

Kushed Bulletin

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Two Shedders Receive Recognition

Two of our longest serving members have received awards in the Kur-ring-gai Mayoral Awards for Senior's Week.

Kevin Jeffress and Mike Vernon were recognised for their outstanding contribution to The Shed and to the wider community.

Here are excerpts from their Award Nominations

Kevin Jeffress

Kevin was a foundation member of "The Shed" and served on the management committee for some 8 years as Vice President. He has been a driving force in undertaking projects for the community. Notable projects have included:

- Repetitive manufacture and supply of bocchia slides for the Cerebral Palsy Alliance
- Numerous furniture and pergola projects for kindergarten schools
- Repetitive orders of bee hive boxes for Ku-ring-gai Council and others.
- Rehabilitation steps for Adventist Hospital (SAN)
- Kitchen project for Pymble Swimming Club

Mike Vernon

- Active member of "The Shed" since joining in 2011
- Member of Ku-ring-gai Volunteer Rural Bushfire Service for the past 40 years
- Volunteer bus driver
- Member of Shed Management Committee
- Co-managing Metal Workshop

- Current member of Shed Planning Group for additional construction of new premises
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Bee Boxes by the Bus Load

Kevin Jeffress, as lead designer, has worked with Peter Clark, a noted Apiarist, to design and build native bee boxes to be distributed through the Ku-ring-gai Council.

Kevin then led members of The Shed in the mammoth task of constructing the hundreds of boxes required. This is a combination community project for the good of the environment and a source of income for The Shed.



Tasty Treats at The Shed Cooking Class

The cooking class at the The Shed, which meets several Fridays per month, certainly seemed to be enjoying themselves when snapped last week.

The recipe for one of the highlights of the meal, Stuffed Tomatoes, is available on our website here <http://www.kushed.org.au/Web-files/StuffedTomatoesFeb2016.pdf>

Please contact Linton Scott for further information on the class.



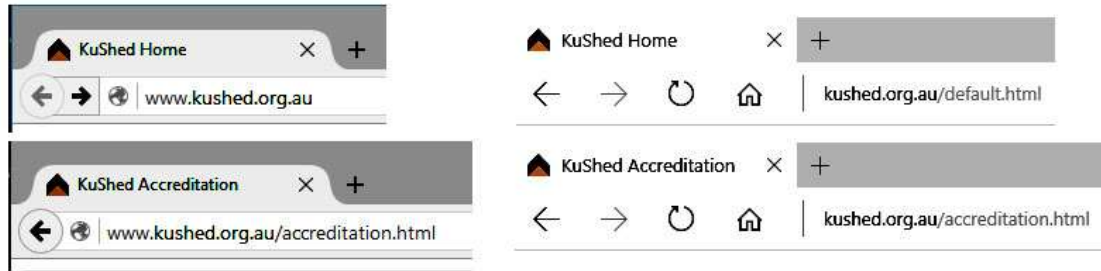
Accreditation to use machinery and equipment

Safety at the Shed is paramount for the shedders and their guests. Members who want to use any of the equipment need to undergo instruction on that particular type of machine before they can be accredited to use it.

Learning - An analogy of gaining a vehicle driver's license may help explain the Accreditation process. You cannot legally drive a vehicle on public roads unaccompanied by a licensed driver. Whilst learning to drive, instruction occurs and eventually, a check of your driving ability. If satisfactory, you can obtain a license to drive unaccompanied.

Assistance from the coordinators, to attain accreditation, is readily available to help members learning to use the machines, new skills and with their project work. Until you are accredited, you are able to use equipment under direction from a Coordinator.

To access the documentation, [click here](http://www.kushed.org.au/accreditation.html) or type into your browser www.kushed.org.au/accreditation.html and bookmark it.



Alternatively, go to the KuShed website at www.kushed.com.au and follow either of the image columns above, depending on your browser.



Saturday Shed open - 1st and 2nd Saturdays of the month only

Confused? ... The Shed will only be open on the 1st and 2nd Saturday of the month.

Please note the change to the Shed opening on Saturdays. We are open from Mondays to Thursdays. Friday is cooking day and you need to be booked in for that one.



Sydney Timber and Working with Wood Show

Sydney Olympic Park on 24-26 June 2016, Friday – Sunday 10.00 am – 4.00 pm

There will be plenty to see and do at the show:

- * FREE Come, Try, Learn & Buy Interactive Workshops
- * FREE Professional Workshops
- * Timber on Sale * Traditional Woodwork
- * Expert Advice * Do it Yourself Demonstrations
- * Wood-turning * Plus much more.

More information at <http://www.timbershows.com.au>



Neighbourhood Watch

Neighbourhood Watch is a community based, crime prevention organisation that aims to reduce localised crime and fear of crime by promoting and coordinating multifaceted approaches to prevention and problem solving.

If you would like to subscribe to the local Ku-ring-gail / Hornsby weekly eNewsletter, please follow this link [http:// http://eepurl.com/bwUwPL](http://http://eepurl.com/bwUwPL)

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