



## October 2022 Newsletter

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How quickly the summer has passed!

We are now starting our fall season and planning for the next couple of months.

Next week, on Oct 7 & 8, we are planning to build some garden boxes at Deer Lodge Community Gardens (close to Deer Lodge Hospital.

About 11 guys have already signed up to help out, but we could use a few more! Call Vic Thiessen at 204-615-1809 if you would like to join us. It would be good to bring safety glasses, Apron or tool holder, hammer, electric drill with drive bits, Saw horses & lawn chair. Mensheds will buy lunch (I think Pizza) .This could be a fun time to spend with the guys. You don't need building skills or dexterity just some holding in place or helping to measure or getting more screws. You know comradely stuff. We plan to start at 9.00am.

I'd like to welcome three new members; Kelly Ryback, Allan Dyker, & Andrew Slishinski. Hey Guys, I hope you'll find the club as diversified and fun as you expected!

We are working on a new Menshed's website. Should be up and running soon!

We want to have a Menshed's Café lunch by the end of October! Talk to Roger (the coffee guy) if you would like to help with the planning or preparing. Probably simple like soup & sandwiches.

We are also planning to do an art program this fall. Tell us what you would like to see happen. We would have the same instructor as last year as he was highly praised and enjoyed.

Plans are getting started for a Christmas dinner in early December. The WSO, complete with a group of Ukuleles will provide some entertainment of Christmas music and other old favourites.

If you have any programming suggestions, we will take them into consideration. Talk to any of the guys on the board (usually the one not playing crib regularly). Don't forget that we still do wood carving and walking stick making and have supplies of material available.

We are hoping for a nice fall.

If you have suggestions or ideas, please call me at 204-895-7333 or email [fridave49@gmail.com](mailto:fridave49@gmail.com)

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