



KAMLOOPS WOODWORKERS GUILD

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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WELCOME TO THIS MONTH'S NEWSLETTER:

Here we are folks, middle of April, and the Meet – A – Machine weekend is upon us next Saturday. We have committed to having our demo tables and our sales table set up and running by 8:00am, and we will do a great job of presenting our Guild to the public. Volunteers more than welcome... Time to start thinking about next month's nominations for executive positions, and considering to let your name stand for a job... Think about it, at least... Now, on with the newsletter. Steve.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: All

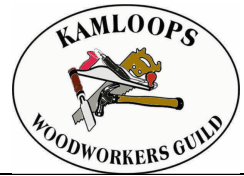
- **Jim Moorhead** of Meet-A-Machine; gave a review of last year and a look ahead for this year... Estimated 3000 people passed through the gates last year... Lost count after 2000.





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- **Gary Harker** introduced **Nichole Carpenter** of RIH Foundation, and she explained what she was looking for in the form of a flat piece of wood with a logo, or an appropriate design that could be used as a plate, then a keepsake. Needs 280 made by June 24th, 2017.
Then she also thanked us for all the toys that were donated to RIH, and said that they needed to be donated or sold through the gift shop exclusively...



- **Carl Ottosen** introduced **Garrett Tremblay**, our bursary winner for this year. Garret gave a brief history of his wood working past and his taking the carpentry course at TRU.



- **Stu ?** -- moved here from NFLD last July as his wife landed a job here in town. Does lots of woodwork, and is interested in our organization.
- **Ken** was a member 8 years ago, and was drifting around, and finally found our website, and saw the meeting was tonight and came out to have a look-see...
- **Janessa** reported on **Anne Rurak's** recovery down at the coast... Slow but sure....
- **Janessa** reported on **Judy Swayne** prepping for a procedure tomorrow, emergency thingy.... Wishing her well...

MEET – A – MACHINE: Janessa G.



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- **Introducing a new policy** -- *If you donate an item for the Sales Table, valued at \$40.00 or higher, you will get an 80% commission and the Guild will keep 20%. This is in hopes higher-valued items can be put on sale for these venues.*
- **Volunteers already on board for M-A-M;**
Sales Table: Russ C., Steve E.
Toymakers: Sandi T., Gary H., Don G., Les E., (Turner too?)
Turners: Carl O., Denis B., Dave A., George Y.
Scroll Saw:

If anyone wants to talk about M-A-M volunteering, talk to Sandi T. Ph: 778-472-2008.

SHOW & TELL: Beth-Marie M.

- **Scott Ward – Jig Saw Parrot** – painted with water colours to show grain, but water raises the grain so needed many sandings.... Looks great... Plus two scroll saw bowls, one of red grandit wood, and one of cherry wood.



- **Carl Ottoson – Fly fishing fly boxes** – 2 beautiful, hidden hinge fly boxes for fishing. One of mahogany wood, and the other of “pallet” wood...



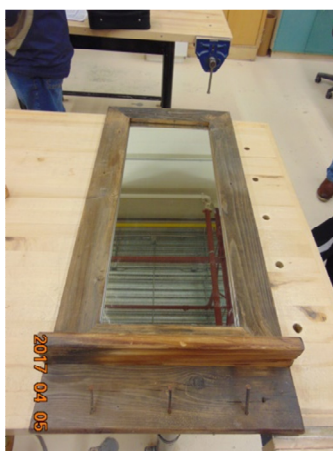
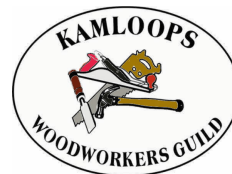
- **Jerry Gauthier – Old Barn Wood Mirror** – Beautiful framed mirror with old barn wood with an antique wood finish.



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- **Derry Appleton – Manitoba Maple Bowls** – 2 beautiful Manitoba maple bowls that he roughed out in 2014... Not regular Biel finish, this time wipe-on poly and elbow grease.



- **Russ Cahoon – Hook Trucks** – 2 hook trucks made with mahogany from the old Keg building and inside was 2x4. Great effect....



- **Janessa Boomhour – Kitchen Helper** – Janessa showed us her “portable” first showing of her handiwork of a Kitchen helper for her young daughter... This helps her work in the kitchen with mommy.... Great Idea.



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DEMO: Denis Biron – Turning Pendants

- **Denis** showed us his method of turning his pendants, using the off-set to make the upper hole, and then the final finishing after a LOT of sanding... Great Demo Denis.



Sample pendants



Explaining setting up chuck



Centering block in chuck



Showing how to off-set



Checking off-set



First turning the round part



Ready to start polishing



Fine polishing done



Separating from block

Meeting adjourned at 2040 (8:40pm)
Next meeting, May 3, 2017



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