

SLIPWAY REPORT 9/01/2020

With the events surrounding the bushfires, it may be a blessing in disguise that the "Collective" leasing the property were delayed by 'red tape' approval to use the site and the discovery that THEOS had a lease on a shed on the property until March 2020.

This "Collective" are an outstanding and enthusiastic group with a mindset to do something exceptional to give Lakes Entrance an exciting presence to lift a 15 year eyesore site into an area of life and fun.

Anthony Basford, Shire CEO., has indicated that funds may be available for business initiative that may apply to this group.

Please let us all join in to support their efforts to make this site become a reality for late 2020.

The driver for the group TAFE's Ben Gebert has been repositioned with TAFE and is no longer able to continue his involvement with the project.

The LEADA committee offered to seek someone for them from our membership with excellent qualifications to lead the group in 2020.

LEADA members Bruce Hurley and Mike Anketell called a meeting of the partners in the "Collective" to introduce a prospective person to lead the group to achieve their project.

A new resident, of six months, to Lakes Entrance, Trevor Patten, was seen to be a very experienced and a highly qualified mentor for the group.

The meeting with all core members present, shared their life, 'warts and all', ended with the great desire of the "Collective" members to appoint Trevor as their leader and mentor unanimously.

More about Trevor at a later date.

Mike Anketell