

**Hackberry Heckler**  
**LXV**  
**January 2025**  
**Hackberry Men's Shed,**  
**Carleton Place, Ontario.**

\*\*\* **PROJECTS** \*\*\*

**Fokker DR1** - Apparently Manfred Albrecht



Freiherr von Richthofen was keen to celebrate his victories with an engraved silver cup. #12 is a Vickers pilot shot down on 11.12.16.

A recent YouTube offering discussed the Wright brothers testing half-scale wing sections in a wind tunnel and how these gave a different Reynold

number to the full scale version. This might be the reason early wings tended to be wide and thin (Camel) and later wings tended to be thicker (DR1). Our DR1 wing is to scale but



we're not sure about the Camel's! We also read the DR1 was based on an early Sopwith triplane (thin wings!)



On the left is a thin aileron from the upper wings, partly covered by **John F.**

The end section wraps around the wing tip so has yet to be shaped. John says he spends a lot of time on the wavey trailing edge.



\*\*\* **MISCELLANEOUS** \*\*\*



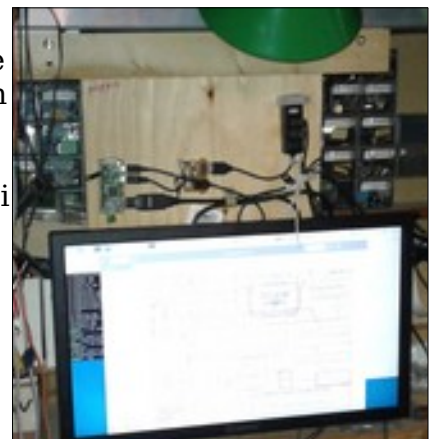
This home-workshop belt sander from Lee Valley did not come with a dust attachment so a wooden box was built for it to sit in. The original design had a pipe coming out of the front but this started to get in the way and was moved to the rear with the original hole bunged up with a wheel! The switch on the LHS turns on the sander but also powers the socket which runs a small vacuum tucked under the bench. DW



~~~⊙~~~ **Upcoming Breakfasts:** ⊙~~~⊙~~~

7:30am Gourmet Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> February  
8am Legion CP Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> February (was)  
8am Legion Almonte, Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> February

The display on the right is hung up in the electronics corner of a home workshop. A RasPi Zero provides the processing power. i.e. somewhere to show schematics, datasheets and drawings. There



is a rail across the top which it rolls along giving access to the component boxes out back. Presently a work in progress but it does light up!

\*\*\* JIGS & RULES \*\*\*



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Please do go have a look.

A new key code was issued for the Shed in early **February** so if you payed your dues you should have already gotten it. i.e. \$5 (or more!) to Ray Kamm to keep your name on our list!

\*\*\* WEB \*\*\*

**Fishing in Labrador:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rl6COfsL1fY>

**Island of the Loast**, OLD misadventure film:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=APcPZXSSbgU>

**Women Who Won the War, documentary:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eB8EvM2Wfdw&authuser=0>

**Rescuing a WWII Catalina (from Nussy)**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0kFzUYexwRA>

\*\*\* FIELD REPORTS \*\*\*

*Sunny, Windy and Cold!*

**John F.** With his flying goggles in-place. His aeroplane is glider with a 2.4 meter wingspan.



*If I saw one of these in a field I'd likely swat it!*

\*\*\* FACILITIES \*\*\*

Thanks to Jim A. who kindly donated his mitre saw to the Shed, so our old one has now been swapped out.

\*\*\* MEMBERSHIP \*\*\*

**Wayne B.** asks you to please welcome new members **John Richter, Robin Rogers** and **David Briand**, the latter having already gotten his hands dirty chiseling away at some Fokker wings.

\*\*\* OUTREACH \*\*\*

*With thanks to those who've seen fit to send in photographs and articles etc.*



*se non è vero, è ben trovato*  
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11pt DejaVuSerif



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Shane brought up an interesting item at our Tuesday night chatter and above is the label from Freshco which lists the details.

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