Dave recommended that if anyone was thinking of looking into their lineal history to start with the eldest living relative and work backwards down your family tree to trace your families DNA. Although these tests can provide you with a base of information, they often don't replace the need to get stuck into the history books and the good old fashioned family interrogation, haha! A couple of points I found interesting were that the Petrous bone in the ear was a great place to get DNA from as if often remains intact and that all humans are 99.9% Identical (it's been a long time since Science at school!)

We had a great day last Saturday cutting kindling wood at the shed. We had a record day with 57 boxes being packed up ready for deliveries. Well done team! See photos below

It was nice to have Hamish and Diana McPherson along for our meeting this week, a familiar face for many as Hamish was previously a member of our club.

Thank you to those of you who have shared your "worst jobs" or "fun facts" thus far and a warning to those of you who haven't..... your turn will be coming up soon so get your thinking caps on?

It's Club Night next week – I will send you out an agenda this weekend and I promise I won't hold you up too long so you can have your committee meetings on Tuesday night!

Closing thought of the week: A quote from Albert Einstein, "Strive not to be a success, but rather to be of value"

Have a great weekend!

Jess