Am I concerned with how my behaviour is impacting my kids or family?

If you answered yes to any of the above

Call the Men's referral line on **133 766 49**

www.mrs.org.au

Funnies



Disaster Aid – by Brian Ashworth Hon CEO

Dear DAA Friends,

I hope you are all well and had a great Easter!

In March we were involved with:

Aid

- Finalised a grant to the Rotary Club of Kathmandu for COVID Aid.
- Made a grant to the Rotary Club of Bandung Pakuan for Flood Relief.
- The latest 15 SkyHydrants have arrived in Bhutan but installation is temporarily delayed due to a lockdown (The next 15 units are now in stock and being prepared for dispatch when a flight becomes available).
- Balay Mindanaw responded to an armed struggle in West Mindanao by providing 2 DAA SkyHydrants to displaced persons.
- Fleur Maidment picked up a SkyHydrant for her work in Myanmar for the Karen people.

Publicity

We posted on our website and facebook.

- About a year of the COVID Pandemic.
- About our Honduras water supply repairs donation.
- The GEM Rapid Response Pack Including a You Tube Video.
- On 15 SkyHydrants on the way to Bhutan.
- World Water Day.

We also had stories on Typhoon Goni and the recent displaced persons response by Balay Mindanaw reported in the Philippine Times (This is published in Australia for the Philippine community)

To keep up to date why not follow us on www.disasteraidaustralia.org.au and <https://www.facebook.com/disasteraidaustralia>

Posted on the DAI website and facebook about

- DA Canada's 'Central American Project'.
- Disaster Aid Malaysia history video which was loaded on our You Tube channel.
- Entered the Not for Profit Technology Awards.
- Applied for a speaker position for the Rotary Zone 8 Conference on the Bhutan Project.
- Ted Burton at a late stage volunteered to attend the WA Rotary Conference to represent DAA.
- Requests to speak at Club Meetings or visit our Offices are beginning to increase. **(If you get asked to present to a Club contact me for background information, Powerpoints etc)**
- Cherie and I attended an INTERACT conference.

We are becoming more confident that we will be able to have a DAA Conference on 2nd October.

Finance

We had a good month with several substantial donations including the Chinese New Year Fundraiser organised by Director Kam Pow.

Currently we are tracking better than 2019-2020 but not as good as 2018-2019.

DART News

- Work is continuing on the Operational Manual with new section on Memorandums of Understandings (MOUs)
- I had an initial conversation about working towards being able to restart DART deployments with Dianne Holland. (Actual deployments this year are unlikely)
- We have obtained 20 packs of 3 facemasks for DARTs ready for the resumption of deployments.



Administration

We are

- Revising the file structure on our File Server to better reflect our current operations.
- Reviewing procedures
- Ensuring information held in 'Drop Box' is held on our office server.
- Consolidating the information we hold on Bhutan.
- Preparing for April's Board Meeting
- Planning for upcoming Club visits to the DAA Office in April.
- Drafting options for a new leaflet.
- First draft of Agenda for April 17th Board meeting.
- Updating mailing List.
- Enhancing Xero recording
- Sending out Thank You Cards.

Other

- Gerry Beltgens of DA Canada is organising an online 'Conference on Water' and has asked me to be a speaker about SkyHydrants.
- Providing Information to RC of Kathmandu on a Water project via Peter Elias.
- With the Endeavour Hills Men's Shed now being open we helped transferred their equipment stored downstairs to the shed and spent time reorganising and replacing fluorescent tubes.
- Discussion with Everett Olivan of RC of Naga about restarting installations in Camarines Sur.
- Reviewed a Disaster Response Treatment system called Puribag, however it has no advantages over Sawyer Filters.

Diary Note

On the 4th May is our partners day meeting, we will give our partners an insight into what we do at the shed (not too much).

The morning will include a session by our popular music group.

Any ideas call or email Paul.

Endeavour Hills Men's Shed Committees

Program

Graeme Seymour
Andras Jakab
Neil Bennett
John Grennan

BBQ

Stan Ashley
Ivan Stiglic
Graeme Seymour

Management

Doug Rowley
Howard de Zylva
Paul Morris
John Thornton
Robert Kay

John Grennan
Neil Evans
Laurie Canfield
Harry Hornstra

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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
Harry Hornstra
Brian Ashworth
Hans van Dyk
Robert Kay
Will Beattie
Len Follett

First Aiders.

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