

Kushed Bulletin

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Christmas Lunch

A well-attended Christmas lunch was served on Friday, 14th December. It was held for the first time in the Multi-Purpose Centre of our new extension. The cooking group did the catering under Ruth's supervision and provided a delicious spread. They are to be congratulated on an excellent job.

The raffle was well supported with all those amazing prizes. The proceeds, together with a cash donation from the Shed, enabled us to donate \$400 to the Hornsby & Ku-ring-gai Women's Shelter.

The winners of the raffle were:

Peter Jones - LED Light

Russel- Book

Bruce - BBQ Buddy

Ian - BBQ Wipes

Gahn - Wine

Grahame - Cake

Alex - Sharpening tool

Congratulations to all.



Intruder

An intruder was apprehended in the lunchroom the other day. It was treated with great care and respect but expelled from the premises as it failed to pay the membership subscription. We have re-located it to more suitable environs.

It is thought to be an immature Cunningham Skink.

See also <https://bie.ala.org.au/species/urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:31450840-9baf-4581-a5db-ab50ee5a8f93>



Volunteers of the Shed Bushcare Group

A few of the Bushcare members were off to a flying start, or maybe closer to crawling start going by the photo. With our recent Shed extension DA approval, we are required to provide Bushcare management of the surrounding area. This involves removal of weeds, some planting and encouraging the area to regenerate and maintain to its natural state.

This is an opportunity to learn something about Bushcare in our area and native plants that inhabit Duffy's Forest Ecological Community. If interested please complete the volunteer sign-on sheet in the lunchroom or email kushed@bigpond.com



Shed Parking

Council has requested that members use the parking area between the Douglas Pickering Pavilion and the dog training area, south of the Shed.

This is so the grass can re-establish in the Events area, where we have been parking.



Nativity Project Salvation Army

In our previous edition of the Bulletin there was an article on a Nativity Scene project. We have received the following response:

*"Thank you so much for the beautiful job you did for me with the Nativity scene.
We finally got it painted and assembled in the courtyard at our Aged Care Centre.
There have already been so many positive comments from residents and their families.*

*Once again, many thanks and I wish all your members and their families a Happy Christmas and
may 2019 be a good year for you.
Every blessing*

*Edith Kardell
Director of Mission and Chaplain*





Lunchroom Enlargement

We are in the process of enlarging the lunchroom at the Shed by moving the back wall further into the previous metal shop. It will overcome the crowding that has taken place in the lunchroom at morning coffee and at lunchtime. Two large tables have been added to replace 2 smaller ones.

Shed Clean-Up

The last Shed day of the year was spent giving the Shed a thorough clean. Targeted were areas that are often difficult to get at and also remove any unusable materials. Thanks to those that attended and helped out.

Not a New Shed Service

Having sharpened his hair clipper blades, John needed a victim to confirm he had re-assembled them correctly and that they worked.

I am glad to report that no Shedder was harmed in the testing.





JJ and the cup holder

When we had our Christmas party JJ said that what he would really like for Christmas was a cup holder for his walking frame. His comments were overheard by a good Samaritan Shedder.

He searched the internet and ended up getting one sent from the USA. Our Samaritan visited JJ in Wesley Gardens retirement village at Belrose and put it on for him. It was lovely to see JJ so pleased and happy to finally have his cup holder he had been wanting for so long. It is a gift from our Shed in recognition of all the time and work JJ spent teaching everyone how to weld.

Notices

Summer edition of the Shedder newsletter

<https://mensshed.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/10/The-Shedder-Summer-Bec-compressed.pdf>



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