

# UK Men's Shed Association

To enable access to a Shed for every man  
that would benefit from one.

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# UKMSA



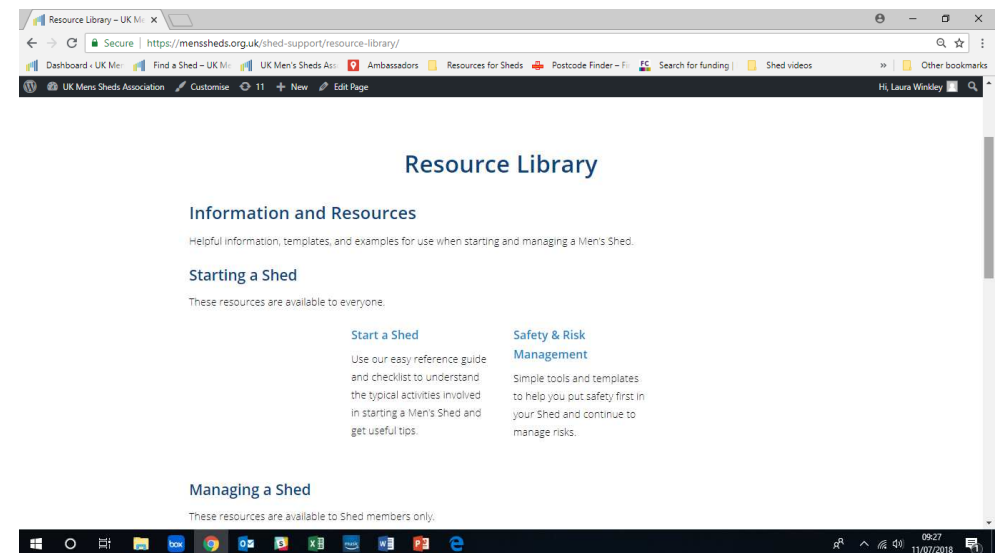
- 🏠 2013 – UKMSA formed, approx. 33 sheds in UK
- 🏠 Today - 472 Sheds open across the UK, 175+ in planning (133 on the website)
- 🏠 11,000+ men (and women) involved
- 🏠 Range of sizes, activities, opening hours
- 🏠 A lot has changed in the last 12 months for us as a team

# Shed Membership

- Resource library – containing guides, templates and promotional materials
- Discounts with retailers
- Voting rights at Annual General Meeting
- Free tickets to ShedFest for Shed members
- Online access to Member Shed Forum and Toolcycle
- Working on additional benefits...

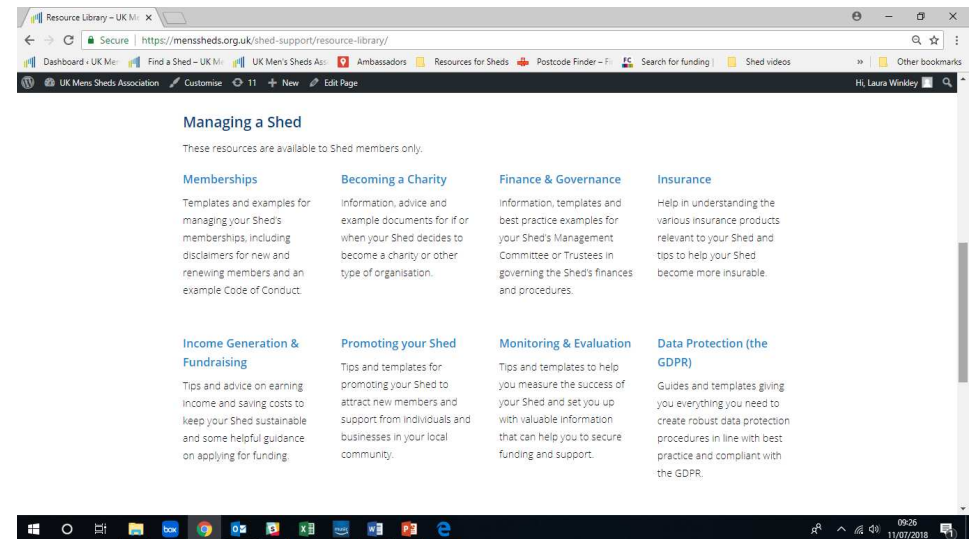
# Resource library – For all Sheds

- 🏠 Start a Shed guide
- 🏠 Safety & Risk Management –
  - 🏠 Health and Safety Policy
  - 🏠 Risk Assessment form
  - 🏠 Safeguarding Policy
  - 🏠 Safeguarding cover sheet (to display in Shed)



# Resource library – For Member Sheds

- 🏠 Becoming a Charity
- 🏠 Finance & Governance
- 🏠 Insurance
- 🏠 Promoting your Shed
- 🏠 Income Generation & Funding
- 🏠 Monitoring & Evaluation



# Discounts with retailers

- Triton Tools - 49% off hand tools and 29% off power tools
- Lumberjack Tools - 22.5% on initial orders over £1200 and 10% off thereafter
- Shedstore - 5% off for all Shedders on orders over £200
- Looking to develop more...

# Voting rights at Annual AGM

- Each Shed is entitled to one vote per Shed at AGM
- This years AGM is taking place at ShedFest 2018 –

**Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2018, at  
University of Worcester Arena**



# ShedFest 2018

- Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> November at University of Worcester Arena
- AGM
- Vision 2020 – new strategic plan for UKMSA
- Presentation of Shedder Survey findings
- Workshops
- Demonstrations
- Information helpful for Sheds (ie. charities and organisations)



# Toolcycle

🏠 Toolcycle enables you to give, get and swap tools, equipment and materials.



## Bosch Cordless secateur

Bosch cordless Ciso secateurs - Used, but in original packaging: Powered by 3.6V lithium-ion battery 500 cuts per average pruning...

28/11/2017  
Frome  
Somerset  
Total views: 113  
Price: £ 0.00

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the 'Search Listings' page on the UK Men's Sheds Association website. The URL is <https://menssheds.org.uk/toolcycle/search-listings/?awpcp-step=dosearch&keywordphrase=>. The page title is 'Search Listings'. The main content area contains the following text:

Looking for a drill? Trying to find a bandsaw? Need a computer? Browse Toolcycle.

Have something you dont need anymore? Post an advert.

Toolcycle enables you to give, get and swap tools, equipment and materials. Sheds and companies alike will list things every now and again so make sure you check back often.

Please note that Toolcycle purposefully has no payment function. We encourage all items to be donated to Sheds for free and you'll need to arrange delivery or collection using the contact details listed on each item.

Buttons: Place Listing, Edit Listing, Browse Listings, Search Listings

Return to Search

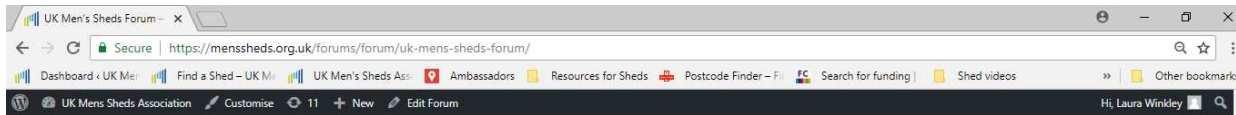
Assorted used hand tools for prompt collection

On offer for free (subject to prompt collection from South Croydon) a variety of used hand tools used by my...

31/05/2018

The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows the date as 11/07/2018 and the time as 09:22.

# Forums



You are here: Forums > UK Men's Sheds Forum

## UK Men's Sheds Forum

This category contains 28 topics and 32 replies, and was last updated by Cambs-Chris 3 weeks, 2 days ago.

Forum	Topics	Posts	Freshness
<a href="#">About Me</a> Introduce yourself, make friends and share your stories	13	27	3 weeks, 2 days ago Cambs-Chris
<a href="#">Getting Creative</a> Share tips and tricks and show off your creative side	2	4	1 month, 3 weeks ago PeteDavie
<a href="#">Health and Wellbeing</a> Lifestyle, exercise and ways to keep healthy	2	2	2 months, 1 week ago Men in Sheds West Bleasley
<a href="#">Improving the Online Community</a> Give your ideas on how to make this community stronger	4	9	4 weeks ago Men in Sheds West Bleasley

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8th February 2018 at 16:37

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fixit9660

I'm a complete novice trying to make a website for our new shed. Can anyone give me any help please?

Participant

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15th March 2018 at 19:37

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poollekiteman

It all depends how simple or otherwise you want to make it – I've been writing website code for over 20 years, using Notepad, which makes for simple web pages that do exactly what I want.

Most of the "free website" providers have their own WYSIWYG editors where you "drag and drop" the components where you want to see them on the screen

I'll paste in links to a couple of them for you to have a look – and a link to one of my "home brew" websites – HTH – Richard

Participant

(2.30.165.11)

<https://www.squarespace.com/>

<http://www.weebly.com>

<http://www.grumpyoldgits.org>



# Feedback from Sheds

- What you feel UKMSA should do more of
- What you feel UKMSA should do less of
- Benefits you'd like to see

# Any Questions?

# Thank you!