

#### Katherine Men's Shed Inc.

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# Help us establish the Katherine Men's Shed at the Rotary Family Fun Park

**Please note that all donations over \$500** are tax deductible. Your donation should be sent to the Australian Men's Shed Association, which has DGR (Deductible Gift Recipient) status.

## **Background:**

The Katherine Men's Shed was established in May 2018 with the support of the Rotary Club of Katherine with the intention of being a community based, not-for-profit organisation that is accessible to all men and whose primary activity is the provision of a safe and friendly environment where men will work on meaningful projects at their own pace, in their own time, in the company of other men. And in doing so, give back to the community.

We believe that our shed will advance the well-being and health of men, help save lives and give a purpose to them and in doing so will counteract the dangers of mental health. We hold regular learning opportunities relating to the diseases and health problems that men suffer from.

#### Our aims:

- provide the opportunity for men, of all ages, and all cultures to associate and support each other
- provide an environment where men can be creative and productive
- provide an environment where men's health issues can be raised and discussed
- give men an opportunity to be valued in their community
- promote wellbeing and understanding among men
- expand men's educational and social networks
- promote intergenerational, familial and cultural bonding across cultures

### Our need: A shed

The Rotary Club of Katherine Inc aims to provide the facility. The existing structure is non compliant and needs to be dismantled. We need to fund the purchase and erection of a new shed.

Your donation will enable the creation of the Katherine Men's Shed at the Rotary Family Fun Park and we look forward to welcoming you to our opening night.

Your donation is tax deductible. And in recognition of your contribution we have established a sponsorship program. Your name will be forever inscribed on a plaque in the shed.

# **Sponsorship Levels:**

Principal sponsorship (platinum)	Gifts of tools, materials and/or money from \$ 5,000 and over qualifies you as a  Principal Sponsor, for which you will be recognized with:  a framed Certificate of Appreciation  an invitation to any Open Day events  membership of the Shed for one male representative  a product write-up in one of our Shed Newsletters  your company name and logo on every document we produce  your company name and logo on our Principal Sponsor's Board in the shed and on the fence  your company name and logo in each of our subsequent Shed newsletters, movie clips, brochures and on our website.	
Major Sponsorship (gold)	Gifts of tools, materials and/or money from \$ 1,000 to below \$5,000 qualifies you as a Major Sponsor, for which you will be recognized with:  • a framed Certificate of Appreciation  • an invitation to any Open Day events  • membership of the Shed for one male representative  • your company name and logo in each of our subsequent Shed newsletters, movie clips, brochures and on our website.	
Participating Sponsorship (silver)	Gifts of tools, materials and/or money from \$ 500 to below \$ 1,000 qualifies you as a Participating Sponsor, for which you will be recognized with:  • a framed Certificate of Appreciation  • an invitation to any Open Day events	
Good Guys Sponsorship (bronze)	Gifts of used tools, materials and/or money below the value of \$500 qualifies you as a <b>Good Guys Sponsor</b> , for which you will be recognized with:  • a framed Certificate of Appreciation	

Anyone wishing to sponsor the Katherine Men's Shed at any of the above levels, should fill in the Donations Form and send it to AMSA - or deposit straight into our Bendigo bank account

Please believe us, your DONATION will be most welcome

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