

# CUBBY HOUSE NEWS

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## THE CUBBY HOUSE TURNERS & WOODIES INC

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## **Minutes Workshop Meeting. 13<sup>th</sup> January 2020.**

Present / Apologies (From attendance sheet passed around)

**Present:** Keith Jones, Phil Dean, Thomas Hill, Steve Hooper, Alan Pentecost, Patrick Thorpe, John Field, Barry Belford, John Moss, Keith Allen, Keith Moses, Fred Warr, Ray Elyard, Val Lipping, Fred Warr, Frank Williams, Ken McEwen,

**Apologies:** Michael Bryant, Graeme Stokes, Warren Rankin, Trevor Simpson.

**Meeting opened by Keith Jones at 9:25 a.m.**

**Keith suspended normal procedure to allow visitor: Ruth Friedmann from Wildlife Emergency Response Group Sutherland Shire and Beyond. Ruth spoke about the need to have volunteer organizations make Possum House's (boxes), Kanga Stands, for Kangaroos and Wallabies, and Sugar Glider Houses.**

**These are to help organizations such as Wires, etc. due to the terrible bushfires that have devastated the Eastern States of Australia. Ruth gave us drawings and specifications how they should be built. Ruth then left.**

**President proposed we discuss this in General Business.**

**BACK TO NORMAL BUSINESS:**

**Minutes:** Propose that the minutes of our previous meeting held on 16<sup>th</sup>. December 2019 be taken as read:

**Moved by:** Frank Williams. **Seconded by:** John Field.

**Business arising from the minutes:** nil.

**Correspondence In:** A letter of thanks from Dandelion Charity.

**Correspondence Out:** Information sent to Mark Levy from Radio Station 2GB about the Cubby House and what we do.

**Treasurers Report:** From last month. Income: \$5093.32 Expenses: \$12,625.15.

**Moved that the Treasurers Report be accepted:** Moved by Alan Pentecost. Seconded by John Moss.

**Treasurer spoke on the financial future of the club. Xmas Raffle last year was a great source of income.**

**Cook Classic received the Club good income. The Bookcase some of our members made bought in a new way of income. Bunnings BBQ still has good income but the "Dads Army" crew are not getting any younger we need some fresh blood.**

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### **REPORTS:**

**Building:** Tom Hill . The large branch that has fallen on to the telecom cage and the roof of the Cubby House has not been fixed by Council. The guttering is badly bent and a whirly exhaust fan has been dislodged from the roof. This will probably leak if we get heavy rain. Council was notified 3 months ago.

**Maintenance Equipment:** Alan Pentecost. The Cutters on the thicknesser need rotating. Top bearing on the large bandsaw has been replaced. Bearing on the belt sander is in hand. Has anybody borrowed the 3m.m. round over bit for the router.

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### **GENERAL BUSINESS:**

**Lengthy discussion on the Possum Boxes etc. We will make them, but the Charity will have to supply the materials needed.**

**Cleaning:** Will be done at the end of today's mini day instead of Thursday.

**If there is no further business I declare the meeting closed at 10.25a.m.**

## PRESIDENTS REPORT



..Welcome back to the Cubby House for 2020 and wishing you all a happy New Year  
Good to see so many turn up on Wednesday Mini day and the first for the year.  
Please keep it up for the full year. First Maxi day Saturday January 18<sup>th</sup> and theme is Open  
.with the host Fred Warr,

Don't forget all the monthly winners for 2019 to bring their winning pieces in to be voted on by all the members.

February Maxi day will be offset turning and hosted by Bill Black.

Good day at Bunnings on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> January with thanks to all who helped.

.First Toy Making Week will be from Monday 17<sup>th</sup> February to Friday 21<sup>st</sup> February.

**Let's keep turning or anything you want**

**Keith Jones. President.**

## Executive committee contact details

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## BIRTHDAYS This Month

***Bruce Canham***

***Gerry Husson***

***Alan Pentecost***

***Bill Wilkes***



***Meritorious Award 2019***

**John & Ann Moss**

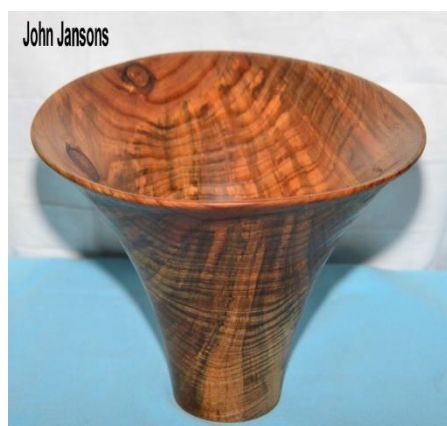
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# SHOW & TELL (DEC 2019)







## BRAINTEASER

One snowy night, a detective was in his house sitting by a fire.

All of a sudden, a snowball came crashing through his window, breaking it.

The detective looked out of the window just in time to see three neighbourhood kids, who were brothers, running away. Their names were John Crimson, Mark Crimson, and Paul Crimson.

The next day the detective found a note under his door that read  
“ ? Crimson. He broke your window.”

Which of the three Crimson brothers should the detective interrogate about the incident ?

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Answer next Month

## Charity Toy Give a Way November 2019





Hundreds of children in need will receive a unique, hand-crafted toy this Christmas thanks to the efforts of the volunteers of the Cubby House Turners and Woodies.

The volunteers have been working all year at their Oyster Bay workshop crafting more than 600 toys. Last week they presented a haul of toys to six local charities.

These included planes, trains, motor cars, tumble trucks, men on horses, carousels, jigsaw puzzles and games of noughts and crosses, all individually crafted and painted to a professional finish.

Sutherland Shire mayor Carmelo Pesce was there to thank the volunteers for their efforts. The Turners and Woodies meet about five times a month on various days at their fully-equipped workshop at

Oyster Bay. Their spokesman Keith Moses said new members are always welcome.

"You don't need special skills to become a member. If people want to learn the craft of woodturning there's always someone here to explain and help," he said.

But for the moment, the Cubby House members will have a well-deserved Christmas break before returning to the workshop on the first Saturday in January to start work on toys for next year's Christmas.

# Event Calendar 2020

Note:- The following information may be subject to change in date or content if in doubt  
Contact a committee member

## January 2020

|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| Wed 1 <sup>st</sup>    | NO Mini-Day                                      |
| Sat 4 <sup>th</sup>    | Mini-Day   |
| Wed 8 <sup>th</sup>    | Mini-Day   |
| Fri 10 <sup>th</sup>   | Bunnings BBQ                                     |
| Mon 13 <sup>th</sup>   | Club Committee Meeting 9.30am                    |
| Sat 18 <sup>th</sup>   | Maxi-Day Host Fred Warr<br>Theme:- Open No Theme |
| Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup> | Mini-Day   |

## February 2020

|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| Sat 1 <sup>st</sup>    | Mini-Day   |
| Wed 5 <sup>th</sup>    | Mini-Day   |
| Mon 10 <sup>th</sup>   | Club Committee Meeting 9.30am                    |
| Wed 12 <sup>th</sup>   | Mini-Day   |
| Fri 14 <sup>th</sup>   | Bunnings BBQ                                     |
| Sat 15 <sup>th</sup>   | Maxi-Day Host Bill Black<br>Theme offset turning |
| Thurs 20 <sup>th</sup> | Mini-Day   |

## March 2020

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|------------------------|--|
| Wed 4 <sup>th</sup>    | Mini-Day   |
| Sat 7 <sup>th</sup>    | Mini-Day   |
| Wed 11 <sup>th</sup>   | Mini-Day   |
| Fri 13 <sup>th</sup>   | Bunnings BBQ   |
| Mon 16 <sup>th</sup>   | Club Committee Meeting 9.30am                        |
| Sat 21 <sup>th</sup>   | Maxi-Day Host George Blundell<br>Theme open No theme |
| Thurs 26 <sup>th</sup> | Mini-Day   |

## April 2020

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|------------------------|---|
| Wed 1 <sup>st</sup>    | Mini-Day  |
| Sat 4 <sup>th</sup>    | Mini-Day  |
| Wed 8 <sup>th</sup>    | Mini-Day  |
| Fri 10 <sup>th</sup>   | Bunnings BBQ  |
| Mon 13 <sup>th</sup>   | Club Committee Meeting 9.30am                                 |
| Sat 18 <sup>th</sup>   | Maxi-Day Host Bruce Vaughan<br>Theme:- Lamp with a difference |
| Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup> | Mini-Day  |

## May 2020

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|------------------------|--|
| Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup>    | Mini-Day   |
| Wed 6 <sup>th</sup>    | Mini-Day   |
| Fri 8 <sup>th</sup>    | Bunnings BBQ                                       |
| Mon 11 <sup>th</sup>   | Club Committee Meeting 9.30am                      |
| Wed 13 <sup>th</sup>   | Mini-Day   |
| Sat 16 <sup>th</sup>   | Maxi-Day Host Bernie Korent<br>Theme Wood Piercing |
| Thurs 21 <sup>th</sup> | Mini-Day   |

## June 2020

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|------------------------|---|
| Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup>    | Mini-Day                                      |
| Sat 6 <sup>th</sup>    | Mini-Day                                      |
| Wed 10 <sup>th</sup>   | Mini-Day                                      |
| Fri 12 <sup>th</sup>   | Bunnings BBQ                                  |
| Mon 15 <sup>th</sup>   | Club Committee Meeting 9.30am                 |
| Sat 20 <sup>th</sup>   | Maxi-Day Host Alan Pentecost<br>Theme Handles |
| Thurs 25 <sup>th</sup> | Mini-Day                                      |