**JOINT VENTURE**

**After many years of leaping through tortuous legal and taxation hoops the Directors of ”Rotary International District 9810 Project Funds Limited” together with “The Montrose and District Men’s Shed Inc” are proud to announce the establishment of a joint venture in which Deductible Gift Recipient Status has been granted by the Australian Taxation Office.  
The establishment of this joint venture will enable “The Montrose and District Men’s Shed” to utilise externally generated funding attracted by tax deductibility to expand their premises and thereby make their valuable programs available to a wider range of men within the area.  
\* The Men’s Shed movement is a well-known program providing post retirement opportunities for men to engage in mutual peer group support therefore avoiding mental health issues which arise from feelings of isolation.  
\*There are now some 34 members within the Montrose Men’s Shed operating 3 days a week on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday between 9.00am and about 1.00pm.  
The mutual support and mate ship are important to those attending the shed.  
\*If you are in a position to donate to “The Montrose and District Men’s Shed” make your intentions known by emailing the shed at** [**mensshedmontrose@gmail.com**](mailto:mensshedmontrose@gmail.com) **or telephoning the shed on 03 9728 4605 during shed hours..**