

Monash Men's Shed Inc. at Bogong Reserve, 1/49-77 Bogong Avenue, Glen Waverley, Victoria, Australia, 3150 Phone 9561 8557 LOCKDOWN OFFICE HOURS: Monday to Saturday 9.30 to 1:30 For Public holidays, contact our office on 9561 8557

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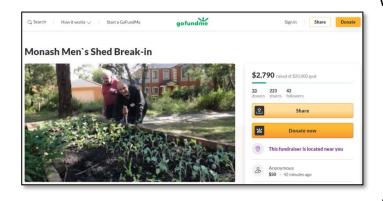


September 2021

### **Recent Break In**

Last week, the Monash Mens Shed was subject to a burglary. The investigation into our break in is nearing completion with the likely hood of a resolution unlikely. We are currently finalising our insurance claim with the insurance company which can be complicated and time consuming.





We have had a lot of support from the Businesses and the Community. A store credit for goods to the value of \$1000+ has been received from Costless Bolts and Industrial Supplies. Other business pledge opportunities are currently being negotiated. Our GoFundMe project which is an online donation program has generated some fantastic donations

Some of the significant donations received so far are:

Matt Fregon Member for Mount Waverley	\$500	
Corey Nehez	\$500	
Fleetwood Mens shed UK		200 EGP
Gladys Lui Member for Chisholm		\$100-

All donors will be acknowledged collectively in due course.

# How can I help?

Our fundraising continues as we try to replace our lost equipment. For those who would like to donate, the link to the GoFundMe page is detailed below. <u>https://au.gofundme.com/f/Monash-Mens-shed-break-in</u>

Our donations Bank Account details are listed on the sheds website <u>www.monashshed.org.au</u>

Members can assist us in replacing our equipment by promoting the fundraising options to their family and friends. Donations are tax deductable.

The donations of second-hand goods should be delayed until further notice. Aden and Maurie Turner will be managing any offers of tools by promoting next month.

## **Member Welfare**

Our shed remains closed whilst the current regulations are in place and any member seeking support should contact our Coordinator Aden Green at the shed or our Welfare Team Leaders Phil Terry. In this difficult time the support for each other is crucial in our overall wellbeing. The Shed office number is 9561 8557 and Phils number is 0419 137 313.

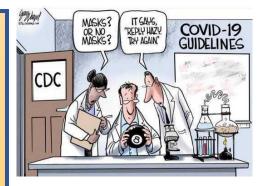


# Shed Zoom



Are you missing the shed and your mates this lockdown? Looking to learn what all this "zoom" and "video chat" stuff is all about? Are you bored outta your mind?! Then there is the possibility of the shed rehashing their weekly zoom meetings over this lockdown. If you are interested in a Shed Zoom group, send an email to Daniel at danielroper2522@gmail.com.

Email in your submissions to the newsletter to danielroper2522@gmail.com It could be Shed related or a photo of something you've made, something significant that has happened in your life or even a joke or fact you would like to share. Anything you like. We would love to hear from you!



#### Thank you to our Partners and Supporters



#### HELPLINES

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