

Murgon Men's Shed Newsletter

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The Shed is '*Working*' in More Ways than One

Terry has his marionettes well underway. Queensland Health has inspected his work and is very impressed.

David has the tractor on track with valve adjustments and new gaskets.

Mick is helping with the clean-up ready for painting.

Nev and Lindsay impress all with their replication works of the German Wagon and Rudy is turning up the hubs for the wheels.

John Crawford from leather work, has made two phone cases and a dog collar.

John Suttcliffe is working furiously on our electrical power points and will soon have our roofed area fully powered so only short leads will be required.

John Armstrong has all administration under control. Thank you John.

There are lots of projects on the move and I haven't mentioned all of them. But you blokes know what you are doing and how you are contributing.

But the most rewarding of all is the camaraderie building here. Our mission statement is to '**build a community in the shed**' and I can see and feel that this is on the way to eventuating.

John Crawford had a knee replacement and was ready to leave hospital, unfortunately the quickest time John could be brought back home was three days later.

The caring men who ring around to check on fellow men's health found out. Immediately Dave dropped everything and drove over to the hospital in Toowoomba to pick him up. I call that above and beyond the call.
Well done men!

That brought a tear to my eye, the camaraderie friendship and mateship that has grown in our little shed is working and is working very well!

Thankyou Fellas!

Paul Pfeffer
President

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Man Down

The 6th June, 2015 was a very sad day for the Shed.

John Pollard left the shed for the last time and has moved on to the big shed in the sky.

John will be sadly missed as he was our most popular member. He always had an encouraging



word for everyone.

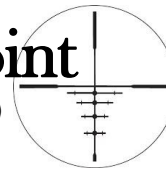
His infectious personality and smile and love for his leather work will be sadly missed.

Rest in piece my friend, you will always be remembered.



Straight to the Point

Mark Wall (Chaplain)



“ Live everyday as it's your last but plan to live to 100! ”

Within certain moments, it may seem we are carrying weight, heavier than we can bear. In hindsight however, we are reminded that there has always been seasons of deep concerns **‘and that’**, brighter seasons do follow, even though eventually.



Happy 50th Golden Wedding Anniversary

Keith and his wife Florence celebrated their 50th Golden Wedding Anniversary on 27th May supported by the men at the shed. Who can deny its a remarkable feat? It's great to see a lovely couple still happy and in love. Congratulations to you both.



Safety Tip of the Month

Set Your Own Standards

Don't be influenced by others around you who are negative. If you fail to wear safety glasses because others don't, remember the blindness you may suffer will be yours alone to live with.



Message from Kathy Duff

Progress of the extension of tenure for our shed. believe?)

The entire rail trail including our shed will have an extended tenure of around 30 years. However, to have this rubber stamped, it will take approximately six months.

Transport department, the department we are dealing with, have a backlog of work. (Would you

This delay will put a hold on any of our plans to extend our shed. We just have to be patient.



Ninth of Our Values

“Encourage and support one another.”

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Shed Times

Hours: 9am to 1pm
Days: Wednesday and Saturday

15 JULY

AGM 11:30 AM

12 NOON BBQ

**1:30 PM
COMMITTEE
MEETING**