

Agenda for Men's Shed General Meeting Thursday 10th February 2022

1 Apologies

2 Chairman's report

- a) Current shed status
 - 1) Building complete (see later presentation)
 - 2) Maintenance of building and garden including hedge
- b) History audio visual presentation
- c) Session ideas:-

Social evenings

- 1) Darts night
- 2) Cards/board games
- 3) Film night
- 4) Quiz night

Social daytime

- 1) Continue to refurbish dolls house
- 2) Walks in New Forest
- 3) Brewery visit
- 4) Other trips
- 5) Repair cafe

Other proposed sessions (needing session managers)

- 1) Mobile phone photography
- 2) Model train layout
- 3) Wood carving
- 4) Pyrography
- 5) Stone painting

Extra

- 1) Prepare item for C Centre's Carnival Float
- 2) Tree planting to commemorate Platinum Jubilee (in member's field)

3 Covid Status

4 Community Drop-Ins

5 Room Hire

A.O.B.

Date and time of next meeting:-

Minutes from General Meeting held in Men's Shed Thursday 10th February 2022

1 Apologies:-Iain Redman, Bill Catt

2 Chairman's report.

- a) Chris Compton welcomed everyone (attended by 19 members/visitors) to our first general meeting since re-opening. He followed this with a presentation of the current shed status, followed by an audio visual presentation detailing the history from the original suggestion of sessions for ladies in the Community Centre, but nothing for men. The struggles and hoops he had to jump through were greatly appreciated. This presentation was well received, especially by those who had not known the background.
- b) A request was made for another person to be responsible for the maintenance of the building and grounds, including the hedge.
- c) Session ideas :-
 - d) Social evenings
 - 1) Darts night
 - 2) Cards/board games
 - 3) Film night (Chris to organise)
 - 4) Quiz night (to be investigated)
 - e) Social daytime
 - 1) Continue to refurbish doll's house with suitable fittings for use by children
 - 2) Walks in the New Forest
 - 3) Visit to brewery
 - 4) Other trips
 - 5) Repair Café - Palm Room and bikes in the Shed

Other proposed sessions (needing session managers)

- 1) Mobile phone photography (David Pratt)
- 2) Mobile train layout (00 gauge) - Wed afternoon following completion of doll's house (Nigel)
- 3) Wood carving - Pete Trodd 2 hours per week, tools to be sourced by Pete.
- 4) Pyrography - managed by Brian Trusson date and time to be decided
- 5) Stone painting - Shelagh Trusson as above
- 6) Beginners guitar lessons - managed by Graham Morton. Chris to design an advertising leaflet, to be submitted to Graham for approval, then printed for distribution.

Extra ideas :- Prepare items for Community Centre carnival float (June)

Tree planting in member's field to celebrate Diamond Jubilee

3. Covid Status

4 Community drop-ins, to include Thursday a.m. in conjunction with Baby Bundles

5 Room hire :- Water Aid and Blackwell Bushcraft. Presentation given by Kirstie and Grace explaining what they will be doing. Excellent.

A.O.B. None

Date and time next meeting Thursday 23rd March

Meeting closed 8.08.