



## Narooma Community Men's Shed

### Newsletter

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Plants are burgeoning at the Markets

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## What's on ...

9 July	Tuesday	12:30 pm	Men's Cook Up
13 July	Saturday		Tilba Festival
16 July	Tuesday		Nominations & motions for AGM due
23 July	Tuesday	1:30 pm	Committee Meeting at the Shed
26 July	Friday	12:30 pm	Community Cook Up
27 July	Saturday		Bunnings Sausage Sizzle
28 July	Sunday	8:30 am	Narooma Market
31 July	Wednesday	6:30 pm	Christmas in July, Dalmeny Club
6 August	Tuesday	10:00 am	AGM

## President's Report



A sad start also to this month as long time member, John Gerrard, passed away peacefully in early June. Our Shed's condolences go to his family and friends.

Our new etching machine will be assembled and should be ready to roll very shortly with our tamed Viking in charge.

The lead lighting courses have turned out to be very well supported. This is no surprise as previously it has always been spoken of very keenly. Perhaps in the future we can run classes for the general public, we'll see.

Peter Hartley's Garden Centre is going very well. Plant sales did very nicely at Narooma Markets and at the newly opened 'Farmers Market' in the old RSL building. Hopefully sales will continue.

The lapidary section remains very popular. This is another skill for which classes to the general public could be rewarding in the future.

Our woodshop and metal shop have between them got four park benches to repair for Tilba School, the first two of which should be completed this month, with the second two to follow.

All the other shed activities are busily carrying on.

Don't forget the Tilba Festival on Saturday 13th July in Tilba (surprise, surprise).

Also in July, on Wednesday the 31st is the Shed's Christmas in July. A list is on the desk by the Shed's entry door or send the Shed an email. It will be held at the Dalmeny Sports Club. Where? Dalmeny.

Last but not ... Our AGM in August. Nomination forms are now available for those folks interested to be part of the new committee.

Have fun,

*David Trickett*

## In Memoriam

### John Gerrard

(1933-2024)

To learn about John ask Marlene: “He loves chocolate. I got into trouble once because I gave him a birthday card - ‘To the Chocoholic’ - but he eats chocolate like we eat a slice of bread.” John is like a layered chocolate cake. Bite deeper and it is all the more delicious.



It is easy to sit down with John to have a chat. He is gentle, he listens, he chuckles, he smiles. And it's that smile that gets you. His whole face smiles. There is an impish, mischievous delight as he recalls school days: “I can boast and get away with it, can't I?” It is not really a question.


November 27<sup>th</sup> 1933 John joins the human race. “Eighty-eight” he says, “but I'd prefer to be eighty-five. There are too many restrictions on what you can do, not on what you want to do!”

Father, Arthur L Gerrard, a jeweller of Wangaratta and soon to be respected merchant of Shepparton, serves in the armed services as a watchmaker during WWII. After school, in the latter forties, John is to join him in the trade.

School days for John is to be a boarder at Geelong College. They are days he remembers with one of his smiles. Being a boarder, he recalls, is about “learning to live with other people.” This lesson he takes into later life in making business connections. Why, in the 40s Gerrard the Jeweller takes on a lady watchmaker. This is unusual as it is “not the done thing” in those days. Is this a trend-setter emerging? Another layer of the John chocolate cake, perhaps?

Back to school days. 7.00 a.m. showers (John does not mention hot water) and then out ready for brekkie. Into the classroom. Ask John about his favourite subjects and he talks sport. John is an academic all-rounder but he learns quickly you can get out of schoolwork to train. Athletics, sprinting, high jump. Under 12, Under 14 record holder and junior champion. One memorable highlight is the country bumpkin Geelong Grammar College teams taking it to and giving it to the city slickers of Melbourne Grammar.

Outside school John's time is associated with the Church. The Presbyterian Church has a hall and badminton (or anything playable indoors) is accommodated much to John's satisfaction. John's first girlfriend, Jean, (“a nice girl, sporty”), is the local policeman's



daughter. John remembers his younger sister, Erryl. Five years his junior Erryl is named after their Dad's sister. Erryl suffers lung trouble and nearly dies but she is still alive.

Ask John about entertainment and, apart from sport, it's Saturday afternoon movies, especially westerns. Gene Autry is the man. But sport is always there – amateur athletics and badminton. With friend, John McPherson, our John ranges the Goulburn Valley. Even cricket gets a knock. One game, possibly for the Shepparton Cricket Club, John scores 8 runs in the team's total of 140. Their opponents are all out for 128. It is the one match John remembers.

It is 1956, the Olympic year. John's heroes include John Landy (three years separate these two Johns at Geelong Grammar); Herb Elliott, "the red hot record-breaker" and, of course, Marlene. John takes over the business he entered with his father in 1949. The business has moved to Shepparton. The MG fanatic ("MG TC – I had four of them") takes on the challenges of business and family life. His sons are to share John's enthusiasm for the MG.

John and Marlene have three daughters and two sons. Deborah, who has five of her own, lives in Narooma, Penelope has three children and Meridie has three. Nicholas and his wife in Perth add another two grandchildren. To bring the grandchildren total to 15 are Todd's two. Sadly, Todd, a sky diver operator in Cairns, died recently in a tragic accident.

Not only is John a committed family man and a successful owner of a family business, he is also deeply involved in his community. He is an enthusiastic member of Apex, the young man's service club, and is prepared to take on roles of responsibility including the job of Zone President.

Add to this the thirteen years or so John gives to the Shepparton City Council, several of which he serves as mayor. Even when he retires from the shop John helps out his son's building development by taking on the gaffer's role at the building site. This willingness to help is a hallmark of John's character.

Time for travel? Well there's not a lot of time left over. On several occasions, on Council duties, John goes to Japan to visit Shepparton's sister city. Holiday travel is a bit of a luxury although John and Marlene do get to Italy. An old romantic? But Fiji is their repeat destination. They go once. It is so good they just keep going back.

While John's golf might be average, his croquet is anything but! He travels all over Victoria and New South Wales playing tournaments off a very low handicap. After retiring, John coaches at Bermagui, Moruya and Narooma croquet clubs. Not only that, but he fashions his own mallets. A taste of Shed skills here! Rotary acknowledges John by bestowing on him the prestigious Paul Harris Fellow accolade.

Another incident which so illustrates the layers of this delicious chocolate cake involves John, after retiring, in helping out a friend in Shepparton. His friend is a very successful ice maker. He asks John to be his secretary and it is not long before John is arranging

conferences, conventions and holidays all around Australia for Packaged Ice Manufacturers!

(“Ah yes, School swimming Championships – beat Melbourne? Of course we did!”). The Narooma area has everything you could want – surf, long beaches for walks and exploring, still waters to paddle or kayak and “precious little not easy to get to”. And the kids can visit on holidays “in rotation”.

What brings John to the Men’s Shed? Initially John hears about it from Bernie Perrett. To begin with he is what he describes as “a receiver” but, as is his wont, it is not too long before he is “active”. John sees men using only half their abilities. He starts being involved in social activities such as visits to Batemans Bay Shed to see a Shed in operation and using a range of equipment. It is now John remembers his high school woodwork teacher. John sets to using his marketing expertise – designing what some call “Noddy Cars” which are easily made. John believes they will sell well at markets and be both a money spinner and an attention-grabber for the Shed. John is right.

John is keen on encouraging people to have a go, be busy – and even useful! He believes in helping out even if (here’s that impish humour) a person “needs a bit of a push.” Wal Sheehan well remembers, gratefully, an occasional shove from him. John still has that smile in the picture in the rogues’ gallery adorning the walls in our new Shed. There he is, sitting behind a pit stop of his famous cars.

The last word about our John and what lies at the heart of this multi-layered chocolate cake of ours must go to Marlene. When asked what is special about our John, she says it is his “Wanting to share his talents with others.”

### Vale



*(Editors’ note: this biography was originally published in the Shed Newsletter in March 2022).*

## AGM 2024 Timeline

16 July	Nominations closed – to be posted on Notice Board
16 July	Proposed motions closed. To be considered by Committee for inclusion or not on Agenda, and posted on the Notice Board
23 July	Agenda emailed out after approval by Committee (23 July) re Nominations/Motions/Minutes AGM 2023/Minutes SGM Feb 2024
30 July	Proxy Votes in to Secretary
6 August	AGM at the Shed at 10:00 am

## AGM 2024 Information

The Narooma Community Men's Shed Annual General Meeting will be held on Tuesday, 6 August 2024 at the Shed. The meeting will start at 10.00 a.m. All financial members are welcome and are encouraged to attend. An attendance sheet must be signed. Only financial members may nominate, vote and suggest items of business for the meeting.

The purpose of the meeting is to review the directions and operations of the Narooma Community and Men's Shed over the past year and to elect new Office Bearers and Management Committee for 2025.

Nomination forms for the Committee and for the Executive Positions, the suggestion of items to be considered for the agenda and for proxy voting are accompanying the link opening the Newsletter in the e-mail you have received. The proxy voting form is to be used only in the case of inability to attend the meeting. It is not a substitute postal vote.

Minutes of the previous AGM and of the Special General Meeting held in February of this year along with lists of nominees and any other relevant will be e-mailed to members on 23 July.

In summary:

- Only financial members may propose, nominate and vote for Office Bearers and the Management Committee;
- The Office Bearers are President, Vice-President, Treasurer and Secretary. There may be up to 7 ordinary Committee Members. The maximum number on the Committee is 11. You may nominate as both an Office Bearer and as an ordinary Committee Member. You may not nominate for both the President and the Vice-President positions;
- Each nomination requires two proposers and the nominated who must agree to accept nomination. This is done on the Nomination form which must be submitted to the Secretary or President preferably by the date noted on the AGM Timeline (16 July – see below). Proposers and the nominee must be financial members.

- Suggestions for Agenda items must be in writing and submitted for consideration by the committee by 16 July;
- If elections are required (that is if more nominees are received than for positions available) they will be held on the day under the guidance of the Public Officer, who will be the Returning Officer;
- Nomination forms are available at the Shed. Ask the President or Secretary.

## Committee Chatter

June saw the Shed celebrate the lives of two of our respected members, Bernard Jackson and John Gerrard. We were invited by the family to share in Bernard's Day on June 1<sup>st</sup>. What a fitting opportunity for us to pay tribute to a man who had been a force in the Shed's development and a friend.

Within the week a troop of our Shedders shared with the Gerrard family the service for the passing of John. It was a privilege to learn of his amazing, full life. All the while his cheeky, smiling face looked out at us from the screens. He seemed to be enjoying himself still! Thank you to Bernie Perrett, our former President, whose remarks and anecdotes on both Bernard and John, caught so effectively our collective sentiment. Marlene Gerrard made a special visit to the Shed the following Tuesday for morning tea bearing a delicious "Thank you" chocolate cake. She spoke so graciously of the Shed and how important it had been for John and how grateful she and the family were – "Thank you for keeping him safe."

So that's how the month began. Before long the "winter exodus" took over. Members scattered here, there and everywhere from the Adriatic and Europe, Africa, the Maldives, Vietnam to the North-West coast and down the centre, the warmer climes of Queensland's north, the chills of the NSW plains to Adelaide. Here's hoping you all enjoy your getaways and come back hale and hearty.

Despite all this the Shed goes on. The AGM is almost upon us. Members are encouraged to step up and give it a go on the Committee. The relevant forms and information links are in the Newsletter e-mail. The forms are available at the Shed. Further documents will be e-mailed to members later in July. And Christmas in July is at hand. The monthly cook-ups have been a treat even without Geoff's oversight. Thank you Boy and John. Pumpkin soup at a morning tea was quite the thing on a chilly morn!

The current Committee with its Sub-Committees has been keeping its hand on the wheel seeking to settle in all the new infrastructure acquisitions and addressing storage capacity at the Shed. And that's June!

*Tim Horstead*



## The Shed's New Baby



### New xTool Etching Machine

Shortly after we opened our doors to women members in late 2022, it was suggested that we purchase an etching machine. We bought an entry level Ortur tool from shed funds. This was quickly supplemented by another Ortur engraving machine which allowed larger sized projects to be tackled and in early 2023, we bought a QB2 CNC 1000x1000mm router which is a rather specialised piece of equipment and not really suitable for everyday use.

The Shed soon gained a reputation for producing high quality items, e.g. commemorative plaques, house signs, breadboards and so on. Much of our output is supplied to the wider community – individuals, charitable organisations, schools, service clubs and businesses. We occasionally charge nominal fees although these barely cover our costs as our primary objective is to enable Shedders to enhance their computer art and design competency through undertaking diverse and challenging projects.

This led us to the realisation that our current equipment imposes significant limitations on what we can or can't do. Accordingly, to meet members' demands to grow and be challenged, we had to upgrade. Indeed, modernising our facilities is harmoniously aligned with our overall strategy to make our entire facility the best it can be for all stakeholders.

Jan Hemmingsen and Rose Gauslaa led the team that carefully and exhaustively examined the available products and eventually selected an xTool S1 enclosed diode laser cutter and a range of accessories as best meeting our needs now and into the immediate future. We took delivery of it a few weeks ago although it's taken us a while to get it assembled and ready for use. This is as much on account of freeing up bench space than anything else.

With a 40W output, it's four times as powerful as either of our Ortur machines. It also has the capacity to etch onto metal, ceramics and other materials – at the moment we're restricted to wood – as well as being able to tackle work on cylinders and uneven surfaces. Its software is said to be very user-friendly which will be nice for members who wish to use it.

All in all, we're confident that the xTool will help us to reduce the queue of members wanting to use the machines and allow them to take on more complicated projects for themselves and the wider community we seek to serve.

*Tony Burrett*

## Learning, Sharing and Helping

The first group of new community members were invited to be inducted into the usage of woodworking machines at the Men's Shed.

A well organised Men's Shed member took on the inaugural group of 7 people to learn how to use the amazing woodworking machines at the shed. The brilliance of his instruction is that at the end of the day we all had a useful cheeseboard which I regularly use as a trivet because it is too precious to cut on!!

After each stage of his demonstration, we in turn processed our merbau decking board; firstly, on the thicknesser to remove the ridges, then to the circular sander to round the pencil traced corners. We were all so wary in our approach the router to round off the upper surfaces. To ensure our board travelled through the sander at a steady rate, the use of a 'pusher' was used. He instilled in us the concern of how dangerous each machine was and how much to value our fingers ... or the potential catastrophic results of loose clothing...

He did impress on us how dangerous the jointer was and that we were not even going to approach it... "that's a no-no!"

A heartfelt thank you; Bernard Jackson.

How amazing those memories are and to have held me in such good stead in my most recent project: to produce trophy cheeseboards for Marine Rescue's fundraising charity Golf Day. As an active member of the boat crew, I am happy to be involved in fundraising, especially as we have to pay for our fuel, whether in training, on a rescue job or on a SAREX (search and rescue exercise).

The brief was to provide 9 winners and 9 runners-up trophies in three team divisions: men's, women's and mixed; and 6 special personal trophies for nearest the pin and most accurate drive. To make the winners and personal trophies special; I incorporated two distinctive timbers, the lighter timbers to surround the central darker hardwood which was more suitable to cut cheese on.

To do this I used the 'scary' jointer to square the timbers to be glued. After all the thicknessing, sanding corners, routing and sanding flat planes, I then had the more creative design processes to plan the laser burning motifs on the lighter outer timbers.





Previously, with the help of Colin Berry, I had saved a modified image of the Marine Rescue motif by reducing three colours into two in the installed Corel software program. On the reverse side of each board, I burnt “**Made from recycled timbers**”.

During this process of sourcing the wood, I always enjoyed discovering the quality of the timber after thickening the outer layers of thick paint. I had previously sourced Oregon from the 2022 council collection which became the wavelike background for the runners-up awards.



Thank you to all the forward-thinking members who enabled our involvement in this wonderful space.

*Ali Philip*

## Tilba School Seats Refurbished



Don and Dave nutting and bolting



Finished product – good as new

## Quieter Shed Companionship in June

### Pool Table in Use

The under-used pool table had a work-out with a spirited competition among some of the Friday crowd (Ali and Jan A. having a go).



### Tuesday Soup Kitchen and Men's Lunch

On the traditional second Tuesday of the month, Boy and John V. cooked up a storm, the highlight being the delicious rich pumpkin soup during morning tea. Lunch of sweet and sour pork with rice was also a hit with the stayers.



## Rotary Changeover Dinner

This event was held at the Golf Club on 27<sup>th</sup> June. There were approximately 60 people there including Rotary District Governors and officials, the Mayor, Mathew Hatcher, and several from local organisations and nearby Rotary clubs, some of whom were wearing 20 years' service badges.

I sat at a table which had 7 Moruya members including a sprightly 96 year old gentleman. One of its number addressed the meeting to bring us up to date with its involvement with the new Eurobodalla Hospital and the raffle it's running to provide patient and carer accommodation. Only 3,000 tickets @ \$50 each and it will close soon.

As can be seen from the programme, Rotary is highly structured and its global reach of over 22,000 clubs and 1.2 million members was often mentioned as were Rotary's "four way test" and its international goal of eradicating polio. The primary purpose of the meeting was, however, to transfer the Presidency formally from Lynn Hastings to Julie Hartley, which was accompanied by somewhat emotional speeches, introduce the incoming Committee and induct new members with a welcome pack.

There were several other highlights including short talks from three former Narooma High School students who are recipients of Rotary scholarships. The two girls are now studying at ANU and the boy is enrolled at UoW. I hadn't been aware previously that these scholarships are awarded annually and I was impressed by this activity. Another was presenting grants to Fire & Rescue, Marine Rescue, VRA, the Surf Club and others, most of which had appropriately attired members on hand to receive them.

The dinner was more than adequate and, all in all, it's obvious that it's a lot of work by Rotarians to arrange the event. I was glad to have been selected to attend as the Shed's representative.

Tony Burrett



## July Jollies?

Time to read, think, and groan ...

I changed my iPod's name to Titanic. It's syncing now.

England has no kidney bank, but it does have a Liverpool.

Haunted French pancakes give me the crepes.

This girl today said she recognized me from the Vegetarians Club, but I'd swear I've never met herbivore.

I know a guy who's addicted to drinking brake fluid, but he says he can stop any time.

A thief who stole a calendar got twelve months.

Police were summoned to a day care centre where a three-year-old was resisting a rest.

The guy who fell onto an upholstery machine last week is now fully recovered.

I got some batteries that were given out free of charge.

A dentist and a manicurist married. They fought tooth and nail.

**YOU KNOW YOU'RE  
GETTING OLD  
WHEN A RECLINER  
AND A HEATING  
PAD IS YOUR IDEA  
OF A HOT DATE**



A fellow was sitting on his front porch reading a newspaper, when a young Boy Scout approached him and asked him if he had any odd jobs he could do. The guy said: "Yes, you can go around to the back of the house and paint the porch. You'll find a can of paint, and a couple of paint brushes around there. I'll give you two dollars when you've finished." The lad came back a couple of hours later, and said: "I've finished painting your car. By the way, it's not a Porsche, it's a Mercedes."

## Jeff's Woodwork Word Search

The words in the list below can all be found in the grid: forwards, backwards, upwards, downwards, or diagonally. Neatly cross out the words as you find them. The leftover letters will reveal a phrase relevant for every person who works with wood. Enjoy!

F	R	E	V	E	L	I	T	N	A	C	M	E	A	S	U	R	E	P	A	T
R	C	E	D	A	R	U	R	H	E	R	V	D	H	H	A	E	E	E	R	O
E	Y	P	T	L	U	T	A	U	I	A	L	A	O	A	N	N	P	S	N	N
K	Y	H	L	E	B	W	I	C	A	C	N	I	D	V	O	E	D	O	I	K
R	E	A	L	A	O	Y	O	M	A	K	K	H	A	I	E	E	E	E	A	N
E	Y	P	L	D	N	R	U	L	E	R	E	N	O	N	E	T	K	R	R	I
M	A	A	W	N	K	E	E	D	A	S	C	D	E	G	A	N	A	A	G	S
M	U	W	A	H	I	N	R	B	I	F	O	A	D	S	A	E	I	I	E	R
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C	L	O	E	F	S	B	L	E	L	A	M	A	R	Q	U	E	T	R	Y	O
N	M	E	D	G	F	T	I	S	N	E	D	I	S	Q	G	S	Y	E	A	C
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Y	O	R	H	D	C	I	R	R	C	O	A	I	M	O	N	R	P	O	N	O
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T	Y	B	D	L	G	A	E	S	L	H	M	N	G	T	S	K	T	S	L	L
A	R	A	U	A	B	A	M	B	O	O	A	A	G	D	A	A	U	N	R	L
H	D	T	T	R	E	E	N	J	A	R	R	A	H	I	N	I	R	C	U	U
C	S	E	S	S	A	L	G	Y	T	E	F	A	S	E	L	E	N	A	P	M

AGED	DOWEL	KNEE	MYALL	SHORE
ADHESIVE	DRILL	KNOB	NAIL	SKEW
ARRIS	DRY ROT	KNOT	NEWEL	SPOKE
BALAU	EARMUFFS	LATH	OREGON	SQUARE
BALSA	EASEMENT	LATHE	PANEL	STAIN
BAMBOO	END GRAIN	LEAD	PARE	STAY
BENCH DOG	FLOAT	LIGNEOUS	PAWL	STUD
BEVEL	FRAME	LINE	PEEN	TABLE
BLUEGUM	FRETS	LUMBER	PLANER	TAPER
BURL	FROSTING	MAHOGANY	PLANK	TENON
CANTILEVER	GIDGEE	MANDREL	PURLIN	THICKNESSER
CARCASS	GIMLET	MAPLE	RAIL	TOPSY TURVY
CAUL	GOUGE	MARQUETRY	RASP	TRANSOM
CEDAR	GRAIN	MASK	REBATE	TREEN
CHATOYANCE	GREEN	MEASURE	RESIN	TRUE
CORK	HAMMER	MENTEE	RIFFLER	TRUSS
COUNTERSINK	INLAY	MERBAU	RULER	TURN
CRACK	IRONBARK	METRE	SAFETY GLASSES	WISE
CROOK	JARRAH	MITRE	SANDER	
CYPRESS	JOINERY	MULGA	SCRIBBLY GUM	
DADO	KAURI	MULLION	SHANK	
DOVETAIL	KERF	MUNTIN	SHAVINGS	

## A few funnies (we hope)

### Dr Curly's Health Advice

Do you have feelings of inadequacy? Do you suffer from shyness? Do you sometimes wish you were more assertive?

If you answered yes to any of these questions, ask your doctor or pharmacist about Cabernet Sauvignon.

Cabernet Sauvignon is the safe, natural way to feel better and more confident about yourself and your actions. It can help ease you out of your shyness and let you tell the world that you're ready and willing to do just about anything.

You will notice the benefits of Cabernet Sauvignon almost immediately and, with a regime of regular doses, you can overcome any obstacles that prevent you from living the life you want to live.

Shyness and awkwardness will be a thing of the past and you will discover many talents you never knew you had. Stop hiding and start living.

Cabernet Sauvignon may not be right for everyone. Women who are pregnant or nursing should not use it. However, women who wouldn't mind nursing or becoming pregnant are encouraged to try it.

Side effects may include: dizziness, nausea, vomiting, incarceration, loss of motor control, loss of clothing, loss of money, loss of virginity, delusions of grandeur, table dancing, headache, dehydration, dry mouth, and a desire to sing Karaoke and play all-night rounds of Strip Poker, Truth Or Dare, and Naked Twister.

#### WARNINGS:

- \* The consumption of Cabernet Sauvignon may make you think you are whispering when you are not.
- \* The consumption of Cabernet Sauvignon may cause you to tell your friends over and over again that you love them.
- \* The consumption of Cabernet Sauvignon may cause you to think you can sing.
- \* The consumption of Cabernet Sauvignon may create the illusion that you are tougher, smarter, faster and better looking than most people.

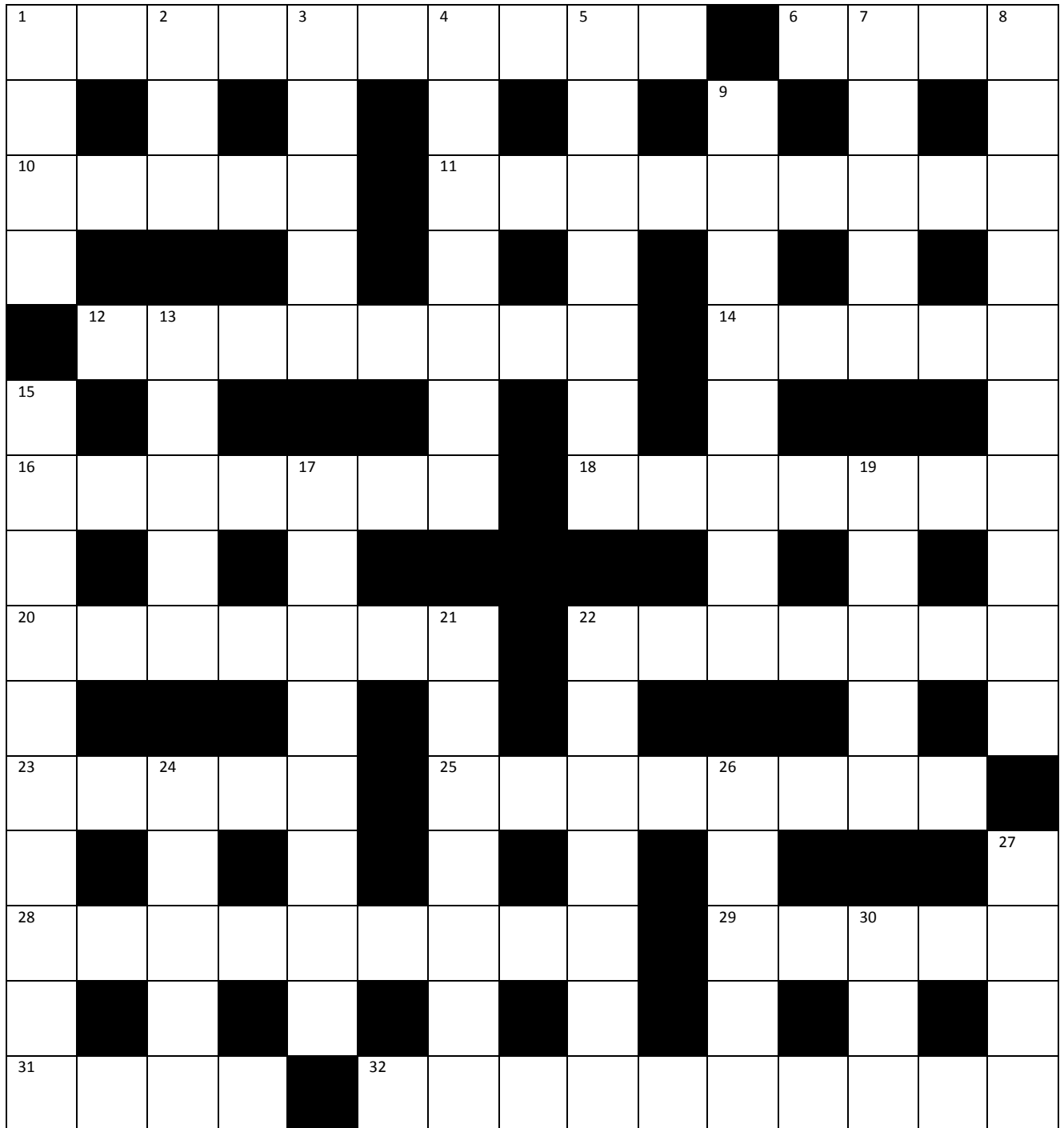
Please feel free to share this important information with as many as you feel may benefit!

Now just imagine what you could achieve with a good Shiraz.....



# Dennis's Crossword

Since it's winter, and you need something to do on the long cold evenings, this one is a bit more challenging; clues are a mixture of straight, general knowledge, lateral thinking and cryptic. Look for anagrams, selective letter omissions, and try some Googling.



## ACROSS

- 1 Involving three entities (10)
- 6 Sod this! (4)
- 10 Unvoiced, such as an agreement (5)
- 11 The biological opposite of catabolism (9)
- 12 It's after the second green (5,3)
- 14 You'll need a rest after a curse (5)
- 16 Some Aotearoa rain got into my oxygen pump (7)
- 18 Genus and species of the ram's horn squid (7)
- 20 Part of a runic slate can be springy (7)
- 22 As a practical joke, drag your lower limb (3,4)
- 23 Match (5)
- 25 Tonight, capture a bedtime drink (25)
- 28 Against the trend, Fife is not the same (9)
- 29 Starr, arm up evenly when you hike (5)
- 31 Carrots lose their vehicle when decomposing (4)
- 32 Norm, ten ads are just decoration (10)

## DOWN

- 1 A dog who left Kansas in a whirl (4)
- 2 Body controlling world cricket (1,1,1)
- 3 Drat, tar is no substitute for rose oil (5)
- 4 One who drinks on command (7)
- 5 These merchants deserve a red star! (7)
- 7 Sounds like you nightly get together (5)
- 8 Informally (10)
- 9 The stoic nag is just cruising along (8)
- 13 Greek green vegetable dish (5)
- 15 Spooner's behind this lace reader (4,6)
- 17 I was told late that the tally was complete (8)
- 19 Tear drop appendage at the back of your throat (5)
- 21 Challenge for the championship (7)
- 22 The grill won't be as heavy if those fifty Romans get off it! (7)
- 24 If you want fun, it means you need more exercise (5)
- 26 That tot Emily is holding the tribal symbol (5)
- 27 Someone will develop uses for your artistic work (4)
- 30 Adopted forename of writer/philosopher who advocated Objectivism (3)

# Crossword Solution and Word Search Answer

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Answer to the Word Search: "Every woodworker needs a fireplace"

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