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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.

# Laurieton Men's Shed is OPEN - but not the way it was.

Opening hours are: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday: 9:00 am - 3:30 pm. Wednesday & Friday 9.00 am - 12 noon.

Your compliance with the rules is essential to keep us all safe from COVID-19.

- Read the signs and follow directions.
- Frequently clean/disinfect your hands and tools.
- Sign in and out on each visit.
- Stay at least 1.5m away from others.

The Port Macquarie Hastings region has been COVID free for over 5 months.

# IF WE <u>ALL</u> DO THE RIGHT THING WE CAN CONTINUE THAT WAY.

# Happenings Around Your Shed. 2020 AGM.

The Annual General Meeting was held at the Laurieton United Services Club on 15th September. It was good to see several members nominated to participate in the management of our shed. The four vacant committee positions were all contested and the following members were elected: President - Brian Wood, Secretary - Mike Carroll, and two additional positions - Austin Grice and Lance Kellett. Full details have been published in the meeting minutes.

## Rotary Club Book Sale.

LMS members assisted with the setup and shutdown for the book sale at LUSC on 25th September and 12th October. Mostly the heavy lifting of boxes of books. Thanks to all who helped.

### John is Cooking Lunch Again.

John Toth continues to provide lunchtime meals on Tuesdays & Thursdays. All food is prepared and served according to COVID requirements. Look for the planned menu list on the wall near the main entry door. John plans to add "Keto" meals soon.

#### LMS Membership Renewal.

Annual fees (\$30) were due on 01/09/20 but there is a 60 period of Grace. Beyond that men with unpaid fees won't be allowed to participate in Shed activities.

# Coming Events

# October General Meeting

Tuesday 20th October 2020 at the Laurieton Men's Shed, Diamond Head Rd. Meeting commences at 10:30am and will be held outdoors to enable the required social distancing. A temporary shelter will be erected to provide protection from the weather. One small step on the way back to normality.

#### Riverwalk Markets

The next markets are scheduled for Sunday 18th October pending approval of the COVID-19 plan.

## Possible Bunnings BBQ Sunday 1st November.

Bunnings have specific rules regarding how the event is to comply with COVID-19 regulations. The matter will be discussed at the general meeting on Tuesday 20th October before a decision on LMS participation is made.

An Online Garage Sale has been suggested as a substitute for the Shed's usual Garage Sale. If you have any skills in creating and/or running such an event, please contact the Management Committee.

# For a Laugh.

#### Profesional Jokes

A doctor and a lawyer were talking at a party. Their conversation was constantly interrupted by people describing their ailment and asking the doctor for free advice.

After an hour of this, the exasperated doctor asked the lawyer, "What do you do to stop people asking for your legal advice when you're out of the office?"

"I give it to them," replied the lawyer, "and then I send them a bill."

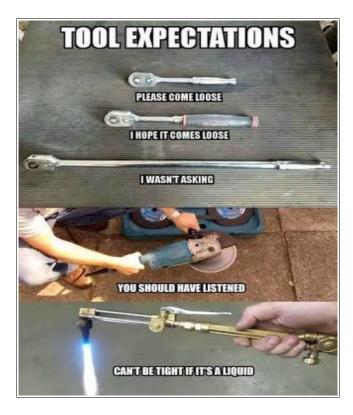
The doctor was shocked, but agreed to give it a try. The next day, still feeling slightly guilty, the doctor prepared the bills. When he went to put them in his mailbox for collection, he found a bill from the lawyer.

What's the definition of a good tax accountant? Someone who has a loophole named after him.

There are three kinds of accountants in the world. Those who can count and those who can't.

Why did the auditor cross the road?

Because he looked in the file and that's what they did last year.





"Your insurance will cover either the vasectomy or the anesthetic. Your call."

He's cured.

When I was in the pub I heard a couple of plonkas saying that they wouldn't feel safe on an aircraft if they knew the pilot was a woman. What a pair of sexists. I mean , it's not as if she'd have to reverse the bloody thing!





"I hope it tastes good. It's for the cat."



"I hooked a real big one but it kept swimming around the boat."



"As you can see, the genius fixed my washer."

