

Bayswater Community Men's Shed Newsletter

*Merry
Christmas*



Christmas Celebration

A lovely spread was prepared by our Treasurer, Tony Taylor. A little more up market than our usual Sausage Sizzle. Thanks Tony.



Carols by Candlelight

Many thanks to those who manned our stall at this event. We made \$250 selling items made in the Shed.

Fund Raising

We have a Bunnings Sausage Sizzle on the December 21, this is a huge fund raising event for the shed. Many thanks to those who volunteer to help out at these events. This money helps buy the consumables you use in the Shed. A huge thank you to Tony T. for managing these events.



Dust Extraction

Only one more section for the drop saws and connect machines with flexible ducting. A huge thank you to Trevor S for managing this project and all those who helped.

SAFETY ALERT

The cutting disk shown was found in the bin, it had clearly been used for grinding. These disks have been banned/restricted on industrial sites because workers use the cutting disk for grinding. This increases the risk of injury to yourself and others as the disk can shatter or explode sending pieces in all directions. The disk shown was out of round, an indicator that it was close to shattering.



**DO NOT USE A
CUTTING DISK
FOR GRINDING**



Railway Sleepers and Tree Stakes

We received a donation of tree stakes from the City of Bayswater, most of which are still very usable. The Sleepers were donated through one of Craig N's contacts. Looking in MarketPlace these are selling for very healthy prices. We hope to set up an account in Market place next year to sell these items as well as a few of our excess machines.



Laptops

Our previous Secretary, Tony M. applied for a grant for laptops, a printer, conferencing camera and mesh router, David S. is busy setting up this equipment for your use.

Bunnings Family Night

Thanks to those who volunteered to cook sausages and man our stall. We sold a few items and will get a Bunnings voucher manning the BBQ. Bunnings also let us keep the left over sauce which we can use at other fund raising sausage sizzles.



Shed Organisation

We get many donations of tools, fixings and other bits and bobs. It is a huge task to organise all of these items so that they can be easily found when needed. Thanks to Eric for managing this Shed organisation

Last Shed day for 2024
December 19.

We Open on
January 7, 2025.