# Shavings

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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.

**COVID Awareness**. While the sharing of interests, skills and ideals is encouraged at the shed, one thing we don't want to share is infectious disease. If it is six months or more since your last jab, consider getting a boost.

If you're unwell, please stay away from the shed.

# Happenings Around Your Shed.

#### Shed Open Hours.

The shed will <u>only</u> be open for normal operations from 8:30am to 2:30pm on Tuesdays and Thursdays until further notice.

## Land Tenure Progress.

Representatives of ADBRI and Hy-Tec attended the LMS Monthly Meeting on 17 October for the signing of the new 10 year lease of the site from ADBRI. Pursuit of the long term goal of freehold title to the land will continue.





Brian Wood - Honorary Life Membership.

Also at the October meeting, Brian Wood was awarded Honorary Life Membership in recognition of his outstanding contribution to the shed during his term as President.

# Coming Events

#### Garage Sale Promotion.

Letterbox delivery of fliers about a week before the sale. If you haven't already volunteered to take a leisurely stroll around your neighbourhood, please see Phil King or Richard Curry.

#### Garage Sale Preparation - Thursday and Friday, 16th and 17th November.

Help is needed for setup on the Thursday and Friday before the sale. You might even find a pre-sale bargain before the hoards get to it on the weekend.

### Riverwalk Market Sunday 19th November 8:00am-1:00pm.

LMS presence at this market will be different from usual. The plan is to have a small team to direct potential customers to the Garage Sale on the same day, and maybe sell some raffle tickets. Talk to a committee member if you want more details.

#### Garage Sale Saturday and Sunday, 18th and 19th November.

Two busy days for one of the biggest fund raisers for your shed. Men needed to help customers find what they're looking for, guide them to the cashier, then load their new-found treasures into their car.

## November Monthly Meeting - 10:30am Tuesday 21st November.

At the shed - 164 Diamond Head Road Dunbogan.

After the meeting the usual sausage sangas will be available.

### LMS Monthly Social Afternoon (aka P&C) from 12:30pm Friday 24th November.

Back to normal this month. A good feed, a drink or two, and good company for a relaxing afternoon with shed mates, all at a bargain price - \$5 gets you pizza and other nibbles and your first drink. Additional drinks are \$2.50 each.

#### Raffles.

A major contributor to the funding of your shed. Raffles outside Coles Laurieton and Woolworths Lakewood - 9:00am-3:00pm. Please contact Barry Heginbotham on 0400 968 250 or <a href="mailto:barryheginbotham@gmail.com">barryheginbotham@gmail.com</a> if you're available to help.

#### Choir.

The choir rehearsals are on Tuesday mornings in preparation for local performances. New members needed - contact Graham King if you're interested.

#### Computer Group.

Meets on Thursdays (9am-12noon). Help is available with technology issues in mobile phones, tablets, laptop and desktop PCs.

#### Writing Group.

Thursday mornings 10:00am - 12:00noon. Tony Robinson provides assistance to members wishing to document their memoirs.

For a Laugh.







### Wise Words.

And the cardiologist's diet: if it tastes good spit it out.

May your troubles be less, may your blessings be more, and may nothing but happiness come through your door.