**WORKING PLACE ETHICS**

Just in case you haven’t heard the news

Olivia Lewis ’s got a proper job.

No more shuffling midday carpet shoes

Us oldies say: “She ‘ll earn an honest bob”.

It’s now the rat race or the heavy grind,

And once you’ve cracked the Car Park regulation

There’s sick notes and excuses of that kind ,

P 45 and the superannuation.

You’ll find yourself drawn into a learning game;

Like: who’s in charge is sometimes not the boss;

A colleague and a friend are not the same;

And who’s a pal and whom it’s dangerous to cross.

And, as you live and grow your family tree

A subject once you dare not mention -

Anno Domino twenty sixty-three

Is when you start to draw your pension.

Enough of that –

To have a job should fill you with elation;

So, can we join with you in celebration?

*With love Grandpa Roger 26 May 2022.*