



August 2024

Events in

August

10 Bedforddale Market

29 Management
Committee meeting

31 Talk by Ian
Charlesworth on mu-
sical horns, followed
by the end of month
sausage sizzle.

This month's birthdays

Ray Halligan

Matters arising from the July man- agement meeting:

1. We are currently spending around \$500 every two months for electricity charges. Owing to the lack of funding sources for solar panels, Henry will be revisiting our quotes and approvals for installation using our own funds.
2. Our latest grant application to the Australian Men's Shed Association was unsuccessful. Henry hopes, as we all do, for better luck in the next funding round which has just opened.
3. Ian Charlesworth will be giving a talk on musical horns on the 31st and his part in Perth's musical scene.
4. The committee is proposing some changes to our rules of association so that we can obtain deductible gift registration with the ATO and enable donors to claim tax deductions. The changes need to be approved by special resolution at the AGM. Further information will be sent to you along with the notice of the AGM.
5. The Shed's Annual General Meeting will be held on the 26th of September. Think about nominating to join the committee. Nomination forms will be sent out by the 10th of August.
6. Making up a list of member's skills for opening a repair shop is a work in progress. See Murray if you have skills to share as we plan to open shop in the Spring.
7. Jeff Cairns has finished installing lighting and power under the new carport.

Your Committee

Phil Aked Pres.

Ronnie Hansen VP

Henry Zelones Tr.

Ian Hafekost Sec.

Murray Hight

John Stenhouse

Graham Hantler

Stephen Hughes

Jack Dowling

Shed members enjoying the special second birthday morning tea



July was Our Second Anniversary

Yes, it is two years since the Waterwheel Community Shed opened for business. To celebrate our second birthday as the Waterwheel Community Shed (we officially opened on 9th July 2022) instead of cake, we were treated to a tasty spicy soup made by Henry, and some flat bread cooked on the barbecue by resident chef Mike . An excellent morning tea! Thanks to all the hard work of our enthusiastic members, the Shed has gone from strength to strength and is continuing to grow.



July's talk was from Metronet

Paul arranged for couple of people from Metronet to come along to the Shed to give us an update on progress in extending the Armadale railway line to Byford. We were given an illustration on how things are changing in Byford to accommodate the new station. Once finished, and our presenters were a little cagey on when the extension will be open, Paul will be able to travel from Byford to Perth in 42 minutes on a comfortable and warm Transperth train.



Days open	15
Attendances	198
Av.attendance	13
Other groups	0