

KAMLOOPS WOODWORKERS GUILD

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER





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WELCOME TO THIS MONTH'S NEWSLETTER:

Hello all. Well here we are in May and we have some decisions to make re the Executive make-up of our Guild... You as members have a chance to join in the executive and have a hand in the operation of our Guild and contribute to its success going forward. I hope each and every one of you will seriously consider standing for the two open spaces and stand at the next meeting and accept any or all nominations....

And a special notice that the Year-End BBQ will be at Dana & Natalie's place on June 25th. Map/Address to follow...

Now, on with the newsletter...

Steve.

ANNOUNCEMENTS/REQUESTS:

Meet A Machine event... April 16th A huge thank you to all the members who came out and showed what our club is capable of. Also heartfelt thank you to those who contributed to the sales table...which earned \$432.00.

Again thank you to Jerry Gauthier and Russ Cahoon for their wonderful door prizes (barn wood mirror/motorcycle)...which garnered \$638.00 for raffle income for the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation.



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Setting up Sales table



Setting up Demo tools



Our area in the arbour



Toy makers were busy



Busy, busy, busy



Tag & Terry visiting

I posted a thank you to Jim Moorhead regarding the event... see last page.

Jim Moorhead also invited the group to the Telus Walk in the Wildlife park event Sunday, June 12th (also a Diabetes fund raiser). We can set up a sales table...little or no power for machine. 9-noon (short time period) KWWG logo will be displayed as a supporter regardless of involvement. Those who would like to actually support by walking around the park... I have contact info for sign up.

We've had donations of wood from Merritt's 'Post & Rail' company. The toymakers have a thank you card for them...please sign tonight

Next month elections...Looking for members to step up and help with President and Vice President positions. We need active involvement to keep this guild going...

OLD BUSINESS:

June round-up...

- To Be Held at Dana and Natalie Manhard's, June 25th
- Need organizers to look after tables/tents/food/BBQ's/50-50
- Ann Rurak has volunteered to take on organizing the BBQ.
- **Russ & Steve** have a supply of tables that we will bring....
- Sandi to take care of the silent auction/KMS gift certificates (50\$,25\$,25\$)
- Please note change of date from June 11th to June 25th or May 28th.... Questionnaire out to members for response.

If you haven't already got your KWWG patch or sticker from Dave please purchase. Patch \$10.00 Sticker \$2.00

NEW BUSINESS:

July Art in the Park: Friday July 1st/2016; A couple of photos of our booth from 2015 are posted on the Kamloops Art Council webpage.



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We are now paid-up members in KAC and registered for July 1st; same location, City Electric supply guaranteed, etc.... Ready to go...

Sale Table Items Needed: Items not sold at the MAM event will be carried over.... thank you! Please contact Steve or Russ for donations....(Steve: 250-376-9568, Russ: 250-376-8295) Steve to connect with Arts Council at Old Court House.

SHOW AND TELL:

• **Rick Perszon:** 2 hand-made fly-fishing rods – explained process to produce them.





• Sasha Porteous: 2 small hand-made boxes with lids. One light wood with Walnut fine points, the other walnut with light wood fine points.





• **Dana Manhard:** Turned hollow vase – purple with great grain features.



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• Francis Shuter: Post & Rail Logging Truck with huge load – Christmas gift for sawmill/post and rail company owner.....





• **Hélène Guillemette:** Showed intricate box with photos as well as a trivet for a jar of goodies. Beautiful work.







DEMO: - Bill Brock – Scroll Saw project sticking medium;

• Bill gave a brief, informative lesson on how he uses as laminating machine that puts a sheet of sticky plastic on a scroll saw plan that enables him to re-use the plan, and re-locate the plan as needed.









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• The laminating machine is purchased from Amazon.com and Bill says it cost him less than \$100.00 total. Many folks interested in this system.



Thanks Bill.

Next Meeting June 1st, 2016 Please remember change of date of year-end party – June 25th now.

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Jim Moorhead commented on your post in JDRF Meet a Machine.



Jim Moorhead

4:44pm Apr 18

From my brief visits I saw nothing but joy from the children. My grand-daughter built a toy and after her 1st hammer stroke she turned to Mom and said 'This is so much fun'....Thank all the guys as I still marvel at their skills on the various..... and yes we'll see you next year again.

Original Post



Sandi Trueman

10:15pm Apr 17

On behalf of the Kamloops Woodworkers Guild we thank you for the opportunity to demo a few of our skills to the children. Whether it was watching a top being turned or getting to build a toy car/truck the kids had a great time at our booth. We love to get them involved in woodworking at an early age. From our perspective this was a wonderful and successful event.

Thanks Jim....we hope to see you again next year.