

# SHED FOCUS

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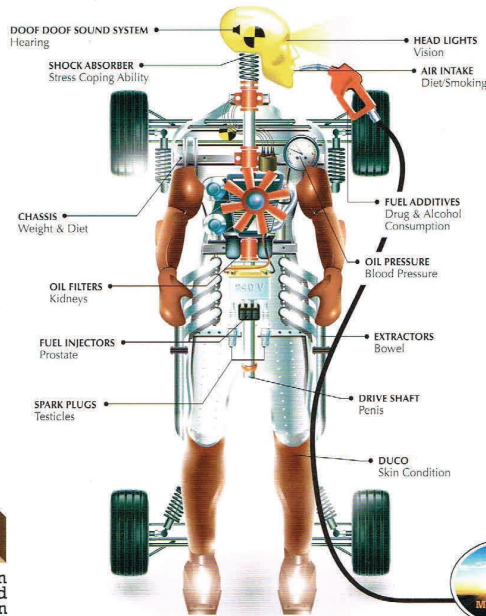
Thursday 10th October 2013

11:30am to 4:00pm

Please come along, bring your friends and neighbours for a "free"  
health check and BBQ,

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We have been very lucky to have the South Western Medicare  
Local Team working with us on this initiative.  
Many thanks for making this event possible.

Please Note :

There will be no workshops active on this day.



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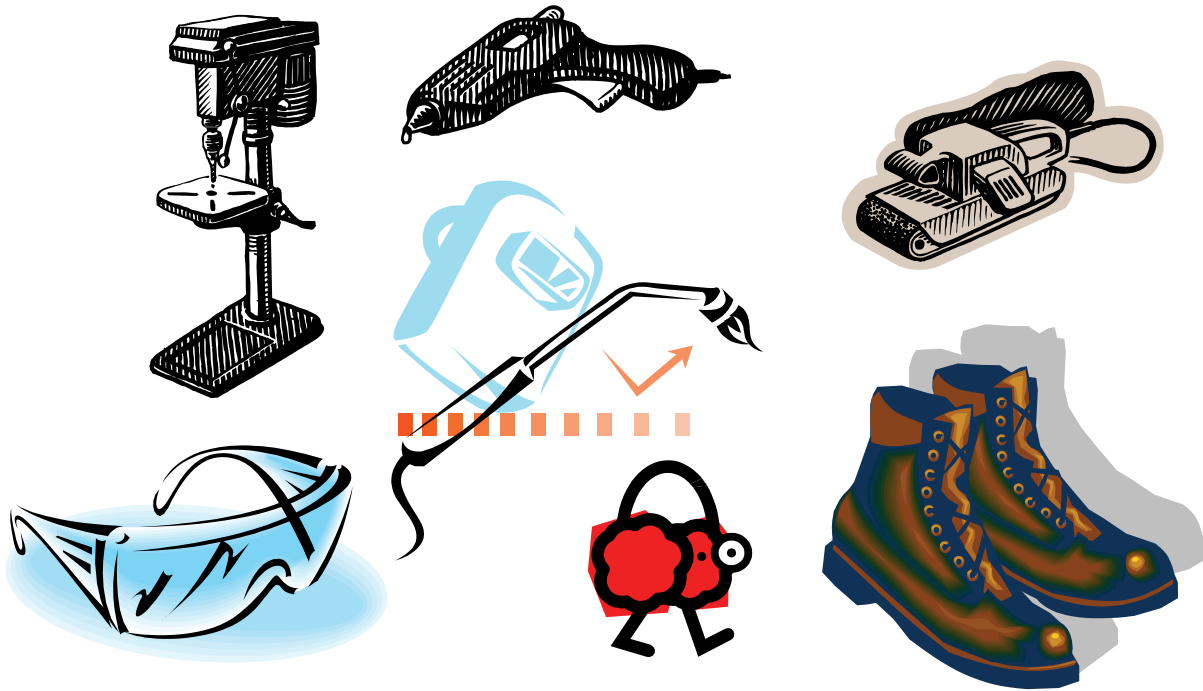
WERRIBEE  
AUTOMOTIVE GROUP



CAR-TREK  
Automotive

## YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES OF BEING A MEMBER

To enable the Shed to ensure our work spaces are being actively attended, please remember to sign in & out of the attendance book at reception with the name of the group you are attending. If you are not actively participating in a particular group you should sign in as “Social”. This allows your Committee to determine if an area needs to be re-evaluated.



## WORKSHOP SAFETY

If attending a workshop you are also required to observe the necessary health and safety aspects, not just for yourself but others using the area. Hearing & eye protection, sturdy footwear, dust masks and be aware of others health issues. If you notice someone that isn't using the necessary safety equipment, just a gentle reminder is sometimes all that is required.

## ENGINEERING WORKSHOP

Congratulations to several of our enthusiastic members, Andrew Holc, Graeme Mathews (WD), Fred Knight and Maurice Cavellho who have been busy beavers organising this area.

Wish there were more like them!!

## SAD NEWS !!

On Saturday 21st September Barry Frisby passed away. Barry was a loyal member of our Shed and definitely a “character” known for his way with words. When asked “how are you today Barry” he would respond “all the better for being here”. Barry will be sadly missed by all who knew him.

## CAR TORQUE

Car Torque is held on the first Sunday of each month. Next meeting 6th October 2013.

## CAR BOOT SALE

Another successful day. Many thanks to all our Members who assisted with the organisation on the day.

## THURSDAY & FRIDAY LUNCHESES—STILL A GOOD FEED

Is there anyone interested in “cooking up a storm” for the benefit of our Members???

Please have a chat with Alf.



## HOBSONS BAY MEN'S SHED MECHA GROUP

We are pleased to advise the start up of a new group within our Shed. This group was formerly the Mecha Club Melbourne. The Committee was approached by Alan Britten to become part of our organisation and their first activity will be held on Saturday 26th October from approximately 10am to 5pm. This group build plastic models (example of their work above) they can provide a limited number of kits to first timers who are interested in participating and welcome newcomers to join them.

## “ALFIE” - RESTORATION

Work on Alfie is progressing slowly. Most of the rust has been removed and before we know it, Alfie will be roaming the streets of Altona.

## HOUSEKEEPING

Tools and equipment are becoming hard to locate in the workshops due to Members not returning them to their correct store places. As you can imagine it is very frustrating to go to where a particular item should be and it is not there. Regardless of other Members wanting to use the same tool after you have finished using it, you should always return it to its rightful place. The same applies to cleaning your work area. If you make the mess it is up to you to clean it up. Not leave it for others .

## **OPENING TIMES**

### **If the gate is open come in.**

<b>Woodwork</b>	Monday 9.30 am to 1.00 pm. Thursday 9.30am to 2.00pm (All members invited to attend lunch 12.00pm, bread rolls and occasionally soup \$5.00) Friday 9.30am to 3.00pm. (All members invited to attend a BBQ lunch 12.00pm \$5.00)
<b>Computer Lessons</b>	Please contact Ken Jupp
<b>Computer Restoration</b>	Thursday 10.00am – 3.00pm Friday 10.00am – 3.00pm
<b>Boat Restoration Group</b>	Monday 9.30 am to 1.00 pm Friday 9.30am to 3.00 pm
<b>Car Torque</b>	First Sunday each Month 10.00am to 3.00pm
<b>Metal Work</b>	Thursday 9.30am to 3.00pm & Friday 9.30am to 3.00pm
<b>Aged Care/Disabled Activities</b>	Wednesday 10.30am – 2.00 pm *
<b>Know your Tools/Projects</b>	Tuesday 4pm – 7pm (personal projects preferred)
<b>Camera/Photography</b>	Thursday 1.00pm—2.30pm
<b>Musical Instruments</b>	Friday 12.30am to 3.00pm
<b>Mambourin</b>	Tuesday 10.00am to 2.00pm *
<b>Morris Minor Project</b>	Please confer with Andrew Holc or Graham Weightman if you wish to assist

**\* Please Note : Whilst all members are welcome to attend the shed at any time it is open, it should be noted that no machinery in the workshops should be used while aged care, disabled or Mambourin are in attendance without permission of the group leader. (ie Tuesday & Wednesday)**

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