

Manno Men's Shed to receive a helping hand

Manning Park Community Men's Shed has received a boost with some help from the Wallarah 2 Community Foundation Grants Program.

The men's shed provides a hub for men in the community to come together for friendship, social activities, to teach, learn and contribute to their community as well as providing an environment which assists with their health and wellbeing.

Some of the more recent projects include the installation of playground fitness equipment at the local public school, building and installation of new kitchen cupboards for the CWA and a new bookcase for the community hall library.

The organisation also works with other community groups such as Tidy Towns, Men of League and the local sailing club.

Thanks to the funding provided by Wallarah 2, the Manno Men's Shed will be able to purchase a new thicknesser which will allow there members to undertake quality woodworking within the shed for community projects.

Project Manager of the Manno Men's Shed Joe Lavin said, "The addition of this piece of equipment will enhance existing skills and provide learning opportunities for our members in woodworking and carpentry. It will also facilitate quality outcomes for our future community projects that we undertake."

General Manager for Wallarah 2 Coal Project Peter Allonby said, "Supporting the health and wellbeing of men in our community is very important. Wallarah 2 are pleased to assist Manno Men's shed with the purchase of this new equipment."



L-R: Members from Manno Men's Shed meet with Peter Allonby, General Manager of Wallarah 2

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