



Issue 6 # 5

# *Shedding Endeavour's*

## 15<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



**Monday February 14<sup>th</sup> is Valentine's Day**

## Endeavour Hills Men's Shed Revised Calendar

							
February 2022							
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	
	   	 Leaving @ 9am Talk to HANS  2pm		 @12.30pm		 8.30am - 4.30pm Shifts as per arrangement	
7	   		 @12.30pm	11	 As per roster 	13	
14	   	 Leaving @ 9am Talk to HANS  2pm 	 @12.30pm	17		20	
21	  	23	 @12.30pm	24	 \$10 p/p + optional meal	27	
28	Changes may occur due to unplanned factors						

Last meeting at the shed on 8<sup>th</sup> February 2022:

- Bunnings BBQ Profit \$703, Need a spare battery for the EFTPOS Machine
- Official opening.
  - Council will pay for and install a plaque
  - 5 invites to council – not all will attend
  - Goodwill Café \$7.50 per head \$375 for 50 people.
  - Include vegetarian platter.
  - Len Follet to organise the food.
- Afghan group left a/c and stove fan on, some windows open.
- Certificate of Currency will be required for Bunnings when we renew insurance.
- Photography cancelled at Wilsons Park
- Neil E and Tony R to open the shed Wednesday and Thursday respectively.
- Howard discussed a project of moving sheds - declined
- AJ reported on various activities
- Len Foley can a health talk on himself
- Stan Ashley demonstrated the new website
- Laurens reported on monitoring of the front door.

### 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](#)



The always popular music group will perform at our official opening on 1<sup>st</sup> March

## EHMS OFFICIAL OPENING

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



President Doug showing off our new extractor and of course wearing trendy shorts, the EHMS polo shirt and of course the latest face mask.

Doug will be at the opening and may even say a few words. We are all hoping that Angie will attend.

The opening will be followed by a light lunch.

Billy was at school this morning and the teacher asked all the children what their fathers did for a living. All the typical answers came out, fireman, policeman, salesman, chippy, captain of industry etc,

but Billy was being uncharacteristically quiet and so the teacher asked him about his father.

"My father is an exotic dancer in a gay club and takes off all his clothes in front of other men"

Sometimes if the offer is really good, he'll go out with a man, rent a cheap hotel room and let them sleep with him."

The teacher quickly set the other children some work and took little Billy aside to ask him if that was really true.

No" said Billy, "He plays cricket for England but I was just too embarrassed to say."

### **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**

We now have 14 names for first aid. This will be discussed at the meeting.

# 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](#)



Are we doing anything on clean up Australia day on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> March – we need a champion?

## Montagues Orchard

Paul and Howard will attend a morning tea on Tuesday at Montagues to discuss the 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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# 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
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**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](tel:1800675398)) 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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## FB Endeavour Hills Men's Shed

### Endeavour Hills Men's Shed Committees

<b>Program</b>	<b>BBQ</b>	<b>Management</b>	
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
Tony Brosinsky	Garrick Williams
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