

Issue 5 # 42

Shedding Endeavour's

8th November 2021

The Shed is open.

Members must be double vaccinated to attend. If you have already provided proof, that's great.

Otherwise, you may be present it to the Secretary, President, or Treasurer.

Members Birthdays in October

4th November	Howard	De Zylva
10th November	Gordon	Harris
18th November	John	Grennan
20th November	Mark	Wittman
30th November	John	Thornton



Speedy recovery to those off colour: All are at home.

John Thornton

Trevor Ratcliffe

Robert Kay



"Covid -19 Metro Melbourne from 6.00pm on Friday 29th October 2021"

Easing of restrictions in Melbourne Metro

In summary, from 29 October:

- No restrictions on travel around the state.
- No masks outside.
- People can return to work if fully vaccinated.
- Outdoor public gatherings of 50 people allowed.
- Gyms and retail reopen, subject to density limits.
- Indoor and outdoor hospitality venue limits increase.
- Indoor entertainment venues open at 75% capacity, as many as 1000 patrons.
- Outdoor venues as many as 5000 patrons.
- Indoor sport resume with density cap.
- All schoolchildren back in classrooms full-time.

The state will abandon almost all restrictions from about 24 November, when it reaches the vaccination rate of 90% of people aged 12 and older. But restrictions on those who are unvaccinated are expected to continue throughout 2022.



Last week the shed reopened to double vaccinated members and guests. The meeting even though on a public holiday attracted 21 members.

- President Doug opened the meeting the meeting saying that it was 3 months and 1 week since we were
 able to meet due to the Covid Lockdown.
- John Thornton is recovering after his major operation.
- We need supervisors for Friday and Saturday, Stan Ashley and Tony Brosinsky may be available.
- The Dandenong Migrant Centre wants to use the shed for meetings and classes.
- Stan was looking for members for the Sunday Bunnings BBQ.
- The eyewash station has not been installed; maintenance requests have been submitted for
- Bicycle repair workshop at EH Library stan to follow up.
- Two tables for the Narre Warren Primary School Howard and Robert to organise.
- The Cupola project has been cancelled.
- The silhouettes for Wooranna primary school Stan appointed project manager.
- Insurance to be checked for partners working at BBQ's
- St Paul's school deferred to the next school term.

For any information about the EHMS please call Paul on 0418313395.

Bunnings BBQ Sunday 7th November 2021



It was an excited member who rang me last night and said "have I made the deadline"

He went on to report a BBQ profit of \$695.00 plus donations of \$135.00 including a one-off donation of \$100.00 – thanks to all concerned a great achievement \$830.00

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THINK TANK

- What do you want to do in the EHMS
- When we get back after lockdown the committee will hold a think tank
- Gives all members the opportunity to voice their expectations
- The music club has taken off



Your ideas



Model Making Trains what else?

Board Games and Cards

Picture painting
Workshop projects



EHMS tool policy

Tools are not to be removed from the workshop for member's private use.

Tools required for approved projects may be signed out and taken to site for use and then returned and sign in.

Double Vaccinated

It is highly likely that when the shed reopens after lockdown there will be harder restrictions put on non-vaccinated persons, rather than on those double vaccinated,

Last week's meeting decided to ask all members to provide proof of double vaccination to the secretary Paul. This information will be treated in confidence and only released if needed by Covid or other mandatory requirements. Note that no reply will count as not vaccinated.

Any member that wishes to discuss this may contact Paul or Doug.

Members guesstimate for the end of lockdown:

We reopened the shed on Tuesday 2nd November

Doug 16 th September	Lauren 1 st October	Geoff 15 th October
Ray 31 st October	Gordon 15 th October	Stan 30 th September
Paul 1 st December	Laurie 31 st October	Howard 21 st October
Harry 22 nd September	John G 30 th September	Vin Business first
Max 30 th September	Neil E 14 th October	John T all days not taken.

Iron on EHMS Badges



We now have a supply of iron on badges the cost of these is \$15 each, funds to be transferred to the EHMS account or cash.

Please contact Paul with orders.

Working with Children Check



Only 50% of members hold a WWC Card. Any projects where children are present will mean that members without the check cannot take part. President Doug and the Committee ask that all members should hold this card.

Covid restrictions – Further easing of restrictions is set for Friday 29th October further detail will follow by email and in next week's bulletin.

Positions Vacant

We are currently looking for shed supervisors for Friday and Saturday also stand-ins plus a new booking officer for the social area please reply to Paul.



Remember the EHMS has an Almoner Doug Rowley and over 50 Members Committed to each and to Men's Health all you need do is pick up the phone.

Tips for staying calm and healthy

For your physical health, the most important thing you can do is maintain basic hygiene, particularly frequently washing your hands with soap or using hand sanitiser. For your mental wellbeing, there are several things you can do:

- Maintain a healthy diet, exercise and sleep regime.
- Keep the conversation going talking to loved ones about any worries and concerns.
- Engage in hobbies and enjoyable activities at home.
- Be prepared ensure you have enough food, supplies and medication on hand. Ask for help collecting these items if needed.
- Avoid or reduce your use of alcohol and tobacco.
- Get reliable and trusted information make sure you receive information through trusted and credible sources, rather than social media. If you can't access the internet, ask a friend or family member to get you the most up-to-date information from credible sources such as:

- The coronavirus (COVID-19) section on this site
- Australian Government coronavirus (COVID-19) health alert
- World Health Organization coronavirus disease (COVID-19) outbreak
- Limit your exposure to media you or a loved one may feel stressed listening to the news.

Staying positive

While it might feel like we don't have control of current events, it's important to remember that we can do many things to feel empowered and enabled.

Find opportunities to share positive and hopeful stories with others, generate positive emotions by sharing memories, and show acts of kindness.

Staying connected

The coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic highlights the importance of community and social connections in improving our health and wellbeing.

Connect with friends and family

- Staying connected with friends and family at this time can reduce feelings of loneliness and isolation. For example, regular phone or video calls.
- For older Australians, now might be the time to embrace technology. Younger family members can help you get set up and guide you through the process. Give it a go!
- If you are more comfortable with the phone, call friends and family for regular catchups. You could even write notes or letters.

Call for support

If you are feeling less connected because of coronavirus (COVID-19) you can call the Coronavirus Hotline (1800 675 398) and press 3. You will be connected to a volunteer from the Australian Red Cross who can link you with local supports.



THE DAA AGM was held on 6th November 2021 at 10.00 am

Carvings















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Program BBQ Management

Graeme Seymour	Stan Ashley	Doug Rowley	Tony Brosinsky
Andras Jakab	Laurie Canfield	Howard de Zylva	Neil Evans
Neil Bennett	Graeme Seymour	Paul Morris	Laurie Canfield
John Grennan	Tony Cannata	John Thornton	Harry Hornstra
		Robert Kay	Lauren Gordyn

Working with Children Checks held by:

John Grennan **Tony Phillips** Geoff Brown **Neil Bennett Doug Rowley** Andras Jakab Howard DeZylva Harry Hornstra Stan Ashley Brian Ashworth Paul Morris Hans van Dyk Gordon Harris Robert Kay Peter Wallace Will Beattie **Neil Evans** Len Follett David Robinson Joe Psaila **Garrick Williams** Tony Brosinsky Laurens Gordyn Vin Wragg Max Brockbank John Thornton

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