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Objects: The objects of the Shed are to advance the health and well-being of our members by providing a safe and happy environment where men can, in the company of other men;

- a) By their efforts, contribute to their families, their friends, the Shed and their community
 - b) Learn about their own and other men's health and well-being
 - c) Learn new skills, practice and pass on old skills
 - d) Pursue hobbies, pastimes and interests
 - e) Mentor younger men

Next Tuesday, the 21st, we meet at 10.30am for the monthly general meeting. Come along a bit early and catch up with other members. And there are a few new things to see around the Shed. Keep your eye open for the commencement of the Computer classes next month. See John Wright if you have a question. Your next edition of the Shavings will be delivered in a different way. You will get an e-mail with a secure link to the Shavings on the Shed website. The link is 100% safe, set up by our Shed webmaster. Just click the link and there it will be. For those who do not have internet, your printed copy will be in the 'sign in' room.



Saturday, 18 March. Got anything that you want to get rid of? Donate it to our sale. And maybe you can donate an hour or two. See Neil, make him smile! Go on!



The free First Aid Course has filled. There are others who would like to do this at a future date, please register you interest with Richard Curry, with enough starters, it will run again. For those who are on this course, remember,

it is next Thursday, 23rd., 8.30 for a 9am start. And you must bring your USI form with you, completed.

The box trailer that was donated to the shed and duly rebuilt, is excess to requirements to the shed and is therefore for sale. \$700 to members, otherwise it will go up for sale at the upcoming Garage Sale in March at \$800 to the public.





Our 60 tonne wood splitter has arrived. We asked engineer Steve what he thought of the colour; "Very nice "

We have all smiled at the "BLOND JOKES".

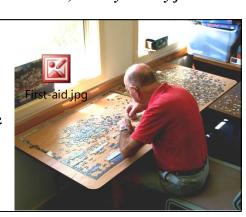
A blonde man shouts frantically into the phone, "My wife is pregnant and her contractions are only two minutes apart!"

"Is this her first child?" asks the Doctor. "No!" he shouts, "this is her husband!"

Two blonde men find three grenades, and they decide to take them to a police station. One asked: "What if one explodes before we get

there?" The other says: "We'll lie, and say we only found two."

Dick is looking for piece no. 1,794. Has anyone seen it laying around??



PROVERB: The wise accumulate knowledge - a true treasure; know-it-alls talk too much, a sheer waste.

Our Shed treasurer recently tried his passport, found it works and left our shores for places distant. These pictures of his suggest he may have been in Japan ??

He can describe how Laurieton is not quite as big as Tokyo.





Best to have your 'Japanese to English' dictionary handy...or you may get lost in the streets below...



....and two very different means of transport.



I assume from the top of this...you can see this...

Free to a good home.....a set of ink cartridges to suit Canon inkjet Pixma 4000. "CLI-521". Contact the Editor.





Have you got one of these? If yes... please wear it. If no... please see the Secretary. Then we will all know who we are.

No more; "hello Mate".

IF MY BODY WAS A CAR !.....this is the time I would be thinking of trading in for a newer model. I've got bumps, dents and scratches in my finish, and my paint job is getting a bit dull.My headlights are out of focus and it is especially hard to see things close up.....my traction is not as graceful as it was; I slip, slide and bump into things even in the best of weather.....my whitewalls are stained with varicose veins. It takes me hours to reach my maximum speed....my fuel rate burns inefficiently.

But here is the worst of it.....almost every time I sneeze, cough or splutter, either MY RAIATOR LEAKS OR MY EXHAUST BACKFIRES.... Author unknown