



# Dingley Village Men's Shed

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## AUGUST NEWSLETTER

You don't stop laughing because you grow old.  
You grow old because you stop laughing.



## What's Coming Up:

Please find below the monthly activities planned for the balance of this year.  
These could be subject to change, if there is insufficient response to an activity.

### 2016

**Aug. 23rd. Drouin Men's Shed** for a tour and lunch. Bus leaves DVNC at 10.00am

Self driving members will find the Drouin Men's Shed just inside the entrance  
to Drouin Golf Club - 17 McGlone Rd Drouin. Aim to arrive at 11.00am



Sept 3 to 18th - Wood Working Expo ( see notice board for full details )

**Sept** - date to be confirmed - dine out at the Sandown Greyhound Dog Track ( Mixed )

Oct. TBC. Go-Kart-Racing, Dandenong, Lunch?

**Nov 1st** - Melbourne Cup Day, at Shed, (Mixed).

Dec. Christmas Break-up day, at Shed.

**Jan. 26th 2017** Australia Day, BBQ, at Shed. (Mixed) This seems so far away but it will be upon you in a flash.

2017 - To Be Advised - Nagambie ( Goulburn Explorer) Day tour, (Mixed)

**Retirement is like a long vacation in Las Vegas. The goal is to enjoy it to the fullest, but not so fully that you run out of money.**

# timber & working with wood



**9- 11 September 2016**  
**Caulfield Racecourse Melbourne**

**WE LOVE THE DOGS**



Watch the notice board for final details for the date and time of our September social dinner outing at Sandown Park (dish lickers).

## What's been happening

The **election day** is now well behind us but even if your team didn't win, our shed certainly made a success of the sausage sizzle raising well over a thousand dollars that will help boost our building program. Thank you to everyone who helped on the day and especially to the guys that came in early for the set up and those that did the clean up / pull down at the end of the day.



Everything is ready and where are the customers?



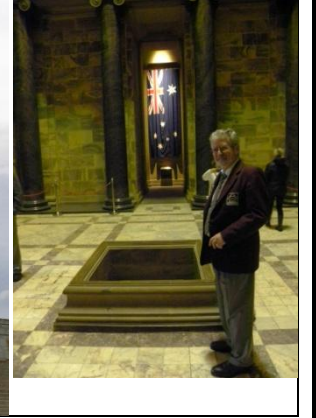
Have you ever seen a tent pulled down so quickly?

July 7th - **Melbourne Shrine tour**. How lucky are we to have our own personal tour guide in Paul Brennan. This is a fabulous place to spend some time to absorb all of the history of our place of remembrance. One of the displays puts this so poignantly -

ANZAC IS NOT MERELY ABOUT LOSS. IT IS ABOUT COURAGE  
AND ENDURANCE, AND DUTY, AND LOVE OF COUNTRY,  
AND MATESHIP, AND GOOD HUMOUR  
AND THE SURVIVAL OF A SENSE OF SELF-WORTH  
AND DECENCY IN THE FACE OF DREADFUL ODDS.

Here is a small selection of the photos taken on the day - worthy of a book. Thank you Paul for the job you do and congratulations on becoming a guide.





## Braeside Park stable project

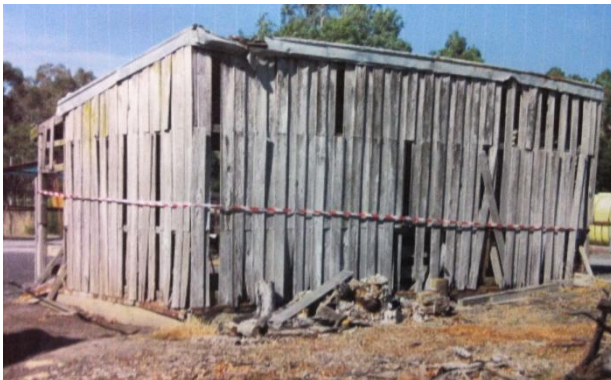


This post & rail fence just gives the job a finishing touch - also somewhere to tie your horse.

The photos below are the "BEFORE" & "AFTER" which just goes to show what a great renovation job has been done by the DVMS crew.



**BEFORE**



**AFTER**







When you are at the shed next, take some time to have a look at the full collection of photos for the Stable Restoration project; they will give you an appreciation of all the work that has been put into this building.

## Workshop Skill Training

### METAL WORKING

All on a Tuesday morning  
9am - midday.

**Course 1** All Eng. Hand Tools  
& Drop Saw 13 July ( you're  
too late - catch it next time )

**Course 2** 26th July - Grinders

**Course 3** 2nd Aug - Drills

**Course 4** 9th Aug -Arc

Welding

Arc Welding Practice until 23  
August

NOTE small arc welding test  
before MIG course

**Course 4** ( cont. ) 6th Sept

MIG Welding

Practice can be arranged with  
an instructor

**What has been done?** Members are  
making candle stands and will be  
offering these for sale by order. The size  
is 1, 2 or 3 sections, but can be made to  
your requirements.

Price:

1 section \$25,

2 Section \$35,

3 Section \$45.



Bruce our toolmaker after the finished  
job showing Laurie our plumber his  
handy work. [ you can tell that Laurie is  
impressed! ]

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Ron proudly displays the shovel, now all  
he has to do is paint it black.

[ while on the subject of painting -  
where is painter. It must nearly be time  
for Frank to migrate south for the  
summer and get back to some painting ]

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As we are all getting older and have these moments of forgetting, anyone storing items in the shed for intended work, to place your name and date, marking it as **private property** and storing it with this information displayed.

Thanks to Bill King for these articles.

In my house I'm the boss. My wife is just the decision maker. – Woody Allen

## Just to let you know



**Dingley Village Men Shed** has given assistance to a young student, Daisy Molyneux from Dingley, who is studying at RMIT Brunswick doing an associate degree in fashion textile. As part of this course is visual handling she was asked to prepare a shop window with a suitable design. This shop is located at Sien in Beaumaris Concourse. A bush setting using branches dressed with fashionable clothing.

That was her reason in asking a member of our shed if support could be given in obtaining suitable branches and fixing them to a stand.

Branches were found lying around our shed after that bad storm and she selected suitable ones to use. Items were fixed to scrap timber in a manner for easy fixing and dismantle.

Daisy' mother has given a donation to the shed for assistance.



Thanks to Bill King for these articles.

# Thank You

The Dingley Village Men's Shed would like to pass on a very big thank you to

**Carpet Trends**  
**Lions Club of Dingley Village**  
**Woolworths Dingley Village**

For the support you have given to our shed and members.

## The future of bicycle riding is happening at Braeside Park



The design committee agree that just one more thing is needed - a front wheel



Test pilot Vaughan takes "**The Beast**" for its inaugural test ride - a real "white knuckle" experience.



The "evaluation" committee gather to consider future marketing of the motor bike.

**I never mind my wife having the last word. In fact, I'm delighted when she gets to it. - Walter Matthau**





**D.V.M.S GOLF DAY  
SPONSORED BY  
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&  
SPRING PARK GOLF COURSE**



**KEYSBOROUGH**

**DINGLEY VILLAGE**



Hi. Fellow D.V.M.S Shedder's and Golfers alike.  
We held our 3<sup>rd</sup> golf day at Spring Park Golf Course on Thursday 28th July 2016, the weather was cloudy but fine, and a great day was had by all. We had a total of 10 players and 2 caddies participate.  
Many thanks to Bunnings Warehouse Keysborough, for again donating gift vouchers for all major Prize winners, and also to Spring Park Golf Course for providing reduced green fees for our members. Congratulations to all the prize winners, and look forward to seeing an increased number at our next game around Mid November 2016.



THE  
WINNER  
MAL  
MORRIS  
with a  
great score  
of 35 nett  
  
WELL  
DONE  
  
MAL



RUNNER  
UP WAS  
  
JOHN  
NEWMAN  
with a score  
of 36 nett  
  
WELL DONE  
  
JOHN



MAL also wins the putting  
competition with a fantastic



Winner of the lucky card draw  
Ken Brown in Action.



Winner of the Prestigious N.A.G.A Award  
Ron Prestt accepting his prize



Nearest the pin WINNER  
  
GEOFF HERGT

*Editors note: sorry for the print set out error on this page but the article submitted does not fit my page layout or my temperament as patience has run out with trying to correct it.*



## Some of the action from the golf day



A fine winters day at  
Spring Park was had  
By all.

AS THEY SAY  
GOLF IS A GOOD WALK RUINED



This sequence of photos shows the awesome power of David (the detonator) Tildesley  
As he drives the golf ball off the 6<sup>th</sup> tee it literally explodes off the clubface much to his amazement



Vaughan on the tee



Jim Gentle in action



One putt Ronnie



Nice putt Ken



Deadeye John Perry

**THANKS TO BUNNINGS KEYSBOROUGH FOR DONATING THE GIFT VOUCHERS FOR PRIZES**

Have you been watching the wood sculptor  
Rob Bast creating his latest work of art just  
outside of our shed?  
Photos of the finished work will be featured  
in next month's newsletter.



**The members of the Dingley Village Men's Shed again wish to express their appreciation to our wonderful local sponsors and generous donors.**

## **OUR LOCAL SPONSORS**

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