



# Aged Nuts Bolts and Shavings

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## Building Progress

A lot of work has been done over the past month with amazing results. Hibiscus and Bays local Board has approved the site in the Silverdale memorial park This is situated on one of the disused Bowling Greens behind the Nippon Judo Club rooms adjacent to Bunnings. Plans have been provided showing the coordinates for proposed drainage and sewerage connections that Council will be working on shortly. A local company, Fluker Surveyors are kindly providing surveying services to assist in meeting our



Wayne measures site for Shed width with the help of Stuart and Peter

design and building placement requirements for Council. Public Notification publications have been run and close in March and we await the outcome. The Local Board has received our funding application which is currently in the pipeline for consideration, so all in all it has been a very successful month, now the hard work will commence and that is to raise the funds to cover the build and internal fit out. Speaking of "fit out" if you have any bright ideas that we should look at give Chairman Stuart a call on 09 424 7854 or drop him an email to: [hibiscusshed@outlook.com](mailto:hibiscusshed@outlook.com)

## **New Shed for Auckland**

After two long years the Auckland Central Mens Shed have negotiated possession of the disused Edendale Bowling Club building situated in Gribblehurst Park Sandringham. On the 16th February they invited all Sheds representatives to an open day to view and draw on combined experience before embarking on their fitout We wish them all the best and look forward to seeing their Shed develop over the next twelve months.

**The National Menzshed New Zealand Conference** will be held on the weekend 15th—17th April in Kaiapoi. It will be a great weekend with lots to see and amazing Guest Speakers if you are interested to attend The preferred way to register is using the online form:

<http://goo.gl/forms/4L1ktrJplm>

If you have any queries, please email [conference@menzshed.nz](mailto:conference@menzshed.nz) or phone Ray Hall on 03 3887 277.

### Vacancies

Chairman Stuart would like to talk to anyone that could help with Desktop Publishing or Auditing end of year Accounts. Please phone on 09 424 7854



## *Aged Nuts Bolts and Shavings cont .....*

### **What is this?**

We think it belonged in a butcher shop but would like to be sure - do you have any ideas?

The Silverdale Pioneer Village enjoys receiving treasures from the past; they summon up memories, challenge the mind and provide enjoyment for others when put on display. Occasionally an object arrives which we cannot properly identify. This is one such item.!!



There are no markings except for numbers which appear to be the order of assembly and "Patent Applied for in USA"

The wheel rotates bringing the left hand jaw closer to the right, holding the object tighter between the jaws. There may be pieces missing.

Your thoughts or for a closer look, phone El on 426 5524 or email:

[sdhs@vodafone.co.nz](mailto:sdhs@vodafone.co.nz)

### **Wanting to find out more ways to do things?**

Have a look at these handy websites for the woodworker:

<https://www.youtube.com/user/FineWoodworking>

<https://www.youtube.com/user/wwgoaeditor>

[www.wwgoa.com/](http://www.wwgoa.com/)

<http://www.jacks.co.nz/products/sharpening/tormek/30>

<http://menzshed.org.nz/home/> (all Sheddies)