

Waverley Woodworkers Inc.

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Newsletter

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Our Mission : To create wood craft items in a supporting, diverse, friendly, sharing environment.

From the President—Ray Ffrench

Visitors in June

I was pleased to be able to show 2 visitors from the council around our facility. It was my annual review with *Dr. Andi Diamond, CEO of Monash* and she was joined by *Russell Hopkins, Director of Community Services*.



The feedback from Andi was that the Workshop looks fabulous and congratulated all those involved with setting up such a great facility. She also wanted to *thank the Toy Group* for their ongoing support for the local community.

Do You need Help Getting to the Club?

If you need help in getting to the club, especially at night for Club Nights, please let me know. We can arrange transport from another member who lives close by. (Ray Ffrench 0412988921)

Up-coming Club Nights and AGM

July	No club night
August	No Club Night
August	2022 Annual General Meeting Sunday 14th 11.00am Start Review of the last year, Activities and Financials Election of Office Bearers and Committee What is planned for the next 12 months Shared lunch
September	7pm on Wednesday 14th

Annual Fees due June 30th

Just a reminder to those who are yet to pay, the Annual Membership fees are now due.



Waverley Woodworkers wish to thank **Ryman Healthcare** for their ongoing support.

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Planned Visitor for July

Carina Garland, the newly elected **Member for Chisholm** will be visiting the club on **Tuesday 12th of July** from **1pm to 2pm**. Anyone wishing to meet Carina is most welcome to come and say hello.

Solar Panel System (SPS)

Yes it is happening. We have just signed an Agreement with the council to have this done. This will be a 10.56kw system with 24 panels, installed on top of the Grandstand. Total cost is \$10,990.



The council have been very supportive with this project. They funded an Engineer's Report (\$1,000) to confirm the building integrity and the location of the panels. They have also agreed to pay 10% of the costs. The other 90% we pay, all raised from Grants, Donations and the Tool Sale.

In an interesting twist, the Council will own the SPS and will be responsible for ongoing maintenance. We will give the council a "GRANT" for our share of the costs and in return we get 100% of the electricity generated. Our thanks to the Sustainability Department for their support.

Jan Lacki - A cookbook/ any book display stand made from Queensland Kauri.



Book display stand. Queensland Kauri.



Waverley Woodworkers wish to thank **Bunnings** for ongoing support for support of our Community Projects of Toys for Kids.

Club Night June 8th 2022

8 members attended a cold winter's night.

Ray updated the members on the solar project. The council is slowly working through process and should be completed soon.

Member **Bradley Peterson** introduced the topic of **alcoholism** and made a power point presentation (PPT) and shared his experience. He brought along **Michael from AA**, a young man who started drinking at 14 years old and by 21 was a near total loss. After admitting, finally, that he needed help AA started to work with him to become sober. 7 years later he is still sober, recently married and his story was not only eye opening, but heartfelt and assisted the audience to get a better idea on the disease of alcoholism.

*** The PPT will be sent to members via email. ***



Seeking person to build display cabinet

To all club members we are seeking someone to build a display cabinet for the hall to mount above the Gem Club display. Pictured above is the basic idea with final dimensions to be determined.

Please contact [Ian Holt](mailto:ian.holt@waverleywoodworkers.com) 0437 036 040 to discuss.

Do you have accounting or bookkeeping experience?

Can you spare a couple of hours in the middle of July?

The Club's financial statements are not formally audited but after they have been prepared by the Treasurer we would appreciate another member with finance experience to review the statements and act as a "second pair of eyes". This will provide an assurance to all our members that the Treasurer has prepared the statements properly.

If you can help, or would like some further information, please either email or call the Treasurer at waverleywoodworkers.treasurer@gmail.com **0417 290 191**.

Your help and contribution to the Club will be greatly appreciated by all Members.

David Keynton

Treasurer



Waverley Woodworkers wish to thank **Senator Raff Ciccone** for his ongoing support especially with the printing of club documents.

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Recipe of the month - Sultana Scones

Anyone else try **Ann Lowry's** Friand Recipe from last month. Yummo.

Now I am looking forward to make the following Scone Recipe from **Janice Keynton**

Our new Treasure, **David Keynton** recommends them fresh from the oven on a Sunday morning with home made jam.

Anyone else with a recipe to share.....please send it to **Ray Ffrench** for inclusion in the next Newsletter.

Sultana scones

200 g SR flour

50 g butter

50 g sugar

50 g sultanas

114 ml Milk

Pinch salt

400 g SR flour

100 g butter

100 g sugar

100 g sultanas

230 ml milk

Pinch salt

500 g SR flour

125 g butter

125 g sugar

125 g sultanas

285 ml milk

Pinch salt

- 1 Rub in margarine and flour.
- 2 Add sugar and sultanas.
- 3 Mix to form a soft dough with most of the milk.
- 4 Roll out to $\frac{3}{4}$ " and cut into rounds.
- 5 Brush milk on tops.
- 6 Bake at 210°C for 8-12 minutes



Old Bruntcliffe School Housecraft recipe. (Morley, Leeds, West Yorkshire)

Generally all is going well in the workshop this month with one major exception as detailed below.

**Misuse and damage to the Laguna bandsaw -
ARE YOU RESPONSIBLE???**

A member has obviously abused the machine and it must have been plain to see by anyone that this was the case. The blade is ruined and will need to be replaced - a cost that should not be borne by the club (that means all other members!!!)



On a positive note we now have a **bench mountable Nixon vice** thanks to the work of **Skye Dobson**. It is located under the engineering bench and can be clamped to any workbench. Give it a try when you next have a suitable project.



We added a rack to store the spring clamps that were hidden under a workbench.

Our new **spokeshaves** have been installed in the hand tools area.

Thankyou to **Jan Lacki** for providing the holders.



Reminders and Tips :

Members are reminded that it is the responsibility of each of us to clean up properly around any machines you use. Do not leave it to the Duty Member. **Additional Dust Pans and brushes** have been placed around the shop – please use them but remember to put them back where they belong.

Remember to return machine setting to the “normal position” when you complete your tasks (e.g. If you removed the table saw safety guard to use a crosscut sled – put the sled back and refit the safety guard and dust extractor hose, etc).

Please note that when cleaning up / washing brushes and cloths following a project glue up note that there is a tub on the bench for washing into – DO NOT empty down the sink but disperse the liquid over the mulch outside.

Where you have a workpiece glued and clamped and left overnight at the workshop it is your responsibility to return at the next session and unclamp and not leave works in progress on benches. This ensures all members have access to clamps and workbenches without having to move your project.

The toy group activity continues to slowly return to pre-Covid levels.

We have started making **small kitchen cabinets** based on a sample owned by new member **Len BEARD**. Prototype will be completed before next newsletter.

We have also been making some **hobby horses**. We were helped in this design by **Rowen St Kindergarten in GLEN IRIS**.- In return for their help they will get two and two will go to each of the **Spring Presentation boxes** we plan to distribute about October.





Ray Ffrench (1,2,3,4)

- 1) the plane he made after Jan's inspiring presentation a few months ago.
- 2) the difference between a restored plane and one that needs restoration
- 3) 4) the tool box he made for a member of his family

Bradley Peterson (5,6) Bradly displayed an exceptional inlaid box



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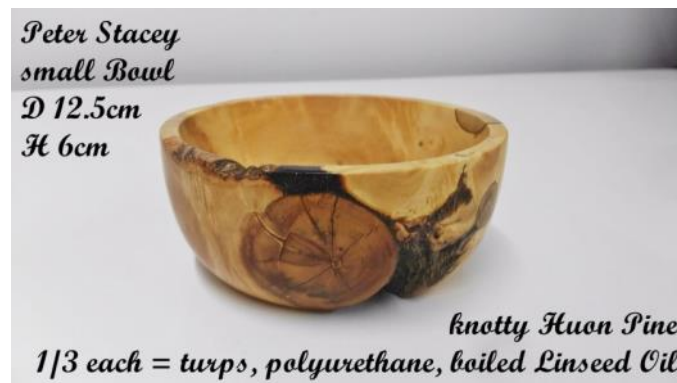
Ian Bell (1) displayed cutting boards and a toy car.

Felix (2) created 3 beautiful 'uneven' boxes with matching/interchangeable lids.

Geoff (3,4) showed his moxon vice and hall table.

Special Interest Group Turning

Show & tell – June 2022



COMMITTEE 2021- 2022	
Executive	Position
Ray Ffrench	President - Sponsor / Fundraising
Vacant	Vice President
John Watson	Secretary, Public Officer
David Keynton	Treasurer
Committee	
Tony Lowry	Workshop Operations Co-ordinator
Trevor Brooks	Box Kits Co-ordinator—Workshop Environment
Felix Karmel	Duty Member Co-ordinator
Brian Downie	Toy Group Co-ordinator
Ian Holt	Membership, Workshop Video's
Others	
Norman Bye	Machine Maintenance, New member Induction
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For all enquiry, please send email to Waverleywoodworkersinfo@gmail.com

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Waverley Woodworkers would like to thank the following individuals and organizations who provide the extra support needed to ensure our club remains successful.



Member for Oakleigh
- Mr Steve Dimopoulos MP



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