



Insurance Update

The UKMSA has worked hard in trying to secure a better insurance deal. However, we have made too many statements about imminent deals and offers that have then failed to materialise. We apologise for this and, while we will continue to look for better deals from an insurance industry that largely does not yet seem ready for Sheds, we will ...

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Coloured vision

Stuart is a project leader for RTPProjects' Men's Shed in Durham. He writes 'It might be a little different as it doesn't have an activity 'theme' such as woodworking. Instead men are encouraged to try out many different activities to discover what they enjoy doing. This means that in any session there will be several different activities going on. All ...



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MEN'S SHED'S NETWORKS – it's good to talk!

Did you know there are already a number of Men's Sheds regional networks around the country? UKMSA's Chair Mike Brading, Director of Services Anne Oxley and RVS Shed Project Manager Jo Phillips went along to the Southern Network meeting on 6 March in Hampshire, attended by 54 people, the best turn out of Sheddors they had ever had! Chaired by ...

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Triton Competition

Triton Precision Tools have recently launched a new initiative called 'Masters of Wood Plans Competition'. There are some big prizes. Entry is via <https://www.tritontools.com/en-GB/Competitions>

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Bags of help

Graham Gowman chair of Romsey Men's Shed writes: 'Back in early March 2016 it was early days for our Shed. 11 of us were meeting whilst looking for a proper premises but had nothing else we could get our teeth into by way of a project. One of our members had a contact from Romsey Riverwalk Project. The River Test ...

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Minutes of Annual General Meeting – 19th October 2016

UK Men's Sheds Association Minutes of Annual General Meeting 19 October 2016 Carrs Lane Conference Centre, Birmingham B4 7SX

ATTENDEES 20 people attended representing 15 Sheds (13 member Sheds) and the Scottish Men's Sheds Association. With UKMSA membership standing at 116 the meeting was deemed quorate (see Page 4 for list of attendees). There was one proxy vote ...

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For starters(2)

Kidderminster, Worcestershire

A group has formed with a community workshop in mind and are in discussion with Wyre Forest District Council about premises in the Kidderminster Regeneration Project. Enquiries about joining in can be made to Jason Pond Emptypond@gmail.com Mirfield, Yorks

Pathways is an NHS organisation which has a fully-equipped woodwork/metalwork workshop with spare capacity. The ...

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Shed Shop

Bootle Tool Shed opened in January in a shopping Centre unit they were given several months ago. The owners preferred to have it used than lay idle so offered it free of charge for an initial year. The group of 5 members have been fitting it out and have put a notice in the window saying what they are and ...

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