

Sunnybank District Community Men's Shed Inc.

Website: www.sunnybankshed.org

Men in sheds, building communities, working shoulder to shoulder.

Newsletter: July 2017

OPEN DAY



10am - 2pm **Saturday 8 July**

GARAGE SALE Hardware, 2nd Hand Tools

HAND MADE PRODUCTS Puzzles, Bird Feeding Boxes, Teaching Trains, Dump Trucks ...

COMMUNITY COMPOSTING HUB by Brisbane City Council

> **SAUSAGE SIZZLE RAFFLES**

WOOD TURNING DEMOS





Leather Excursion

On Tuesday 27 June seventeen of us headed off to Mt Gravatt Men's Shed. Rod and his team have been going for about four years. They have produced many items and developed a number of skills over that time including making some of their own tools. We would like to thank the men for welcoming us and hosting us so well.



We found a few projects to get us started. We came away with a greater understanding and appreciation of the craft.



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Location: Hillcrest St, Sunnybank Hills-Adjacent to Sunnybank Uniting Church parking area.

Postal Address: Unit 5 / 62 Pinelands Road, Sunnybank Hills. QLD. 4109



This shed is the initiative of the Sunnybank RSL Sub Branch and the Sunnybank Uniting Church.





Looking Back

Last Friday our guests were Dr Neville Buch and some of the Sunnybank District History Group. The group meets on the first Saturday of each month between 1 pm and 3 pm at the Sunnybank Hills Library. About 48 people were present to hear about and see various maps dating from 1886. Neville also showed some aerial photographs from 1944 and 1960. Originally Aborigines lived largely along the Bulimba and Oxley Creeks. Boundary and

McCullough Roads were built by convicts to link Ipswich to Port Cleveland. Settlers moved into the area from the late 1870s. The railway line opened in 1885. Runcorn School started as a bush school in 1901.

For more see the booklet "Paddocks to Pavements". https://sites.google.com/site/sunnybankdistricthistory



Turning scraps into nutrients!

The Brisbane City Council

will be promoting

the NEW Community

Compost Hub

on Saturday 8 July.

From The Committee

- ⇒ Welcome to all the New Members. About nine joined during June.
- ⇒ Plans are underway to open the shed on Tuesdays. We'll keep you posted.
- ⇒ We were able to donate a lathe and disc sander to Beenleigh Men's Shed.
- ⇒ You will notice some cleaning up around the place in readiness for our Open Day on 8 July.
- ⇒ Two new gas heaters were bought for use in the cooler months.
- ⇒ Mike has bought new metal work gear for the other shed.
- ⇒ Warwick is investigating the extension of the shelter concrete to the container and office.
- ⇒ The updating of our CPR and First Aid qualifications is being planned.

Your Dues are NOW DUE!

Please walk up to Mike L. with your \$40 anytime after July 1.

DATES for 2017

Committee Meetings 3rd Friday each month
July 21
August 18
September 15

Shed B-B-Q & Social Day - last Friday of the month - next one 28 July

Pyrography

If you want to learn the basics of burning letters and pictures into wood, see Owen.

Happy Birthday!

On JULY 13th - Graham McM. & Ken O'B. 15th - Col H. 22nd - George D. 27th - Con J.

New Faces

Mike G.



Hobbies: Restoring old cars, making & fixing things

Recent Holiday: N.Z. cruise

Previous Job: Sales Rep. for hardware company

Rob D.

Hobbies: Gardening, Reading

Recent Holiday: New York

Previous Job: NAB Bank Officer,



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