

### Producing and Selling!

The Men's Shed was allocated a stall at the new North Market in the Blood Test/Fruit World carpark at 15 Karepiro Drive on Sunday 14th October, where they offered on sale the toys, cat scarers, bird feeders and other stuff we have made and also surplus tools and gear.



Sheddies (L to R) Gordon Smedley, Andy Kramer, Des Brosnahan and Ray Benfiet were there at 8am to set up the stall and entice the many



passers-by to get their money out and purchase some of the great things that have been produced by the Men's Shed.

The market runs every second Sunday, from 8am till 1pm and has gone well since it started back in September. If our first foray into selling is a success, there will be more opportunities for us to make money for our Shed.



### Rotary Supporting Men's Shed

The Rotary Satellite Club of Orewa-Millwater, ably assisted by some of our own Sheddies, raised \$470 for us at a Sausage Sizzle held outside PAK'nSAVE Silverdale. All the sausages, bread, onions, etc was kindly donated by PAK'nSAVE. Chair Maurice collected the cheque last month and gave a short presentation about what we do, whilst stating that he would welcome more collaboration between the two organisations.



### Coffee Club

The Coffee Club is going well in its new venue, at Red Beach Surf Life Saving Club, on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month – excluding January. The sea views are amazing!

### New Secretary

Roger Leadbeater continues as Treasurer and we are delighted to welcome Andy Kramer onboard as the new Secretary of the Men's Shed.

### And Finally:

Please encourage your mates to come along to the Coffee Club and also to think about joining the Men's Shed.

We are working really hard at getting our grants to build the new Shed and we will keep you posted with all news about this permanent Shed as soon as we can.

**Maurice Browning**  
Chair  
Hibiscus Men's Shed Trust