



**WOODCRAFT  
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## **Log Milling Policy**

The Guild maintains facilities for milling viable logs into usable timber.

Members are able to have their own logs milled by the Timber Team subject to the following guidelines. This service is limited to *current* members only.

The Guild does not and will not cut trees down, or clean up and dispose of debris from member tree felling. The Guild is neither an arborist nor landscape gardener.

Viability and suitability of all logs is at the sole discretion of the Timber Team.

There are 2 horizontal bandsaws for different size logs.

### *Smaller Horizontal Bandsaw (located inside the shed)*

- Max Log Diameter: 30cm
- Min Log Length: 750mm
- Max Log Length: 1.5m
- 1-2 Logs cut – No Cost
- 3+ logs cut – Percentage of timber cut donated to guild (Negotiated with Timber Team)
- Timber cutting can be performed by a member approved by the Timber Team.

### *Larger Horizontal Bandsaw (Located outside at rear of shed)*

- Max Log Diameter: 60cm
- Min Log Length: 1.2m
- Max Log Length: 2.4m (up to 3m possible by negotiation)
- All member logs cut on this larger bandsaw attract 50% of timber recovered to be donated to the Guild.
- Timber cutting to be performed by Timber Team only.

It is the member's responsibility to ensure that no metal or foreign objects (nails, screws, bolts, stones etc.) are present in the logs. Blade replacement due to cutting metal and other foreign objects is to be borne by the member at the current replacement cost.

(Small Bandsaw Blade replacement cost as of 1 July 2020 was \$65)

(Large Bandsaw Blade replacement cost as of 1 July 2020 was \$120)

### **Drop off and collection**

Location to be negotiated with the Timber Team first. There is currently no facility for member's timber to be stored/dried at the shed.

### **Transport**

Viable logs that are 100% donated to the Guild are gratefully accepted and are generally transported at no cost, but will need negotiation with the Timber Team as to whether the logs are suitable, viable etc.

Member owned logs are the member's responsibility to transport. The Timber Team has occasional access to equipment and trucks for this. The member is responsible for the cost of such transport. Cost and availability to be negotiated at the time with the Timber Team.