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Upcoming Club Events

8 September - Committee Meeting (early) and Club Meeting (Approx. 9am)

13 October - Committee Meeting (early) and Club Meeting (Approx. 9am)

10 November - Committee Meeting (early) and Club Meeting (Approx. 9am)

8 December - Christmas luncheon around 11ish. Spouses and partners most welcome to come too

Clubhouse extensions

After a year of deliberation and many changes the extension to the shed has been enclosed, lined and wired. A big THANKYOU to all the members who have helped make this possible. The extension means that machinery can remain in place and will no longer need to be moved in and out of the shed. Cost of the extension was little over budget. The extension was made possible by fundraising activities such as the Bunnings BBQ.

The alterations have had its rewards. Sales Rep from Hallings Roller Doors Jason Hedley was interested in the club set-up and was keen to join the group. He did his share of labouring on his two visits. Good to have you on board!



Thanks

Thanks to Bendigo Bank, Oak Flats & Shellharbour Branch, who have again sponsored the club with a grant towards general consumables. If Bendigo is your bank, or are thinking of changing to it, please mention you are a club member. It will help us and Bendigo.

Library Display

Thanks to Peter and Judith Hansen and Rick Funnell who mounted the Club's display cupboard in Wollongong Central Library last month. The display was a great example of the assortment of work that the Club members produce.



Show and Tell

A big thankyou to all those that continue to bring in items to 'show and tell'. This continues to be a popular part of the monthly meeting. The skill, creativity and amazing workmanship of our members continues to amaze.



Platter by Ric Funnell



Coffee table by Pat Keefe

Bill Hedley (Inventor and Artisan)



We would like to acknowledge the passing of Bill Hedley and extend our condolences to his family.

Bill was a welder by trade and used his welding skills to modify many a machine to suit a range of woodworking needs. In his retirement Bill took up saw scrolling. His intricate scrolled saw clocks were his passion and he spent thousands of hours on these.

Bill's story was published in our February 2006 newsletter <http://illawarrawoodworkers.org.au/index.php/newsletters>