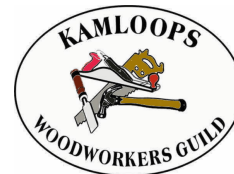




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WELCOME TO THIS MONTH'S NEWSLETTER:

Hi everyone; Well here we are at the start of a new season of Kamloops Woodworkers Guild activities. There are a few important items that need to be attended to ahead of us and we'll face them as they're presented. First is the increased rental of the school room we use, and there is the item of the Policy Statements that we've adopted last June. There is an item in there, No 6, that needs to be eliminated... (more in the newsletter), and finally we need a member to stand up to be our president next June. Carl has offered to stand for this year ONLY and someone will have to step-up..

Also, you will notice in this Newsletter there are NO photos... Joe W and I both forgot our cameras so you'll just have to take our word that the items displayed were beautiful.

Hope everyone had a great summer and are looking forward to a really mild winter! I know I am! Steve.

1) **TREASURER'S REPORT:** Larry Jordan

Larry reported our present balance in the bank and stated that some of that is from the Show & Sale Sponsors donations.

13) **SHOW & SALE COMMITTEE REPORT:** Derry Appleton

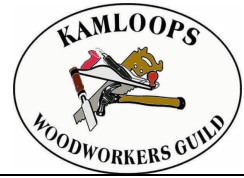
- We've had our first meeting of the fall season, and we've started to finalize things that need to be done.
- We need our members to put in at least one (1) piece in the Show & Sale for exhibit and judging.



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- We also need pieces entered for judging for the Door Prize that we present at the Show & Sale. (Items were supposed to be in by this meeting.) The Committee will pay **\$100.00** for the winning entry.
- Bob Caffrey mentioned that he is in charge of security at the S&S and he passed a sheet around for volunteers to be on security patrol through the time of the S&S.
- Larry Jordan requested pieces that are needed for the Silent Auction at the S&S and he would like them early on so he can make the bid sheets ahead of the show.

13) **UNFINISHED NOMINATION OF EXECUTIVE:** Carl Ottosen

Carl brought up the fact that we have unfinished business from June's meeting. That is, the nomination of a president for the next year... (Sept. to June)

Nominations are now open.... No response.....

Carl then stated that he would run as President for one (1) year only and there **MUST** be a new member ready to take on the job in June.

13) **CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE:** Carl Ottosen

There is a section of the Policies, that we adopted in June, that need to be excised from the Policies Statement. This is policy number 6 (#6) that reads;

"That we accept the recommendation from the Executive to allow Toymakers Committee to spend up to \$250.00 plus whatever funds they generate."

Executive Recommendation: *hat the Toy Building Committee should have a yearly spending limit set at \$250.00 for the operation of this committee. Any monies that they generate from the sale of toys be put in the Toy Building Committee account for the use of the committee; therefore the committee would have the \$250.00 from the Guild and any monies they generate to be used for the operation of this committee."*

According to Robert's Rules Of Order, we need to give the membership thirty days (30) notice of this proposed vote on the change to the Policy Statements. This is your 30-day notice. (Next meeting we'll address this item again.)

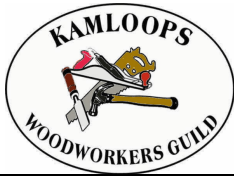
13) **SCHOOL ROOM RENTAL PRICING:** Carl Ottosen

Carl received a letter today from the School District and in it states that that we are going to be expected to pay a total of **\$294.00** for this year's rental of the Wood Shop... This is expected to double next year, plus the new HST, (after July 1st), added on top...

Does anyone have any suggestions as to a new location for our meetings? If so, please let Carl know...

13) **ART IN THE PARK 2009:** Carl Ottosen

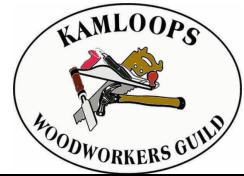
The members who attended this July had a great day all around. We gave away more than 300 toys and Herb and Jim gave away 300 more maple leaf cut-outs to kids and adults.



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13) YEAR-END SOCIAL: Dave Rawson

- All who attended had lots of fun. There were 30 people in attendance and great company all around.
- There were lots of donations for the Silent Auction and not all of the items were woodwork. There was a painting that one of the wives had done was donated to the S/A, and we brought in a total of **\$195.00** from the sale.
- Mike Pease brought out a sack of potatoes and put them in the auction as there was no “produce” available in the Auction. Thanks Mike.

8) COMMERCIAL ITEMS:

- **Windsor Plywood** is having a “Customer Appreciation Day” this coming Friday and Saturday, Sept. 11 & 12th. Everyone is welcome to come by and take in the festivities.
- **The Tool Place** has invited us, again, to attend their Demo Day on Saturday, Sept. 19th.

They plan on having two (2) wood lathes working and the band saw, as they normally do. We are all invited to come out and give a bit of time through the day as we have them as a major sponsor of our Show & Sale.

13) FREE WOOD AVAILABLE:

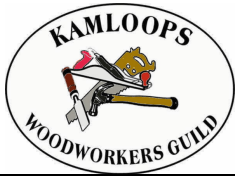
- Terry Shupe has a mess of 1” utility grade oak of all lengths for the taking. Contact Terry. (Phone; 250- 828-2292 or e-mail: adhoc@ocis.net)
- Nic Verbruggen has a mess of wood of all types from a widow who’s husband passed away a couple of years ago, and she’s now getting rid of it. Contact Nic to get this wood. (Phone: 250- 376-0535 or e-mail: Nic_Verbruggen@telus.net)

13) ANY TOOLS OR PROJECTS?

- Dave Rawson showed us his home-made, 4-wheel steady rest for large hollow turning.
- Rick Perszon is having a problem with a ½” band saw blade that wants to keep running-out when he tries to cut a straight line. (Dave R. to talk to him after the meeting.)

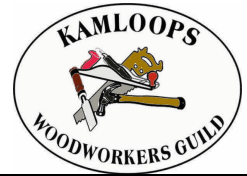
13) SHOW & TELL:

- Dave Rawson presented Mike Pease’s piece that he’s put in the Door Prize Judging, and it’s a beautiful hollow-turned sand-bag shaped burl... Really beautiful.
- Denis Biron showed his hollow-turned burl... Lots of inclusions and bark showing... Lots of finish work done to it.
- Denis also showed his bug-killed pine bowl that his wife finally, in her wisdom, likes. Now Denis has to figure out how she’s going to buy it... (Trade a quilt, or whatever?)
- Rick Perszon showed his first attempts at turning bug-killed pine and they looked really nice.
- Jerry Gauthier showed us his “barn wood table” that he’s been working on, and finally finished; and it’s a beautiful piece.



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12) NEXT MONTH'S MEETING PRESIDENT'S CHALLENGE: Carl Ottosen

Please present any puzzle or game of wood, that you have made or has been given to you.

13) DEMO: Jerry Gauthier & Lori Goss

This dynamic duo showed us their methods and tricks to make barn wood items look old again after cutting them to size. (Jerry prefers mitered corners, but if unavoidable use the secret formula dye that they have developed [rusty old nails in coffee/coke/anything dark].)

Steve, could you please e-mail our members about this:

I replaced a number of windows over the summer and now have a lot of glass to give away. The front room window is a double thermal sealed unit, glass only, no frame. It measures 54" X 96". Free to anyone.

I have several pieces of glass from wooden sliding patio doors. Some still sealed, but a couple I have split and are now single sheets of glass.

Also numerous pieces of single pane sliding units with aluminum frame around. All FREE! Good for cabin or greenhouse.

Thanks,
Nic

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**Next Meeting;
Oct. 7th, 2009**

OCTOBER 2009

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