Shavings

Laurieton Men's Shed

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Vision Statement: The Laurieton Men's Shed aims to be the venue of choice for men of all ages in the local community; to share their interests, skills and ideals in a spirit of mateship and a place to benefit their health through participation in a variety of activities with a sense of belonging.

Happenings Around Your Shed. P&C Meeting - Friday 20th December.

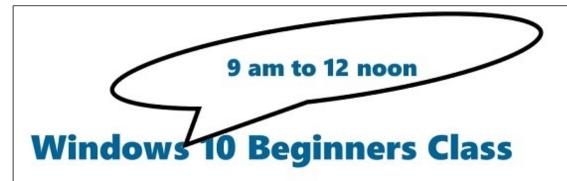
Numbers were expected to be down in the holiday period, and I'm not referring to the cards on the UNO table. Catering resources were a little stretched when about a dozen men found the time to bring LMS activities for 2019 to an end. As usual, a good time was had by all.

FAWNA Small Animal Enclosure Project.

A small team earned triple their normal pay rate working during the holiday break building animal enclosure panels on 1st, 2nd and 3rd January. Pictured here is Treasurer John D with nose to the grindstone ... hands to the cutting wheel.

There is still a lot to be done to complete the project, so if you have half a day, or just a couple of hours free, come to the shed and help to increase the work rate. There are a number of different tasks to complete a panel, and most benefit from have an extra pair of hands. Pay will be at the usual rate.





Come along to the Shed from Thursday 13th February 2020 for some fun with windows 10. Learn new ways to do tasks that take little advanced knowledge or skills in a fun environment with other older men.

Coming Events

Sunday 19th January - Riverwalk Markets.

Starts 8:00am and finishes around 12:00 midday. One of the busiest markets of the year due to the holiday period. If you're in town, and can spend half an hour or more on the LMS stall, it would be appreciated by the regular participants.

Monthly General Meeting: 10:30am Tuesday 21st January.

Coles Raffles

Thursdays 23rd & 30th January.

P&C Meeting - Friday 24th January, 4:00pm - ?.

Pizza is unlikely this month due to fire risk.

Computer Friends resumes Thursday 13th February.

John is starting a series of information sessions focusing on Microsoft Windows 10. If you already use Windows 10 you probably have questions. If you're already a confident user, you will probably learn something new. If you're still using an older Windows system you will learn what to expect if you upgrade before Microsoft support for Windows 7 ends in April 2020. Seating is limited, so let John know if you're likely to attend. Sessions start at 9:00am and finish around mid-day.

STOP PRESS:

The latest announcement on the Microsoft web site indicates that Windows 7 support ends 14 January 2020.

For a Laugh.



I hate it when I'm singing a song and the artist gets the words wrong.

Guts or Balls

Definition or distinction ... or warning

There is a medical distinction between Guts and Balls. We've heard colleagues referring to people with Guts, or with Balls. Do they, however, know the difference between them? Here's the official distinction; straight from the British Medical Journal: Volume 323; page 295.

GUTS - Is arriving home late, after a night out with the guys, being met by your wife with a broom, and having the Guts to ask: "Are you still cleaning, or are you flying somewhere?"

BALLS - Is coming home late after a night out with the guys, smelling of perfume and beer, lipstick on your collar, slapping your wife on the butt and having the Balls to say: "You're next, Chubby"

I trust this clears up any confusion.

Medically speaking, there is no difference in the outcome; both are fatal.





Ponderings:

Confusions still unresolved:

- 1. At a movie theatre, which arm rest is yours?
- 2. If people evolve from monkeys, why are monkeys still around?
- 3. Why is there a 'D' in fridge, but not in refrigerator?
- 4. Who knew what time it was when the first clock was made?

A professor of mathematics sent a fax to his wife. It read:

"Dear wife, You must realize that you are 54 years old and I have certain needs which you are no longer able to satisfy. I am otherwise happy with you as a wife, and I sincerely hope you will not be hurt or offended to learn that by the time you receive this letter, I will be at the Grand Hotel with my 18year-old teaching assistant. I'll be home before midnight. – Your Husband" When he arrived at the hotel, there was a faxed letter waiting for him that read as follows:

"Dear Husband. You too are 54 years old, and by the time you receive this, I will be at the Breakwater Hotel with the 18-year-old pool boy. Being the brilliant mathematician that you are, you can easily appreciate the fact that 18 goes into 54 a lot more times than 54 goes into 18. Don't wait up. LARRYS FUNNY POSTINGS



