



VICTOR HARBOR MEN'S SHED

Working shoulder to shoulder

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Meetings:

Tues, Wed, Fri

9.00am - 3.30pm

(Except Public Holidays)



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REMINDER Machine training.

Don't forget, for all those wanting to use more machines, but who still have to go through the verification or training process, please note: Machine training days will be held once per month, on the



Second Tuesday each month, starting at 10:30 am.
Next one will be on 14th January 2025

However, Ian Toogood has offered that in the New Year, he will come in specially on Tuesday mornings to conduct sessions
every Tuesday for a few weeks, starting on 21st January, then review, based on the interest of "learners"! Check the notice board for machines to be covered.

Have a chat to Ian Toogood, Dennis Williams or Darryl Keane if interested.



My son wanted to borrow my cordless drill. 'Here you go boy use grandads'.....😂



This morning, I accidentally changed the GPS Voice to "Male." Now it just says, "It's around here somewhere. Keep driving."

TUESDAY & FRIDAY LUNCH ROSTER FOR JANUARY 2025

As always, with rosters, if the time or arrangement doesn't suit, please negotiate a swap with someone.

TUESDAY	MENU	FRIDAY	MENU
14th January: Barry Tietzel	Bangers & Mash	17th January: Roger Thompson, Phil Brown? Kym Brown?	Roast chicken, roast potatoes, veggies, onion gravy, bread roll
21st January: Darryl Keane, Gary Homes & Greg Allison	Hot Dogs	24th January: Christopher Wright & ?	Pork fillet with grilled fruits & salad
28th January: Randy Barber & Scott Graham	Veggie Burgers with cheese, tomatoes & lettuce.	31st January: Gordon Stanger & Malcolm Howison	Khachapuri (national dish of Georgia) -pastry boat with cheese & egg

Special Note for Cooks / Chefs when buying food:***For Tuesday meals -***

Always difficult to predict numbers, but please limit your spend to \$40.

For Friday meals -

At the last decision for Fridays, the suggestion was to cater for 25 people. Surplus meals can be sold to members in takeaway containers for \$2 donations.

***The City of Victor Harbor 2025 Citizen of the Year - Dennis Williams***

A well deserved award to Dennis for his tireless work in the community, especially for the Victor Harbor Men's Shed, as well as for the Victor Harbor Bowling Club. Dennis was the inaugural President of VHMS, and Prime Mover in the construction of our amazing Shed.

The formal awards ceremony is to be held at the Soldiers Memorial Gardens as part of the Australia Day celebrations on Sunday 26th January, commencing at 9am. There's a free BBQ breakfast at 8am, and there'll be other entertainment (VH City Band, Rebecca Gagliardi).

Christmas Breakup Lunch

On Friday 13th December, members and wives / partners got together and thoroughly enjoyed an amazing Breakup Lunch, prepared by Chef Christopher Wright and his Merry Men, with a big choice of salads, supplied by the members.



In Case You Missed It!

You won't recognise the place

Over the break there were a couple of working bees to help with a clean up at the Shed, to get ready for the New Year! We swept, dusted, labelled, tidied, emptied trailers, sorted, washed windows, and found stuff, which we returned to rightful places! You should see the storeroom - but don't mess it up, or Gordon will be after you. (And remember to label your projects with your **name** and the **date**!!)

MASSIVE thanks to all concerned!

There is an ancient legend that says if you can't sleep at night it is because you are awake.

The Christmas Float.

The Breakup Lunch would normally be our last event for the year, but in 2024 the Christmas Pageant was the next day, so on Saturday 14th December, some of our members decorated our float (the Ginger Bread House), dressed up for the part, and delivered those toys to the eager hands of young children watching the Pageant.



When a man says he'll do anything for a woman, he means fight bad guys and kill dragons, not vacuum or wash dishes

A Few Reminders

Lunch orders by phone: - If you can't make it to the Shed before 11am and you want to order lunch, please make sure you think about our poor cooks, slaving over a hot stove, and make sure you phone **BEFORE 11am, no later!** Try to contact someone you know to be there, but if that fails, you can ring me (John Mardell - 0411 027 903).

Sunday 19th January - Bunnings Sausage Sizzle - thanks to those who've volunteered, last report there were still some gaps, please contact Greg (0412 618 665) if you can help.

The Insurance claim has gone in, we have the money, but it's a busy time for the repairers so unfortunately we'll have to wait a little longer for our fridges & air conditioners to be repaired. Hopefully, soon!

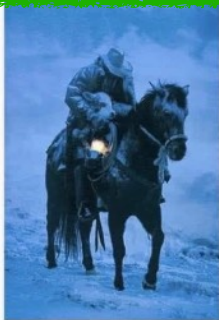
Subscriptions of \$35 for 2025 are now due. An updated form will need to be filled in. If you talk to Greg, Peter Z, Mark or Peter Moss, you can pay by credit card.

Tuesday 14th January 2025, we open again for business!

Sometime soon in 2025: Dennis has indicated there'll be a Bowling Night at the Victor Harbor Bowling Club. Usually a Friday evening, with a tea to follow. Watch this space!



You had one job!



Cowboys would put a lantern on their saddle at night so they could find the trail when they were far from home. This was early Saddle Light Navigation

Thanks to Bill Graham, Colin Kupke, Keith Watts, Derrick Selby, Tony Walter, Peter Zanker, Dennis Williams, & Allan Edmondson - Stott for their contributions to this Newsletter.

Happy New Year to all the members and supporters of the Victor Harbor Men's Shed



Cheers, John.

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