



Issue 6 # 4

# *Shedding Endeavour's*

8<sup>TH</sup> February 2022

The Shed is open Tuesday - Saturday 10.00am – 3.00pm

**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 February**



5th February	<b>Roger Bartlett</b>
24th February	<b>Neil Evans</b>
24th February	<b>Graeme Seymour</b>

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

John Thornton

Trevor Ratcliffe

Robert Kay



## Endeavour Hills Men's Shed Revised Calendar

 		Events Calendar				
February 2022						
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
1	 Light Exercise @ 9.30AM Newbie's Self- Introduction Board / Card Games Time Ukulele at midday	 Bike Riding Leaving @ 9am Talk to HANS Photo Club 2pm	 Guitar Group @12.30pm	 World Clean Day	 Bowling 8.30am - 4.30pm Shifts as per arrangement	6
7	 Light Exercise @ 9.30AM My Health Related Experience Member's Shaving Time Ukulele at midday	8	 Guitar Group @12.30pm	11	 Promotional table @ EHSC As per roster 9am - 2pm	13
14	 Light Exercise @ 9.30AM Newbie's Self- Introduction Carpet Bowling Ukulele at midday Inquiry: Tony C.	 Bike Riding Leaving @ 9am Talk to HANS Photo Club 2pm Committee Meeting @10am	 Guitar Group @12.30pm	17	18	20
21	 Light Exercise @ 9.30AM Newbie's Self- Introduction Ukulele at midday	22	 Guitar Group @12.30pm	 Barefoot Bowling 5 - 8.30pm \$10 p/p + optional meal	25	27
28	Changes may occur due to unplanned factors					

Last meeting at the shed on 1<sup>ST</sup> February 2022:

- Welcome to new member Ian Cole.
- One member requested membership fee refund due to non-vaccinated, discussion and resolution to refund and refer to the committee for future consideration.
- Tony Rotunno to run the fishing trip in future. Thanks to Garrick for his work.
- Stan reported on the bicycle workshop at the library.
- Bicycle workshop at the shed? Referred to the committee.
- Graeme Seymour reported on BBQ supplies "Yes we have onions"
- Geoff Brown offered a chest freezer to the Shed.
- EFTPOS machine is working well.
- Exercise class at 9.30 Tuesdays
- Camera Club meeting today at 2.00pm
- Andras requested music from each member to John Thornton.
- The first share my life speaker will be Len Follett
- Government rebates for hot water systems and A/C's.

### Workshop and social area etiquette.

- If you make a mess, it is your responsibility to clean it up.
- If you need assistance just ask.
- If you spill anything wipe it up.

- The 240 litre bins are not for timber disposal
- Only bottles and cans in the recycling bin, everything else in the waste bin.

### **Signing in**

Shed supervisors should not have continually check up on members attendance registration.

Please remember:

1. Check in the Covid App with your phone, no phone get help or manual sign in.
2. Enter your entry and departure time on the manual sheet.
3. If you have visitors get the to Check in on the app and sign the visitors list

On one occasion we were audited by council, we never know when they may revisit.

We are looking at ways to simplify this in the future.

### **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 All** members must be double vaccinated to enter the Shed.

### **Workshop training**

The workshop committee now asks that any member who wants training on individual tools contact the trainer directly and arrange a mutually convenient time to have the training. Remember members must be trained to the satisfaction of the trainer on each tool before they can use it.

A list of tools and trainers is given below.

#### **Tools and trainers**

Grinders and finishers	Tony Brosinsky and Bob Daley
Lathes	John Graham
Table saw, band saw, docking saw and coping saw.	Bob Daley
Thickeners, planer and router	Bob Daley
Pedestal Drills	Tony Brosinsky and Bob Daley
Metal Saw	Tony Brosinsky
Shears and Benders	Laurens Gordyn
3 in 1 Folder, bender and guillotine	Tony Brosinsky
Welder	Laurens Gordyn
Forklift	Tony Brosinsky

A record of your attendance and training will be kept.  
[EHMS Website and Facebook page](#)

### **Rotary Car Show**

The Committee has decided not to accept the offer of Gate and Parking duties at the RCGD&EH due to lack of manpower (14 required) and in the middle weekend of two Bunnings BBQ's requiring member's time. Also, not to offer the BBQ due to low profit and manpower. Secretary Paul conveyed the decision to the RC by phone and email.

### **Computer Lessons**

For members who may be interested in learning about email, spreadsheets, the www and word, we have a computer available in the office with assistance from Paul and others where required. This will be discussed on Tuesday.

## **Think Tank**



### **New Group – Photography**

#### **Other think tank ideas**

**Artistic painting – tutor required**

**Cars**

**Gardening**

**3D Modelling**

**History**

**3D Printing**

**Walking**

## **First Aid Course**

I have 11 names to date for a first aid course if any other members wish to attend, please give your name to Paul on Tuesday or send him an email.

## **EHMS OFFICIAL OPENING**

Our opening is scheduled for the 1<sup>st</sup> March at 9.30am for a 10.00 start. The Shed will be opened by Luke Donnellan MP.

It is important that members RSVP to Paul as numbers are limited due to Covid.

Invited guests will be from the City of Casey, Rotary, and Luke Donnellan's Office and Julian Hill Federal Member.

## Government Rebates Available



- Vic Solar Rebate and Interest free loans.
- Free Hot water system upgrade (Electric)
- Free LED Globes and free installation.
- Call the number on the left for further information also Paul has a brochure thanks to Len Follett.

CALL NOW AT (03) 8518 3103



## Clean up Australia Day – 6<sup>th</sup> March

What can we do to help Clean Up?

On Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> March?

CREATE A CLEAN UP



# Montagues Orchard



Members who had been involved in the Montagues project were invited to lunch at Stella's Kitchen (the onsite restaurant) for lunch on Friday. The picture shows members with Rowan Little and Rebecca Knott from Montagues.

The lunch was yummy, seasonal croquettes, lamb shoulder and pork belly with potato and vegies, followed by apple pie. The Montagues sparking apple juice was an excellent accompaniment.

We have been invited to have a stand at their Harvest Festival on the weekend of 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> April where we can sell our barometers and anything else we have made. A lot more detail on Tuesday.

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The Bunnings BBQ on the weekend raised \$703.07, costs were up by about \$100 due to stock purchases and the increased price of sausages.

# Covid 19

## Top ten tips to prepare ahead

1. Get the next dose of your COVID-19 vaccine as soon as you are eligible. [Book today](#)
2. Always have basic medical supplies like a thermometer, pain relief and your regular medications available
3. Make sure you have enough face masks, hand sanitiser and gloves if you have to isolate
4. Plan ahead for who can safely deliver supplies if you have to isolate
5. Plan ahead for home activities to keep you entertained if you have to isolate
6. Plan ahead for who can look after children or pets if you have to go to hospital
7. Check for symptoms regularly and [get tested](#) as soon as they develop
8. Have [Rapid antigen tests](#) in your house and know your [COVID checklists](#) in advance
9. Keep your home well ventilated (windows open) and have gatherings outdoors
10. Have an emergency contact list with important phone numbers - including your GP



# **DISASTER AID AUSTRALIA**

## **AID ACTIVITIES**

### **Typhoon Odette, Dinagat Island, Philipinnes**

- We dispatched a further 3 SkyHydrants, supported by Rotarian DG Augie Soliman of Manila.
- Made a \$5,000 grant to Balay Mindanaw for the purchase of materials for home repair and rebuilding.

### **Bhutan**

- A SkyHydrant has been installed at Gyalpozhing College.
- Currently we have 7 SkyHydrants ready to ship as soon as flights become available.

### **East Timor**

- 4 SkyHydrant MAXs delivered to DIK at Footscray to be shipped to Timor Leste for Max Bird's project.

## **PARTNERSHIPS**

- Disaster Aid International will have a stand at the RI Houston Convention
- Balay Mindanaw notified us that they had been asked help clear 3 GEM SkyHydrants shipped to the Philippines by ASB (a German aid charity) for ACCORD a charity in the Philippines. We have subsequently contacted ASB who have expressed an interest in working together with us and SkyJuice.
- Discussions with Rhett Butler about DAA supplying SkyJuice with our GEM Rapid Response Packs.
- The 'Roundtrip Foundation' have expressed an interest in partnering on delivery of SkyHydrants.
- We have been assisting a Sydney Rotary Cluster with transport options for sending 2 SkyHydrants to Nepal.
- Potential partnership with Fiji rotarians has been identified thanks to Angeline Low.
- Discussions with Damage Control Project management (DCPM) who have expressed an interest in supporting our activities





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.

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.



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## Endeavour Hills Men's Shed Committees

### **Program**

Graeme Seymour  
Andras Jakab  
Neil Bennett  
John Grennan

### **BBQ**

Stan Ashley  
Laurie Canfield  
Graeme Seymour  
Tony Cannata

### **Management**

Doug Rowley  
Howard de Zylva  
Paul Morris  
John Thornton  
Robert Kay

Tony Brosinsky  
Neil Evans  
Laurie Canfield  
Harry Hornstra  
Lauren Gordyn

### **Working with Children Checks held by:**

John Grennan  
Geoff Brown  
Doug Rowley  
Howard DeZylva  
Stan Ashley  
Paul Morris  
Gordon Harris  
Peter Wallace  
Neil Evans  
David Robinson  
Tony Brosinsky  
Laurens Gordyn  
Max Brockbank

Tony Phillips  
Neil Bennett  
Andras Jakab  
Harry Hornstra  
Brian Ashworth  
Hans van Dyk  
Robert Kay  
Will Beattie  
Len Follett  
Joe Psaila  
Garrick Williams  
Vin Wragg  
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