



WRINKLY RAG.

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TO ALL MEMBERS

This is **YOUR** newsletter

It is **YOUR** voice

So **PLEASE CONTRIBUTE**

SPEAKERS CIRCLE

Claudette Pope delivered a colourful presentation of native WA wildflowers which would look great in any local garden and would bring many forms of wildlife to brighten the outlook. For those who missed out, samples of her photos can be viewed on her website, www.wildbeauty.com.au.

The July Circle will feature a repeat performance by Geoff Sowden at which he will play some of his collection of Golden Oldies, Hits of the 60's and 70's. As we did at the December event, afternoon tea will be offered from the commencement of the show in a relaxed setting.

August 4th, Speaker will be supplied by Advocare and will discuss the services available.

September will be by local identity, Eric McCrum and his subject will be "Raptors. Eagles and Owls"

SOCIAL

Dowerin Field Day, 24th, August

Wally has arranged, via Probus, for interested members to join a group visit to Dowerin.

Cost is \$40 p.p, which covers the bus trip and entry. Give **details to Wally before July 12th**.

NEW MEMBERS

Welcome to

Roy Smith

Don Dow

Peter Matevsiak.

WELCOME BACK

Good to see Andy Page back at the Shed following his hospitalisation earlier this year.

FROM THE PRESIDENT



We had a visit from two polities yesterday. Ken Wyatt and Christian Porter, minister for Social Services. We welcomed them and are nice to them because they recently granted us a load of money.

A timely reminder: So the committee members don't get an earful from Colin or Ash or Peter can you please clean up machines and gear when you've finished with them. Thanks.

Talking of cleaning up. On Sunday 10th of July we are having an open day and clearance sale. This will coincide with the Mundaring Markets. We must get the shed looking good for the visitors. We must also collect goods for sale from Colin's and anywhere else they might be stored. There is a table of goods that are for sale in the Wood Working shed. You are welcome to check if there is anything there that you might like.



Two weeks ago Ron, Ron, Barry and I gave a demo at the Chidlow Primary School. Hopefully the kids learned how to make a tin can telephone, stilts from short lengths of cardboard tube and a spinner from an old CD and how to drown each of them in multi coloured paint. I learned that if you demonstrate a freshly painted spinner you get a line of paint straight up your shirt and face.

A Polite Reminder

The founding fathers of the Mundaring Community Men's Shed made it clear they wanted an organisation which was open to all. They did not want any discrimination against blokes with different religious views, political views, sexual preferences, abilities and so on.

We want to maintain this philosophy in the shed and whilst we obviously allow freedom of speech, we should draw the line at people promoting their personal views with speakers, posters and so on.

The homogeneous, friendly atmosphere of our shed is, I think, what makes the shed so successful. The camaraderie and banter at the shed makes it a great place to be. Let's all do our best to keep it that way.

Marty B

Did you know?

There are more Men's Sheds in Australia than McDonald's outlets.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING:

The Shed annual meeting will be held at the Hub annex on Thursday 18th August, starting at 2:00pm. Existing office bearers will stand down and be available for re-election.

We currently have in excess of 140 members however, only around 30 or 40 regulars show up on any given day.

Why do you not come along? We have many activities to keep you occupied, play cards, darts, use the computers, chat, read, watch TV, weed the garden or just chill out. What is lacking? Come along and tell us. It is your shed.

FOR SALE

Paving bricks.

Approx. 20 sq.mtrs free to a good home. Size 230mm x 75 mm. Color - light chocolate with black fleck. A donation to the Shed would be appreciated.

Contact Wally.

Golf clubs:

Right handed. Full set of irons, plus driver, 3 wood, 5 wood, cart with seat, ball retriever, plus balls. All in good condition. See photo. Suits a **tall** person

\$125.00 Contact Allan Pope



Hystirical (Historical) notes:

Julius Caesar extinguished himself on the battlefields of Gaul. The Ides of March murdered him because they thought he was going to be made king., Dying he gasped ‘- Tee Hee, Brutus’.

The First World War., caused by the assignation of the Arch Duck by an anahist, ushered in a new error in the anals of history.

News from the Shire of Mundaring

Recycling gets a boost with new reuse shop



SHIRE of Mundaring residents will now be able to recycle suitable household items following the installation of a reuse shop.

A purpose-built sea container was recently opened at Mathieson Road Waste Transfer Station in Chidlow. Called Grab n Go @ Mathieson, this is the first shop of its kind in the Shire.

Shire President David Lavell said the reuse shop would stop usable household items going over the edge.

"Grab n Go @ Mathieson is a sea container with a hydraulic front which opens up to provide a space where items can be viewed," he said.

"Residents can browse the items on show and take anything for free that they may have a use for.

"This is a fantastic initiative that encourages recycling and repurposing of items, which is great for the environment."

Grab n Go @ Mathieson cost around \$30,000 to build and install. It is open during normal Waste Transfer Station opening hours.

Only residents with a valid transfer station pass can gain entry to Grab n Go @ Mathieson.

Residents are encouraged to speak to employees about items which may be suitable. Kitchenware, bicycles, furniture, tools, equipment, toys and games are among items which may be accepted. Computers, mattresses, carpet or tyres are not accepted.

For more information, call 9290 6716 or visit www.mundaring.wa.gov.au

SOCIAL EVENTS

Sundowner's

14th July. After the workshop at 2:00pm

Members only, with occasional invites to others

We all get together for a convivial afternoon snack, enjoy BYO drink,(or a purchased drink from the fridge) and share a joke or two. Peter Barrett arranges a selection of antipasto bits, savouries and occasionally there is a much sought after vanilla slice. Every member is welcome so come along and join us. There is no charge for the food. A good time is assured.

“Sing – a – Long” Group

These are held at [2 weekly intervals on Thursdays](#) – subject to change if Meg is not available

Next dates – 7th July, 21st July, 4th August

Shed Policy Meetings.

The [3rd Thursday](#) of the month

Games Night

Ralph Squance has organized a games night so you can try your skill at darts, pool and/or cards. You can also form a cheer squad to support the contestants

No cameras, please.....

This is a fortnightly event on Mondays, so come along and give it your support

Next dates – 11th July, 25th July, 8th August

Keep checking the notice board in the woodworking shed for updates and new events