

## Notes from meeting of 4<sup>th</sup> January 2018.

At our meeting last week we discussed the programme for the coming year, and here's a synopsis:

### 1. Speakers / Show and Tell:

It would be good to have a regular slot where we have either a speaker, or someone brings something along to show and talk about with the group. Subjects could include The Raspberry Pi electronics system; Safe use of Tools; Lathe work; Model building; etc.

### 2. External Visits:

Several external visits would be good, including to other Sheds such as Calne and Swindon; Morgan Cars; 'Steam' guided tour by John who used to work there; The Canal Trust; Crofton Beam Engines.

### 3. Projects for the year:

- Bird box kits could be made, for example to take along to the Brownies so they could have an evening where they each assemble their own (and later paint it?). This might be done in conjunction with the Town Council so a 3rd aspect could come in whereby each box is placed somewhere in the community.
- Hedgehog box kits (for sale or similar to bird boxes).
- Garden furniture from pallets.
- Complete repair to commemorative bench.
- Complete trailer renovation.
- Composters (e.g. as requested by Pam Ayres)
- Planters
- Window Box
- Lathe working (and products to sell)
- Tools for Africa
- Carving

### 4. Open Day

To be held when we're ready with some things to do such as 'make your own bird box' etc.