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WELCOME TO THIS MONTH'S NEWSLETTER:

Hi All.... January has come and almost gone, and we're looking forward to at least one work bee, and possibly another, depending on production numbers... We had a great demo from Bil Gowans, on his system of making band saw boxes in his shop... We are expecting to hear from Meet A Machine's boss, Jim Moorehouse soon, so we can prepare for it, and a Demo Day at Windsor Plywood's location. Of course we have questions on this year's July 1st Canada Day Art In The Park. Watch this space.

Now on with the newsletter...

GUESTS & NEW FACES:

Les welcomed a new face in the crowd, and asked him to introduce himself... I'm Patrick Vicars – born here and lived here most of my life, did woodwork in my younger days, and then work got in the way, now I'm retired and wanting to get back into woodwork.

TOOLS & WOOD:

- Keith C. got possession of a Lee Valley sanding tool that has 1" sanding strips on it...
- Warren J. filed 41 chisels and made them perfectly flat before sharpening.

INSURANCE DUE:



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Our Director's and Liability insurance is now due and we've been notified that the premiums are going up from previous years. The Grand Total without any negotiation, **\$1330.00**... We hope to negotiate a better rate for a non-profit.

M/S/C - Dave G. - Warren J.

That we pay the insurance premiums as presented, or if possible, negotiated to better reflect our position.

Dave's Possible Moving:

Dave informed us that his place has been put up for sale and there is a possibility that he will be moving in the future... He also informed us that his tools will eventually be for sale, and his wood as well. He'll keep us in the loop.

1) WORK BEE AT LES':

Les announced that there will be a work bee at his place, (**5696 Dallas Drv., Kamloops**) on **March 5th** at approx. 10:00 to whenever.... (Usually around 5:00pm). More discussion needed on *if we're to have a second work bee later in month*.

2) **SHOW & TELL:**

• Jim F. – Hand-made shoe horns selling to support the Turtle Valley Donkey Rescue Group.

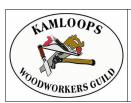




• **Don I.** – Lazy Susan with optical illusion inlay and a Standing Cake Dish made out of Manitoba Maple.







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• Warren J. - Walking cane he made out of Myrtle Wood from Vancouver Island, and a 30+" 2x4 of the same wood.



• **Judy S.** – Hand made property sign model. Made to visualize the real full-size sign to be made for her son's bird sanctuary property.



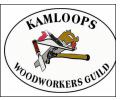
• Donna R. – Turned wooden sauerkraut smasher and mallet. Nice heavy wood...



• Keith C. – Hand made coaster set.. Coasters are black maple wood.



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• Carl O. – Turned spalted birch hollow-form bowl with a very small opening at the top, finished with a collar of different wood. Beautiful.



• Denis B. – 2 turned platters. On with an epoxy inlay and the other, a 17.5" diameter platter made out of beautiful wood.. Denis' first "outboard" turning.





<u>DEMO</u>: Bil G. – Bandsaw Boxes 1)

> Bil presented us with a variety of Bandsaw boxes that he's made over the years and gave out an instruction sheet showing the steps in making his version of them.