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MAY NEWSLETTER

We had a really good turnup for the April working bee to lay foundations for the information shelter in the Billy's Creek section of the Park. A wonderfully coordinated (well, most of the time) team got really stuck into it and yes, the main supporting pillars were well and truly cemented in by the end of the afternoon. I have to admit that after a bit of turf-clearing, we ladies decided that there were quite enough men on the job, and took an

over-viewing role (sat in the sun and watched:) -although I justified my presence as the "roving reporter" for the newsletter. A certain member was casting aspersions at certain other people's accuracy in the measuring area, but we will mention no names!

The next working bee is to do further work on the shelter, and we had such' a good team going that it would seem a shame if everyone of them were not present for the next stage of the job, so we hope to see all of you on the **16th of May**. Meeting time and place the same as before - 1.30 pm at the end of Braniff's Road. Again, bring any tools you consider suitable.

The item publicising the Group has appeared in the recent copy of the Yinnar South Newsletter, and something very similar has been submitted for publication in Churchill News. We have been allocated \$300 from the profits from Yinnar South Country Fair , which was most successful this year .It is very much appreciated and will be spent on tools or materials used by FMNP.

After this next meeting, we shall be getting back into the tree planting season, so while-we have been enjoying the magnificent sunny Autumn weather, it is good that we are beginning to get a bit of rain to soak the ground.

Once again Coles supermarkets are offering Mackintosh computers in exchange for Coles receipts (orange), from 26/4. Rob de Souza Daw requests that, if you are not saving these for a particular school, you pass them on to him for his children's schools.

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