



**YEW TURN**  
THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE  
**LATROBE VALLEY  
WOODWORKING &  
WOODTURNING CLUB INC.**

**SEPTEMBER 2008**

MEETINGS HELD IN THE "COACH HOUSE"  
OLD GIPPSLAND, HERITAGE PARK, MOE

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY  
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URGENT NEWS  
SUBS ARE NOW DUE - \$35:00

BIG NEWS  
CLUB OPEN DAY ON NOVEMBER 8, 2008  
INCLUDING SCROLLSAWERS WEEKEND  
CONTACT OUR CLUB NOW!

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NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING,              WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 26<sup>th</sup>.

NEXT GENERAL MEETING,              TUESDAY OCTOBER 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Report on General Meeting held at The Coach House on September 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Ken Hep in the absence of “El Presidete” chaired a meeting of 16 members. If these old f...s do not make enough noise throw in a gang of roofers above replacing the roof, as roofers do’

We had some apologies through holidays and ill health. Hoping for safe passage to all.

Due to the noise factor the meeting was short. Items discussed included,

- Possibility of a trip somewhere. A bus to the Wood Show? Let us know if you are interested.
- Bill Penco is making one of his sturdy wheelbarrows and will donate it to the club for a Christmas raffle on completion. Members are invited to supply an item to help fill the barrow. Our thanks to Bill.
- Relocation of some machinery was suggested by some.
- Suggested look at Electrical upgrade was made.

Dust Extraction Group reported works completed on stage one.

Tool Group appears to have completed works also.

Wood Shed group are waiting on Park crew to complete concrete floor. This crew have plenty of work on hand in the park.

As you may make out of all this, something has been happening. The question now is, **WHAT CAN YOU DO FOR THE CLUB.**

At this time of the day the noise above was stopping most of the members from having their granny naps so the meeting was adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

**BUT,**

I and I hope some other members have noted the way that our house keeping standards have slipped and crashed over the past month or so.

Items that we should look at include;

- Safety. Yours and mine. Are you taking all appropriate measures.
- Tools. You got it out; you put it away or ensure that it will go away today, not tomorrow. We are not the only ones passing through.
- Electrical cables. You get it out; ensure that it will not become a tripping hazard for others. Fred Astaire has left the building with Elvis. Put it away today!
- Offcuts and shavings etc. You made them get rid of them today. Do not leave for somebody else tomorrow.
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- Workbenches. We had a couple but they are covered with bags, clothes, offcuts and everything else that is not on the floor!
- Chairs. If you take a chair out into the workshop. Take it back when you have finished.
- Kitchen. There are at least eleven lazy people around because that is how many mugs are on the sink. If you cannot wash, dry and place you mug back in the cupboard, do not get it out.

It would appear by this little list that we have all got very lazy and working on the “I’m all right Jack” principle. That is not the way a club works. We should be a group of Musketeers, “All for one and one for all”  
Make way for the next worker, it might be you.

All the above is the thoughts of the Editor, me, Laurie.



Johnny, finding life a bore,  
Drank some H<sub>2</sub> SO<sub>4</sub>  
Johnny’s father, an MD,  
Gave him Ca CO<sub>3</sub>  
Now he is neutralized, ‘tis true,  
But he is full of CO<sub>2</sub>  
BURRP!

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TERRY, the phantom treasurer says,  
SUBS ARE DUE,  
It is up to you  
Are you in or out?  
Some thing to think about.

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Of course you are all aware the Working with Wood Show is now out at the Showground’s, of course you did, just further to travel!

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Show Day is not far away. Do you have something in mind? Are you going to help out! Are you going to participate on the day! How can we improve!  
Please let me know sooner than later. Laurie.

Scroll saw weekend is not far away! Same deal. Contact Bob.

You may remember that the Sunday roster was cancelled during the colder months and was to resume in October. Well here is the roster. If you are prepared to help out for a few hours every couple of months please let me know.  
Laurie.

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| October 5.        | R. Petesic. T. Pavey   |
| October 12.       | A. Kilby. D. Shaw.   |
| October 19.       | B. Calhoun. F. Nicholls.   |
| October 26.       | K. Heppleston. F. Ameebeg.   |
| November 2.       | H. Bagnall. T. Diaz.   |
| November 7, 8, 9. | All hands to set up, participate and clean up<br>WOODIES OPEN DAY & SCROLLERS W/E. |
| November 16.      | M. Poot. A. Vernon.  |
| November 23.      | I. Parnaby. K. Cale.   |
| November 30.      | B. Pigdon. L. Keyhoe.  |
| December 7.       | Christmas Break up.  |
| December 14.      | K. Morrison. B. Downey.  |

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#### WOT'S ON 'N WHERE..

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| October 11.    | Eildon & District Woodies                             |
| October 17-18  | Woodworking Machine Expo<br>Hare & Forbes. Dandenong. |
| October 24-26. | Working with Wood Show.                               |
| November 1-2   | Barwon Valley Woodwrights, Geelong.                   |
| November 8.    | Latrobe Valley "OPEN CLUBS DAY"                       |
| November 8-9   | Latrobe Valley Scrollsaw Weekend.                     |
| November 8-9   | Eltham & District Woodworkers.                        |

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**NOVEMBER 8<sup>th</sup>**  
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