

# 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.

## Laurieton Men's Shed is OPEN -

Continuation of distancing and hand hygiene measures is encouraged.

### Happenings Around Your Shed.

#### Port Macquarie Ironman

If you noticed a significant improvement in road maintenance in the Camden Haven during the last few days of April, this event was most likely the cause. The effective management of road closures in Bonny Hills, North Haven, Laurieton and Dunbogan was noted by the event organisers. The reopening of the roads and the stand down of volunteer traffic marshals was particularly well handled in comparison to previous events. Well done by all LMS and other community group volunteers involved.

#### Firewood

With cooler weather on the way, the demand for firewood is increasing. John & Terry preparing an unusually large order.



Photos by Steve Sessions.

**Honey:** Currently available \$10 per 1kg tub. Get in quick if you want some as there is unlikely to be any more for a few months after existing stock is sold.

**Reminder:**

**Caravan/Trailer/Container/Boat Storage Fees.**

Fees will increase from \$7.50 to \$10.00 per week, commencing Monday 4th July 2022.

## **Coming Events**

### **Choir Rehearsals**

9:00am Tuesday mornings. New members needed. Contact Graham King if you're interested.

### **Computer Group.**

Meets on Thursdays (9am-12noon). Topics are variable. Having trouble with your PC, tablet, or mobile phone, come along and discuss your issue.

### **Raffles.**

Outside Coles Laurieton - 9:00am-3:00pm Thursday 19th May, 9th and 23rd June.

### **Riverwalk Market Sunday 15th May 8:00am-1:00pm.**

The monthly market is a major event for promoting the shed to the community. A relaxing time meeting locals and selling a few shed made and refurbished items.

### **May General Meeting**

Tuesday 17th April 10:30am at the Shed, 164 Diamond Head Rd. Dunbogan.

### **LMS Monthly Social Afternoon (formerly P&C).**

Friday 20th May 12:00 midday until around 3:00pm. Nibbles, pizza and a drink for \$5. Additional drinks \$2 each. Please ensure your name is on the whiteboard, or email Scotty at [mensshedlaurieton@gmail.com](mailto:mensshedlaurieton@gmail.com) by Thursday 19th May, to ensure there is enough food to go around, and to minimise wastage.

## **The Generation Gap...**

Recently, I went to McDonald's and I saw on the menu that you could have an order of 6, 9 or 12 Chicken McNuggets.

I asked for a half dozen nuggets.

'We don't have half dozen nuggets,' said the teenager at the counter.

'You don't?' I replied.

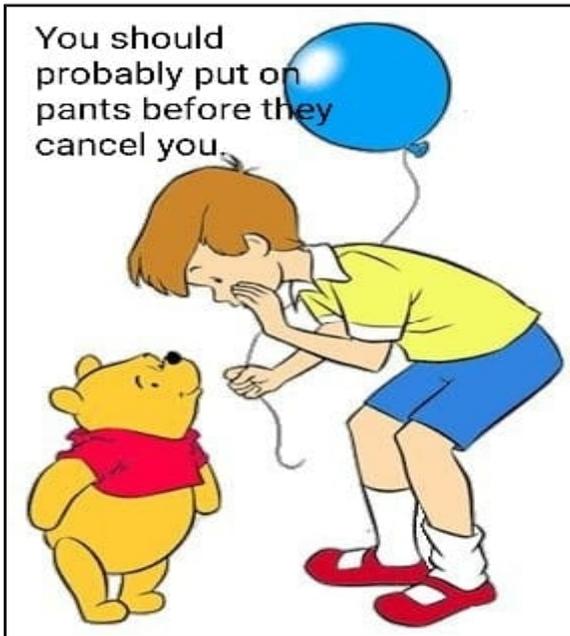
'We only have six, nine, or twelve,' was the reply.

'So I can't order a half dozen nuggets, but I can order six?'

'That's right.'

So I shook my head and ordered six McNuggets.

## For a Laugh.



**NO I CAN'T DO SNAPCHAT  
OR TIKTOK BUT I CAN WRITE  
IN CURSIVE, DO MATH  
WITHOUT A CALCULATOR  
AND TELL TIME ON A  
CLOCK WITH HANDS.**

**I said I was good at  
making decisions. I didn't  
say the decisions I made  
were good.**

**New seatbelt design:  
45% less car accidents!!**



### **More Court Records**

How Do Court Reporters Keep Straight Faces? These are from a book called *Disorder in the Courts* and are things people actually said in court, word for word, taken down and published by court reporters that had the torment of staying calm while the exchanges were taking place.

ATTORNEY: Doctor, how many of your autopsies have you performed on dead people?

WITNESS: All of them. The live ones put up too much of a fight.

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ATTORNEY: ALL your responses MUST be oral, OK? What school did you go to?

WITNESS: Oral...