

# A few general pointers on the operating use of the Paintshaver Pro

Never use the Paintshaver Pro without the vacuum as this clears dust from the blades and stops clogging and as a consequence the motor will run freely and you will find the paint stripping easier and the Paintshaver gets through the work quicker.

The Paintshaver Pro has a powerful motor that runs at 10,000 RPM. Although powerful it is very easy to use if operated in the right manner for quick low cost paint removal.

- Keep front and back level when you are operating the tool. Doing this will give you a very smooth shave for paint removal. What you are trying to do is keep the blade operating in a straight line
- Use long right to left action keeping it level and as smooth as possible.
- It will go over standard nails used on weatherboards when paint stripping without much issue however if you can use a nail punch and hammer them below the surface where possible it will make a smoother finish when paint stripping.
- Everyone will have a position that suits them best for comfort. Most people will find the level with the chest will give the best results as it gives you more control.
- It is not a noisy tool compared to a sander or grinder however do not underestimate its power.
- If you have a bevel on your weatherboards which is common in Brisbane do them after you have done the face of your boards when the blade is not as sharp so not to effect the edge of the bevel.
- Remember you are working with wood and old paint. Some paint removal jobs will be easier some more difficult. In degree of difficulty it is not unusual for the West & East side of a house to be 50% more difficult stripping paint than North & South in Brisbane because the sun has baked them over the years. Also an 80 year old house with 8 coats of paint will be more work than a 20 year old house with less coats of paint. The Paintshaver Pro will still be better than the old traditional methods of chemical Paint stripping or burning with torch.

You will be amazed at The Paintshaver Pro paint stripping ability that is now available for hire in Brisbane.