

#### **Dingley Village Men's Shed**

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# SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER



#### **IN MEMORIAM**

Our members were shocked to hear of the sudden passing of David Tildesley.

David has been a well respected member of our shed and we will miss his contribution to the engineering and computer areas of our shed.

We sent our condolences to his family.

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Let's start off with something **VERY** important to all members when using machines and hand tools in the Workshop - or even just standing around watching someone.

### **YOUR SAFETY**

Question (i) - how hard is it to put on a pair of safety glasses? Answer - you figure it out.

Questions (ii) - what do you do to avoid an eye injury like this? Answer - refer to question (i)

Put your safety glasses on! If you don't, you might end up with one of these eye injuries - or worse.





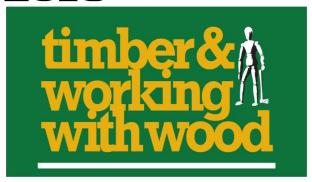




## What's Coming Up

**P**lease 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



## 9- 11 September 2016 Caulfield Racecourse Melbourne

Sept - 27th Tuesday - 6.30pm - 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.

#### What's been happening



DVMS have donated about a dozen bikes to CHIPS - Established in the year 2000, CHIPS (Christians Helping In Primary Schools) is a non-profit organisation based in the southeastern suburbs of Melbourne.

CHIPS is well known in the local area for working with primary aged children in crisis and won the Casey Volunteer Organisation of the Year Award in 2010. CHIPS' CEO Eric Wieckmann (aka Captain Eric) is a dynamic speaker and presents CHIPS' programs in and around local schools, businesses and community groups and won the Casey Citizen of the Year Award in 2005.

The donation was assisted by Parks Victoria

Our visit this month to the **Drouin Men's Shed** was another great day and we were made most welcome by the men at their shed. We were able to admire their new extension that now gives them a great workshop area and has enabled the original shed area to be revamped for new activities. A BBQ lunch topped of the day and the beautiful sunny afternoon allowed us to chat outside with the members as can be seen in the attached photo selection.



#### Look at what's been happening in the Art corner

Several months ago President Ken asked Ian Kerr & Snow Peterson if they would be prepared to enter some of their paintings in an art show. They discussed it and came up with the conclusion that their ability was not quit good enough yet, but then if they don't try they will never know, so they entered the Kingston Council Art Show, titled "Colours in Harmony" which was held in the St. Nicholas Gallery.

The process is to firstly send a photo of the work with the entry form and then out of the several hundred entries the items to be displayed are selected - to their surprise they were both selected with Ian submitting his piece "Cat and Dog Friends" and Snow's entry "Sunset at Birdsville".

However it's one thing to be selected to exhibit, but certainly another to win when showing against 40 other entries both from professional and amateurs from all over Melbourne. Ian and Snow were delighted to receive an <a href="Honourable Mention">Honourable Mention</a> - congratulations to you both and keep on with your great new found talent.





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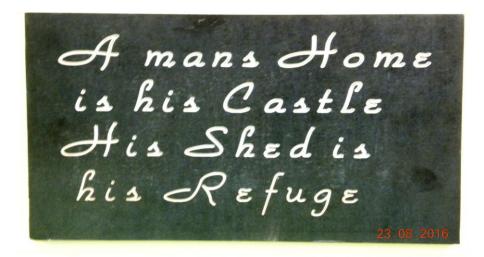
#### NOW I KNOW WHY I'M GETTING FAT - It's the SHAMPOO!

I just realised the label says, "TO GIVE BODY & VOLUME".
So from now on, I will use DISH WASHING SOAP - that says .......
'DISSOLVES ALL FAT EVEN IN HARD TO REACH PLACES"

#### Shut the \*#\*# gate



Please make sure that **the last person to leave** our shed area puts the timber bollard back into its ground socket so as to prevent unauthorised persons entering Cypress Drive, and also secure the exit gate from our car park 9 into its closed position.



I signed up for an exercise class and was told to wear loose fitting clothing. If I HAD any loose fitting clothing, I wouldn't have signed up in the first place!

So what have <u>you</u> learnt from this issue of the newsletter?

If you answered "I MUST ALWAYS WEAR SAFETY GLASSES IN THE WORKSHOP" give yourself a pat on the back ... the message must have finally got through.



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

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