

## Heathfield Men's Shed

January & February 2024



# Welcome to the January & February edition of the newsletter

#### Latest news:

Happy New Year to everyone and we look forward to seeing you all in 2024.

An excellent month of sales in the run-up to Christmas, especially of our new Christmas tree lanterns and stars, as per the picture below.



Also, Terry's new bird box design was well received and we sold quite a few at a good price.



We are now coming up with designs for Valentine's day and Easter, so all ideas welcome.

### **Monthly Pub Evenings**

All are welcome to attend- no need to book, just turn up at 7.00pm at the Runt in Tun on fourth Monday of the month. Check the diary for the dates. Martin & Andy the landlords very kindly donate some nibbles mid way through our sessions which is a fantastic gesture on their part. Next sessions are 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan and 26<sup>th</sup> February.

#### Workshop update and new products:

Still continuing the major clear-up, which gives much more working space for workshop members. The COSSH cupboard is now well organised, thanks to Tony Buckwell's work.

The woodstore has been sorted out and we have a plentiful supply, ready for projects in the New Year.

If anyone has any hardwood, we would be greatful of a donation.

The supervisor's rota has been updated for all of the year and can be found on the noticeboard in the social shed.

Some little jobs for Little Tinkers over Christmas and Mick Darling was kind enough to be Santa for the boys and girls.

More commissions keep coming in, from existing clients, people attending our market stalls and local council contacts, so we are staying busy.

We still have an issue with a water leak in the roof at the rear of the workshop but we are working on a solution.

#### Monthly breakfasts.....

As with our pub evenings, there is no need to book in advance for this event, just turn up and enjoy a breakfast with fellow Shedders. This is a regular event on the second Monday of each month, at Hooks café (near the market place).

The date of the next Breakfast Social will be Monday  $12^{th}$  February. The one on  $8^{th}$  Jan was well attended with nine people in attendance.