

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER





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WELCOME TO THIS MONTH'S NEWSLETTER:

Hi all members. As of today we are one half-way through our year. Goes fast, doesn't it? Winter is on us, and sooner than you realize, there will be spring greenery abounding. We've had great attendance at our meetings, and I think great interest in what we're doing. Projects nights, and meeting nights alternating... I think it's working....

Now, on with the newsletter.

Steve.

CALL TO ORDER: Sandi Trueman

- Sandi called the meeting to order at 7:00pm, welcomed us all, and introduced Bill Brock, wanted to know if there was anyone here working with a scroll saw, as he was interested in learning, and Sacha Porteous, who may be interested in joining us.
- Sandi then called for "round-the-room" intros and we then started the meeting.
- Recognized Blair Lloyd from Beattie School Of The Arts, and he gave a presentation.
- Tom Bundic then explained to the group his troubles after his car crash in December, where he sustained bruises, concussion, soft tissue injury which was undiagnosed at the time of the crash... Now back working half-days after recovery period and as a result won't be doing another bracelet prep...at least for now..



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BEATTIE SCHOOL OF THE ARTS PRESENTATION: Blair Lloyd

• Blair gave a presentation with an outline of his school's gift of a \$200.00 grant, and the attempt to use it to expose 6 & 7 year old boys to wood working. He got a bunch of birdhouse kits from Windsor Plywood for free, as a starting point, and now he needs volunteers to mentor the boys, in his class, with the use of hammers, glue, etc. to assemble these bird houses...

Quite a few members have volunteered to help with the class on March 6th, for 1 hour; Beth Marie, Anne, Terry, Tag, Reg and Sandi - that's 6 members - 1 or 2 more would be nice.

MEMBERS VOLUNTEERING IN THE COMMUNITY: Gary Harker

 Before Christmas there was a call, from a lady at RIH, for volunteers from our Guild, to build a wheelchair ramp for a lady so she could be home on Christmas Day, from Royal Inland Hospital. Five of our members volunteered and the ramp was built over 3 days and the lady was home for Christmas. Thanks to all involved.















Great job people...



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FEB's TOP 40 CABINETS TOUR: Gerry Olund

• It was reported that Gerry's attempt to get a tour of the factory has not materialized as hoped. Gerry is now down south, but Dave A. will let us know if there is any change...

EMERGENCY DEMO FOR FEBRUARY: Dave Agar

• Dave reported that he has contacted Phil Lingren, of KMS Tools, and he has agreed to give a demo on his hobby of bark carving.... Thanks Dave.

CALL FOR HELP WITH SIGNS FOR E.FRY SOCIETY: Tag Lyons

• Tag got an email from Steve, regarding a call for help with making some signs for the E. Fry Society's three buildings. Tag says that there is still some doubt about a third sign, but he is still awaiting news about the member's presentation to the E. Fry Executive.

SHOW & TELL:

• Don Ingram – Turned Coffee Cup (not insulated) – Fishing box with flys and reel compartments....





• Dana Manhard – Turned bowl with darker wood edging, two Christmas tree decorations.









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• Nic Verbruggen – A number of pens he's made, after Christmas because "someone" bought up all the supplies before he could get any....





• Edward Adams – African Game Boards – Made a number of them for his kids.



• Gary Harker – Wood puzzles he made for Phsyc Ward at RIH. He is also making a few "touch boards" for them too.



• Jerry Gauthier – Wood collected from old Sheep Breeder's Building. Furniture made is from his website < www.knottykreations.com >.



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Sewing Game for Kids

Thanks to Jerry Gauthier's wife for this photo...

Something to think about come July 1st – Art In The Park.

• Denis Biron – Cutting board of walnut and birch built for his daughter-in-law. Lots of fun in the construction process.



1) **PROJECTS NIGHT:**

• Tom B. helped a bunch of folks get their bracelets started on the metal lathe...



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Bracelets getting turned on metal lathe.



Learning the ups & downs of metal lathe.



Tom explains fine points on sanding.

As explained above, Tom will NOT be assembling any more bracelet blanks.

Next Meeting on Feb 4th.

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