

## Nearly There!

I thought we'd have some really good news to announce today, but we're not quite there, and you know what they say about counting chickens before they're hatched. Next week I hope.

## Noisy McDonalds

We were assured that McDonalds, by the Basin Reserve would be quiet on a Thursday morning. Well, we had barely started we in came about 40 junior schoolkids complete with snap-happy parents and even a clown horse.

Despite having a separate area it was too much, and we retreated to a quieter part of the place. Then a scrabble of grey-shorted boys arrived and began celebrating. After a few more minutes we gave up and retired to Stuart's home on Mount Vic.

Blissful peace, coffee and of course Stuart's home made cheese scones.

## Christmas is a Coming In

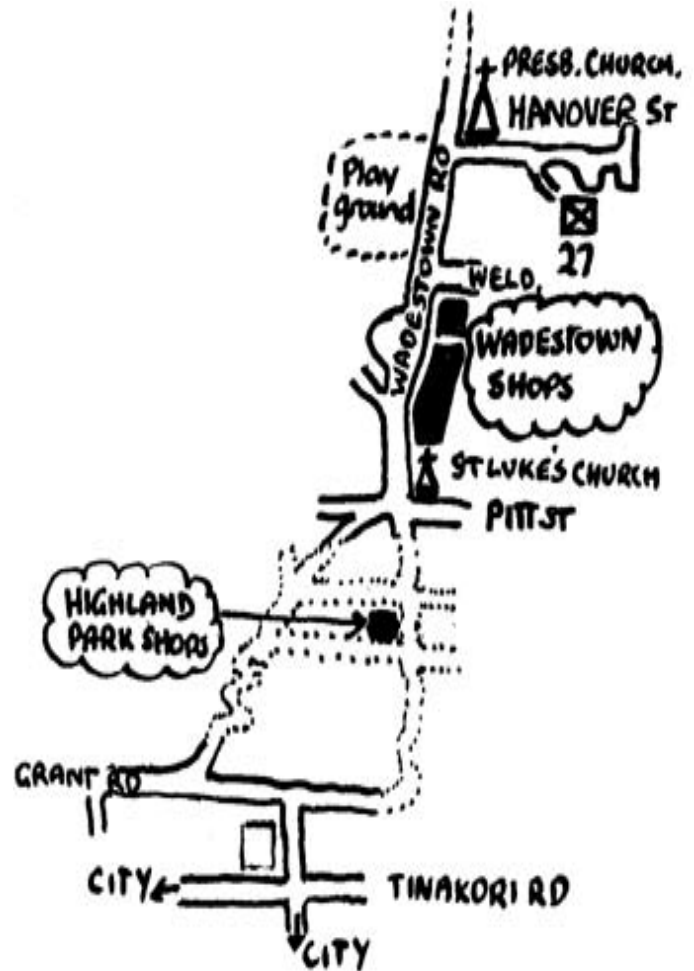
Whilst many of us will be having a great time with family and friends, this time of the year can make others feel even more left out of things.

If you know of any men who could do with a bit of company tell them about the MenzShed and encourage them to come along.

We're not certain what will happen over the next few weeks as this is our first Christmas, but we'll try to have some gatherings before the year proper begins again in February. Keep checking your email.

## Where to this week?

In the absence of a better offer, I suggest 27 Hanover Street again for this Thursday 10-12ish.



The MenzShed is open to all Wellington men, but especially those in the older age group, who for many reasons, may be feeling isolated or alone.

We offer a place where you'll find companionship, and a chance to revive your old skills, or learn new skills.

Come and join us. You're bound to find something that will interest you.