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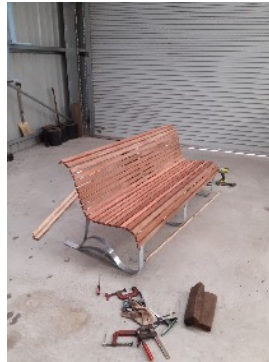


An Interesting Project

Just a couple of photos from the metalwork room at the shed. Constructed this for my daughter to have in her garden.

Not much to say about it other than I tried out most of the park benches in Kings park and Bold park to find the most comfy seat, you would be amazed how much they vary. Once I found what I was looking for I had to apologise to the person sitting on it as I went about tracing its outline on a piece of cardboard. Well the end result is just as comfy if not better than the original.

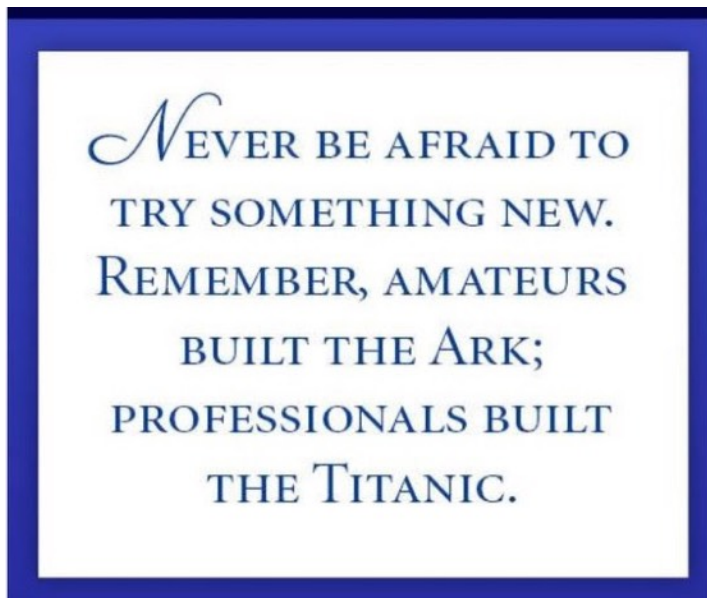
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Nine Important Facts to Remember as We Grow Older

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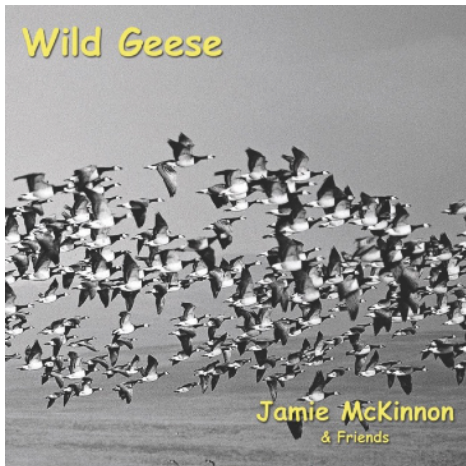
Sometimes messages head into your Junk Mail folder when they shouldn't and this can apply to messages from sources that you usually receive without a problem (e.g. TidyHQ) or even new senders. Make a habit of always checking your Junk Mail folder at least weekly and if you see anything in there that shouldn't be, highlight the message (don't open), go to Junk in your Home Menu, click on the drop down arrow and select Never Block Sender. After that you will need to move the message back to your inbox.

Also in the Junk Menu is a selection called Junk Email Options which can be used to determine the level of blocking that you experience.

Mike A

Pest Control At The Shed.

Insect control specialist carries out inspection of Bob's BulkStore... he job shares with Willy Wagtail and a couple of other fifo workers



Music Lovers

Not really into self promotion but, as indicated in the previous issue of the Newsletter, I have recorded a CD of mainly Scottish (12), with 3 Irish songs, which might be of interest to members. I teamed up with two other Scottish players, Fiona Davidson on fiddle and Ali MacKerron on Scottish small pipes as well as John Ralph on mandolin and mandola and am very happy with the outcome which is being very well received by those who have bought the CD.

You can check out a couple of the tracks on my website www.jamiecmckinnon.com and also purchase from the Shop page but to buy directly and save on the postage cost just email me and I will deliver directly to you.

The cover has a great story in that the geese - title is Wild Geese - fly from Greenland, through Iceland and land on my home island of Islay off the Scottish West coast every year and strip the fields bare in their feeding frenzy before flying back to winter in Greenland. The farmers tried culling but they come in their thousands so the Government now subsidise the farmers.

Cooking Classes

Pete Anderson - our very own inhouse cooking teacher - is proposing to run a series of 3 classes: all Thursday evenings - September 17th, October 1 and October 15.

For the information of our new members;

These classes are held in our Shed's kitchen, commencing @ 4:00 pm; and finishing around 7:00 pm. *All ingredients are supplied*, along with very detailed recipes - which are discussed / clarified prior to commencement. The class will be split into 4 groups - *each group cooking a separate recipe*; with Pete circulating to assist / answer any queries.

The evening culminates with each of the 4 groups "tabling" their offering and replying to any queries whilst we all enjoy the fruits of their labourswhilst sharing a glass of wine .

The cost will be \$15 - \$20 per head and you will be asked to provide apron; sharp knife; chopping boardand any refreshments that you may wish to provide.

As regards a "theme", Pete with his vast experience is adaptable to most styles - we shall seek "cooker's" preferences and then I shall put my one finger into top gear to type the selected recipes under Pete's (close) supervision.

Please email Ian Deany (ianandsue.deany@gmail.com) to advise your intentions, i.e. one / two / three classes. (I'm not looking for a commitment - just an indication of interest please !). Members only.

Keep Smilin ' Ian

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Your Chairman!!

GOING WELL!

Hi All

The Tuesday morning before last, after our scones, jam and cream, I had a few minutes to just walk through our Shed to experience what was going on. In those minutes I was really heartened with the activities. The range was great! There were the usual group who had gone back to the workshops to make things for themselves or the Shed, but there was much more. There was a group upstairs playing pool, there were a group sorting out the two offices upstairs and then there was a group in the Meeting Room just debating the problems of the times! That is what a Shed is all about.

And what is more there are other activities that occur at other times in the week.

Please excuse me for presenting the following in dot point form, but I think the items are important items of news.

- We are inviting the CEO of the Town of Mosman Park to a Tuesday morning tea to 'show off' our shed; please be on your best behaviour!
- Men's Shed WA is fostering what they are calling Shed Song, essentially choir groups, if you are interested in being involved please let me know.
- We have not seen a lot of Simon Zardi lately, he kept on telling us that he was busy studying at Murdoch University, but the truth is that he has just become the father of (he says) a beautiful daughter. Congratulations Simon from all of us.
- I am saddened to say that Peter Edmond's wife passed away last week after a long illness, our deepest sympathies to Peter.
- We are, at present, negotiating a contract with Mosman Council to build a bird hide on the river foreshore. It will be a large project so we will need a group of volunteers to take some of the load.
- Those who have been upstairs lately will have seen that the Recreation Room has new (second hand) carpet tiles. As a result of member Mike Neveldson from Precision Carpets we have been able to obtain and lay all the tiles for an extremely low price. Sincere thanks go to Mike.
- Last week the wives and partners had another morning tea at the Seaview Golf Club, it was again a successful event. I am sure that we men were the centre of conversation, but we can all handle that! Please, to get Mrs. Brown off my back, pass on the invite email to your wife or partner when it appears in your mailbox.
- Thanks to the team at Wanneroo Men's Shed we have obtained five up to date computers. Four have gone into the meeting room and one will replace the outdated Apple machine upstairs. With these computers we should be able to start Fusion/CNC classes soon. If you are wanting a cheap refurbished computer Wanneroo Men's Shed is the place to go.
- Finally, we hope to be able to arrange a General Meeting for September. With the present COVID conditions we can only have 23 people in the meeting room. We are looking at ways to get around this.

Cheers Tony Brown Chairman.

Music

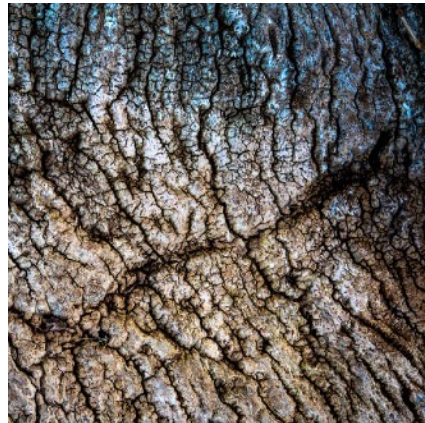
Following on from Tony's message about music, WAMSA has asked for information about Shed activities other than wood and metal, a photo was asked for from Sheds re activities and Tony asked for one of the ShedBoys. We could not find one so "posed" at the end of our session last week to take this shot on Matt's iPad on delay!!

Players are Bruce - the instigator of the group, Peter, Jamie, Jim, Matt and Terry

We all have fun playing, singing and learning new songs every week.



Some Interesting Studies of Trees and Bark (Photography Group)



And one photo of WA Timber, in various forms, in use in situation where the timbers are subject to deterioration due to the elements.



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