#### **Opening Hours**

Willoughby Community Men's Shed is open Monday to Friday from 10:00am to 3:00pm except public holidays.

Women are welcome to attend the Shed on Wednesday and Friday.



#### **Membership**

Annual Membership - \$100.00 Daily Attendance Fee - \$5.00

There are no age, gender or ability requirements for membership of the Willoughby Community Men's Shed Inc.

Members with impared cognitive function must be acompanied by their Carer.

## The 30 - 30 - 30 Principle at the Shed 30% 30% 30% When you join the Willoughby Community Men's Shed Inc. you take on the obligation to distribute your time 30% on Personal Projects 30% on Shed Projects 30% on Community Projects 10% having Tea or Coffee There may not always be Shed or Community Projects, but you are expected to help out when requested.



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# WILLOUGHBY COMMUNITY MEN'S SHED INC.

Warners Park, The Outpost Northbridge NSW 2063

### The Men's Shed Story

The 'shed' holds an important place in Australia's history and culture. It has been a repository of memories, experiences, and technology as well as a place to share skills and to socialise. Many of Australia's craftsmen first demonstrated their skills in their fathers' sheds and many of our country's best inventions have been born in the 'backyard shed'.

When men retire from the workforce they often feel a loss of identity and purpose. In addition, age and financial circumstance mean that many people have to downsize, giving up their backyard shed or workshop. Thus, the Community Men's Shed was born, providing a place where men can come and share a wide variety of tools and machinery, pursuing their own interests while spending time with other 'shedders' of similar interests.

In a cooperative environment men can learn new skills, use tools for the first time or keep old skills honed and productive. They can create personal projects, work on projects for other community groups or projects to support the development of the shed.

It is well recognised that men don't talk face to face. They talk shoulder to shoulder.

#### Men talk at the Shed

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#### **Our Workshop**















## Willoughby Community Men's Shed Inc.

is a well equipped wood and metal workshop which provides a venue for men of all ages to work together on personal and group projects.

The Shed has a wide variety of fixed and portable machine tools as well as a range



The Shed was established in 2007 as an initiative of Willoughby City Council and UnitingCare. The Shed moved to the current, larger building, at Warners Park in 2022. The Shed is an Incorporated Association funded through Member contributions, community donations, Federal, State and Local Government Grants and the generosity of the Chatswood RSL Club.

The Shed is on the Australian Tax Office Deductable Gift Register.

All donations over \$2.00 are tax deductable.