



The not so Wrinkly Rag

President's Page

Hello readers.

Once again, we are affected by Covid, with the shed closed!

But it does not affect the words flying through the ether. Thank goodness. It is so important to take every chance to communicate.

Firstly, it is good to have Bill Hanks back to his editorial tasks, with help from John Burgos and Stephen Fox.

It is also good to see that several people are helping out with morning teas. Because of good behavior you can have a few days off.

Hopefully, by Monday the 5th, things will be back to normal, with the shed open again.

Also, we can be thankful that the formwork plywood has been moved to a safer position. Thanks to those involved. You will notice that I have not named anyone, as these simple tasks have been carried out with no fanfare!

Other events which benefited the Sawyers Valley Primary School were two attendances of Shed members, guiding kids in some manual arts. We helped them construct noughts and crosses games.

Last Saturday, several people were on hand to offer items for sale, with some very reasonable prices. The treasurer will give profit details at a later date.

Finally, we look forward to information from the Development Committee to update us on progress for our new building complex. Subject to any delays because of red tape.

Keep an eye out for each other. There are great things ahead, as we start a new financial year.

Regards,
Brian

What's On This Month?

Speakers Circle (Usually 1 st Wednesday of each month)	10am on-7 th July-Anne Bake speaking on the Golden Pipeline 10am on 4 th August 10am on 1 st September Bob Cooper "Survival in the Bush" 10am on 6 th October
Nibbles 'n' Natter (10am 2 nd Thursday of the month)	10am on 8 th July – With Tool of the Month explained.
Singalong (Fortnightly Thursday)	7:30pm on 1 st ,15 th and 29 th July
General Meeting (3 rd Thursday of each month)	2pm on 15 th July
Shed Open (Usually last Saturday of each month.)	9am-noon 31 st July
Committee Meetings	11am 2 nd Tuesday each month.

Foothills Zone meeting – Ross Boughton

I attended the Foothills Zone meeting of Men's Sheds of WA on the 20th of May at Kalamunda Co. This meeting was attended by about 30 people including 2 staff, the chaplain and, 2 board members from MS of WA. Other sheds represented were: Armadale, Foothills (Forrestville), Gosnells, Harrisdale, Kalamunda, Maddington, Midland, Roleystone and, Station Street (Cannington).

These twice-yearly meetings are a good chance to network with other sheds and to hear of their triumphs and tribulations. A couple of items to note:

- MSofWA has received funding to provide regional coordinators for sheds in WA,
- Small grant funding from Lotterywest to be administered by MSofWA (details still being worked out), and
- Insurance claims may be rejected if a member is not financial.

1 Morilla Road – Ross Boughton

Things are starting to move! After being held up by the Shire on the design of the realigned Railway Reserve Heritage Trail, we finally got permits for all building works on the 8th of June. This means that all funded building can now proceed!

We expect that earthworks will be started on Friday the 2nd of July. Set-out for the retaining wall for the woodworking workshop should be on Tuesday the 6th, with the retaining wall starting later that week.

A Western Power connection has been requested with (paid) help from a consultant – now we wait for the quote.

Our WA Government funding for floor coverings, kitchen fit out, security and fencing has arrived in our bank account. Note that this must be used for these purposes.

Fundraising

Our drinkers are doing us proud – we have now raised \$535 since the Container Deposit scheme's inception.

The firewood raffle on the 19th of June raised \$549.55, down a little on previous months, but our total for the year is nearly \$2,000.

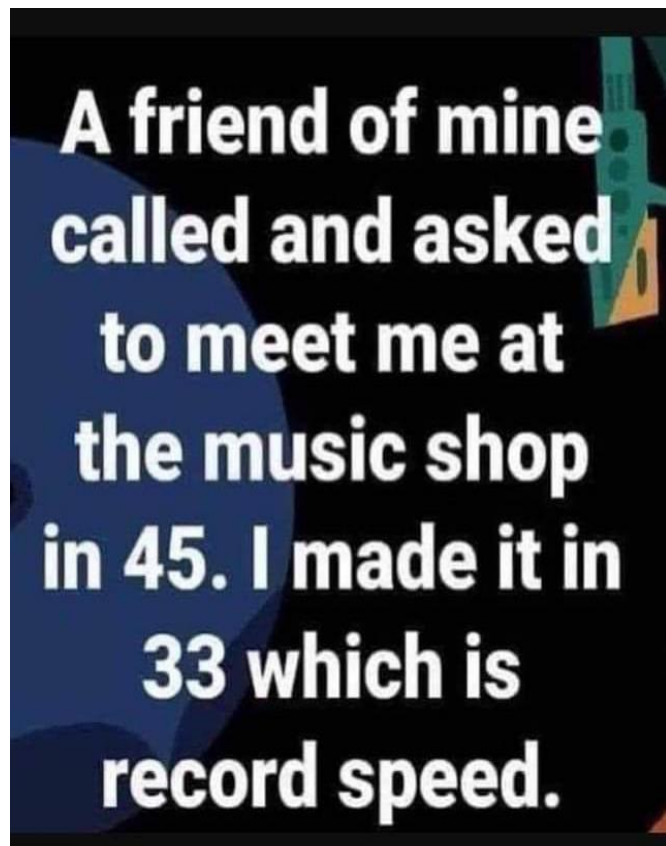
The garage sale on the 26th cleared over \$500 (some monies still to be collected), thanks to the efforts of the dozen or so expert salesmen.

June 2021.

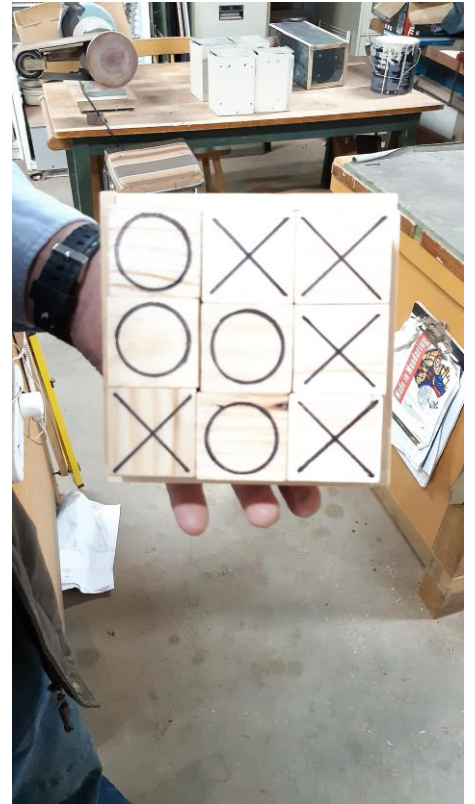
310 total member attendances.

Best day 17th with 32.

Most popular Thursday.



Colin and Martin return to school.



Colin and Martin, in a return to Sawyers Valley Primary School, assisted a number of young students to make wooden block Noughts and Crosses boards.

Birthdays in July

10th Greg Giles

11th Robert Persh

15th Mike Jensen

24th John Burgos

24th Thomas Beebe

27th Ian Bannister

Tool of the Month



Come to our Nibbles 'n' Natter on Thursday 8th July and all will be explained.

Basket Case (Neil)



Neil our Treasurer and his Wife Lorraine have a Fund-Raising project on the go for the Shed and are looking for some used baskets to make up as hampers if you have any too spare, they would be much appreciated.



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