



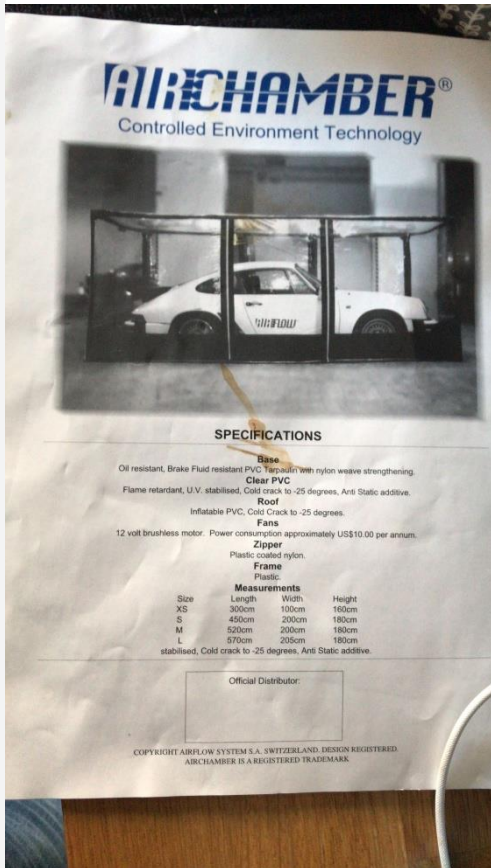
Frome Shed April Newsletter 2025



Some Shedders may have noticed that the building is up for sale. It is hoped that the building will continue as a multi use site after the sale. We don't have a timescale for the sale but in the mean time the Trustees are looking at our current lease and options for the future.



When Shedders join the Shed we ask them if, as a UK Income Tax payer, they would be willing to sign up for Gift Aid (GA). Under the GA scheme registered charities can claim 25% of donations from the UK government. To do this our Treasurer, John Corfield, submits an annual return to HMRC. This year John has successfully claimed £1,523.08. Thanks John and thanks to all those Shedders who signed up for GA. If you are a UK Income Tax payer and would like to sign up for GA please ask for a form from the Duty Manager. The GA scheme costs you nothing, but can make a huge difference to our bank balance!



There are a couple of items in the Shed that are looking for a new home. Firstly is an **inflatable car cover**. This is a clear plastic cover that can be used to store a car or similar object - or used as an enclosed paint spraying chamber. The one we have is by Airflow. The information leaflet says they come in 4 sizes. Unfortunately we don't know what size ours is. If you are interested in this item it is in the stair well area in a blue and black carry bag.



The second item is a **reading lamp** with a USB plug. This is by the television screen. The overall is there for scale- not part of the offer!

On Monday 07/04/25 we held a Coffee Morning in aid of the Children's Hospice South West. Thank you for your support, £170.00 was raised.

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Guess who we met at Stourhead? Stevie, our long term mentor and comedian, who guided us through the making of the rocking horse, and gave us loads of beautiful timber.

Ever the joker, he grabbed Richard so as to hold hands for the photograph.

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On Monday 14 April, a **new project is starting**- to make bunting - this time in red, white and blue, requested by the Royal British Legion, for celebrating VE Day in May, and VJ day in August.

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Now for some recent projects spotted happening in the Shed : Ros R. helping Fiona to upholster her restored chair, and Richard has remade a bench using recycled wood.



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