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PRESIDENT'S REPORT MAY 2019

Congratulations to the team at the Bunnings BBQ on the 27th April. A great result of \$1,066 net profit. There were more customers than expected which resulted in us running out of sausages before 4.00 pm deadline and put pressure on the cooks and servers during the busy lunch time period.

I would remind members when borrowing tools to sign them out in the register provided for that purpose and return them promptly. Some of our tools are used daily but items like books can be kept out for a longer time. The Makita Multi-Tool has been returned, (but we still don't know who took it), however the picture frame clamps are still missing.

The Festo orbital sander has been repaired. It is important to remember to use slow speeds when the coarse sanding disc is fitted otherwise it will not last long

Michael Kevin is our member of the month for the work he is doing making toys. The toy makers have parts of trains being put together and painted. Fred's team is going full steam ahead and are well advanced in this year's program.

Ian Raper is meeting with the Council to determine when the historic Bunya Pine, that was cut down will be dry enough to make into a memorial bench. We have also been asked by a group called KYDS to make six sand box trays. These are being made by Bruce and Fred. They are used to help children who have come to this country from war ravaged areas.

David Harrison

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Fund Raising.

As David has already mentioned the Bunnings Thornleigh BBQ held on Saturday 27th April was a great success. This was the result of efforts of the volunteers: Phil Bailey, Nes Bangcoro, Fred Blaauw, Ivan Bosnich, David Boyd, Bruce Campbell, Colin Crispo, Michael Kevin, Louise Pollock, Jim Swain, John Talbot, Len Taylor and Kevin Wallace. This was the first BBQ for Len who only joined the Shed in March.

Our next BBQ will be at Dural on Saturday 13th July. These BBQ's are important to the Shed because they generate funds that allowing us to keep our equipment up to date. Please pencil that date in and give a couple of hours on the day.

Woodworking Videos.

Jim Spence has collected a series of Woodworking videos of short duration – the longest is about 11 minutes. It is planned to show these at some of our Monthly Meetings and maybe run them during our lunch break. More about that later.

MONTHLY MEETING

12.00 NOON* 17 MAY 2019
33A Sefton Road Thornleigh

* Work in Shed will cease at 11.45am and the meeting may start slightly earlier than 12.00Noon

12.00	OPEN MEMBERS' MEETING Agenda Apologies. Welcome to visitors & new members. Secretary's Report & Correspondence. President's Report. Treasurer's Report. Woodturners' Report. Toy Makers' Report. Equipment Report. Welfare Report. Show & Tell. Question & Answers. General Business. Close meeting and resume work on our projects in the Shed.
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Hornsby Woodworking Men's Shed acknowledges the support of the following. Local state member for Hornsby, the Hon Matt Kean; Hornsby Shire Council; Hornsby RSL Club; Magpies Waitara; Bunnings Dural, Bunnings Thornleigh, North Shore Timber Orange lime web design, Bakers Delight Hornsby, and Westfield Hornsby



Please support the organisations that support HWMS.

NEW MEMBERS FOR MAY

Murray Slip, Dave Lemonby, Ian Mckay, Michael Hawkins.

PLEASE WELCOME OUR NEWEST MEMBERS WHEN YOU SEE THEM AT THE SHED.

Member of the Month - May

“The Member of the Month is Michael Kevin. Michael, a retired Motor Vehicle Financier, joined the Shed in August 2018. Over the past 4 months Michael has been busy in making toys for our Toy Program and is currently busy painting some of the finished products. The Shed’s Toy and Gift Making program for our charities, the Salvation Army Hornsby and the Wesley Mission, is proceeding at a great rate of knots because of the input by members like Michael. Than you Michael, and fellow Toy Makers”

David T.

“CUTTING EDGE MAGAZINE” FOR AUTUMN/SUMMER EDITION WILL BE COMING OUT SOON. ALWAYS A GOOD READ. EXPERTLY RESEARCHED AND COMPILED BY PHILIP HIRSBEIN. HIS INSIGHT INTO A FELLOW MEMBER IS ALWAYS INTERESTING AND WELL CONSTRUCTED STORY.



ACTIVITIES AT THE SHED

Our members are busy making an array of fine quality toys for the charities we support. Truly amazing work.



Mr Possum below

