



KAMLOOPS WOODWORKERS GUILD

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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[Anyone wishing to be included here, Phone Steve @ 250-376-9568](#)

WELCOME TO THIS MONTH'S NEWSLETTER:

Hello everyone. Here we are in March and coming up soon, is the Meet-A-Machine in April.. We are in need of toys and other items that we can present on our sales table... Also need volunteers to help man the different tables during the day... 9:00am to 3:00pm...

Hopefully the snow will keep disappearing and we'll soon have green grass all around...

Now, on with the newsletter.

Steve

CALL TO ORDER: Dave Agar

- Dave called the March meeting to order at 1905.

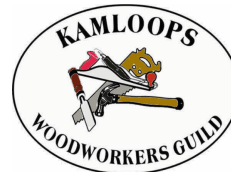
NEW MEMBERS OR GUESTS PRESENT: All

- **Piper** is present. Janessa's new, 9-month-old baby girl.
- We would like to take this time to thank Janessa for all her past work with us... (*She hasn't been to a meeting this year, so this is our first opportunity.*)
- And, Terry Shupe would like to publicly thank Janessa for the electrical work she did on his new shop...
- Ron Hatch wants to know if anyone has a lathe for sale. He's asking for a student he has been tutoring for a while. Now he wants to purchase one. (Dick Carney has two.)
- Dick Carney want to know if anyone knows of a drill system that will drill off-set holes in wood mounted in a lathe, not on center... (To make wooden buttons.)



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- **Email Sent;** concerning sale of a CNC Woodwork Table. \$15,000.00 is ½ price...

OLD BUSINESS: All

- None brought forward.

NEW BUSINESS: All

- **Meet-A-Machine** is scheduled for April 21st, and we need volunteers for the different tables. (Sheet is going around the room for names.)
- **Letter of Thanks** from the Campbell's regarding their son taking an interest in wood work and his suggestion to put a website on our Bits & Pieces web page. (Done.)
- **Change to Web info** – some of you may notice a change in the format of our info page, as there are no more email addresses published on it... If you want an email address, call Steve @ 250-376-9568...
- **Field Trip to RiverSong Guitars** – We are informed that the best time to view the works is after 4:30pm, and that way we won't be interrupting their work schedule... So, we're now going to try and get a date of April 6th, Friday, to attend the shop. Our regular monthly meeting is on the 4th, and people will be reminded at that meeting. (*Thanks to work by Judy Swayne.*)
- **Mormon Church Scouts** – want us to give the boys and girls exposure to the art and techniques of wood work, in their shop at the church on Parkcrest Ave. Contact there, for the Scouts is; John Francis – 250-578-7032.

TWO-BY-FOUR (2X4) CHALLENGE: Warren James

- Our 2x4 Challenge is still on and we are going to set-up for viewing and judging, by the public, at Meet – A – Machine on April 21st.... How many people are entering a piece? (looks like 4 so far.)
- We also need a sign, explaining what people are seeing and voting on... Warren to look after sign.

SHOW & TELL: Derry Appleton

- **Keith McBratney** – 2x4 challenge entry – tomato box... looks nice.





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- **Vic Hooper** – Bush craft hammers harvested by Vic. And some Rocky Mountain Juniper pieces of wood that were split using hammers by Vic.



- **Stu Rockwood** – Couch Table – that fits just over the arm of a couch to hold beverage cups, glasses, mugs, and/or laptop computer... Nice...



- **Derry Appleton** – Chinese Elm wood turned bowl... Beautiful figuring in it.



- **Francis Shuter** – Name Tags for relatives, Table Legs for shop tables – renewed, and a box of logging truck... For a friend down on Vancouver Island.



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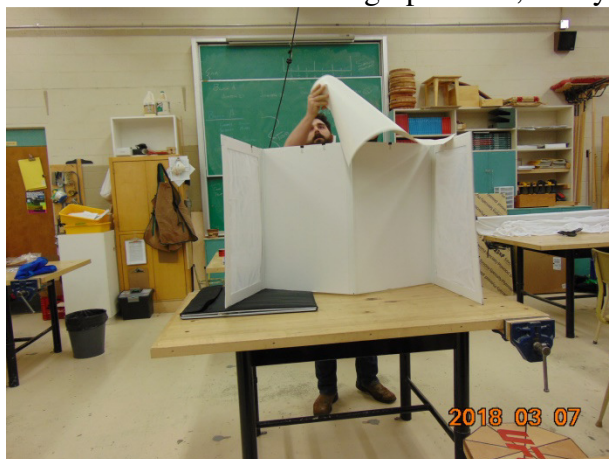


- **Warren James** – Old/modern wood block plane – willing to trade for some tools that he'll use, rather than this plane that collects sawdust.



DEMO – Stu Rockwood – Good photography of your items.

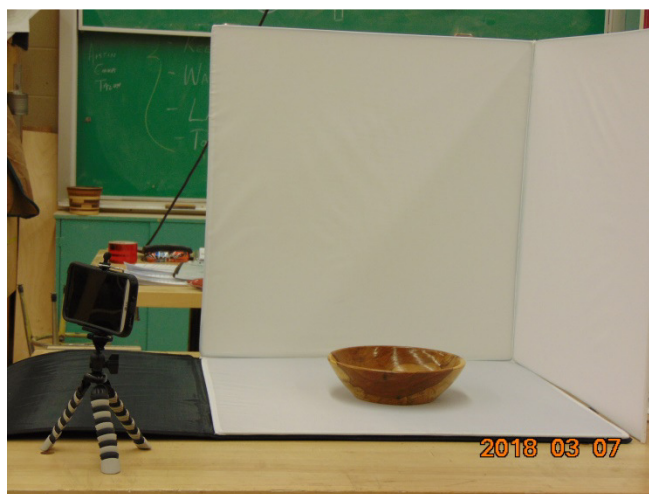
- Stu showed us his methods and techniques that he started with and now has up-graded to, a very sophisticated system of setting up screens, and lighting systems to get your wood-work items in the best exposure for presentation on web, photo books, etc.
- Lots of interesting tips – like; always have three (3) points of light on your item.





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Stu's website: <https://rockwoodwoodworking.com/>

Meeting adjourned at 2040.
Next meeting April 4th, 2018

APRIL 2018

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RiverSong visit may be on 6th of April.