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Work Benches

On Thursday, Shed Member, Patrick Rafferty delivered an assembled bench and components to assemble two m ore benches. We are very grateful to Patrick for his generosity in donating the benches.

We plan to have all of our benches completed and operational within two weeks.

Veterans Affairs Grant Application

We were previously advised that we should receive advice on the outcome of our application well before now but are now advised that, due to the large number of applications, completion of processing of the applications could take an indeterminate time.

The plan was that funds from the Rotary Club of Karrinyup were going to be supplemented by the Veterans Affairs funds to acquire necessary equipment to get us to operational stage #1.

Rather than delay our progress any further we are now looking at using some of the Rotary funds to acquire items that will get us started.

Equipment

If anyone knows where we might acquire good quality used item s please let Jim Barbas know. Otherwise we will look to buy new items :

- 1. A dual purpose Thicknesser / Jointer or
- 2. Individual Thicknesser and Planer/ Jointer

In addition to the new equipment, we already have installed a bench saw, wood lathe, bandsaw, various drills and hand / power tools.

We should then be in a position for you to engage in wood working projects. In the meantime there is still a lot of work to be done in organising the shed.

Work Aprons

We considered getting aprons made but Graeme has found good aprons at www.cargocrew.com.au If you want an apron it looks like they will cost around \$25-30.

Facebook

The Men's Shed Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/karrinyupmensshed/ is now open and being managed and updated by Terry Fuller. The page can be viewed by anyone.

If you are not logged in to Facebook you will get repeated popups asking you to register or login. The same happens on any Facebook page. These popups are quite intrusive and you may find it difficult or impossible to view the pages without logging in.

Please give Terry suggestions for content or photos to be placed on the Facebook page. Contact him via the Men's Shed email kcmensshed@iinet.net.au

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