

# KAMLOOPS WOODWORKERS GUILD

# **MONTHLY NEWSLETTER**





# 308-120 Vernon Ave., Kamloops, B.C. V2B 1L6 - February 16, 2023

## **EXECUTIVE FOR 2023:**

PRESIDENT: Les Eliason
VICE-PRES: Donna Rouser
TREASURER: Dave Gilmour
SECRETARY: Steve Edgar
DIRECTORS: (6) Carl Ottosen

Denis Biron Warren James Anne Rurak Judy Swayne Keith Chambers

**Toymakers:** Terry Shupe

# **MENTORS LIST FOR 2023:**

Carl Ottosen	250-372-7751	Tool Making, Sharpening, Wood-turning		
Don Ingram	250-828-0813	Tools, cabinetry, turning, electric décor		
Dave Gilmour	250-851-5278	Hand tools, sharpening, turning pens		
Les Eliason	778-472-2008	Turning, cabinetry, carving, toys		
		Anyone wishing to be included here, Phone Steve @ 250-376-9568		

Hi again everyone, and we're on our way to March, and our first work bee on the 5<sup>th</sup>. We hope to get ahead on our toy volume so we have them ready for Meet A Machine and the Demo Day up at Windsor Plywood, later in the spring... We're have fairly good turnouts to our meetings, and the members seem excited to get into the work bee mode... More to come later in the newsletter... Now on with the Newsletter...

#### **CALL TO ORDER:**

Les called the meeting to order at 1905..

### **GUESTS - NEW FACES:**

- Nic V. Long time member we hadn't seen in a long while... Welcome back Nic.
- Jay H. Victor's son volunteered to come to the meeting with dad.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

#### **TOOLS & WOOD:**

- Terry S. Motor burned out on sander, worked on repairing, finally bought a new one.
- **Keith McB** willing to take the old sander from Terry.
- Warren J. Wiring and fitting DC motor with a big thanks to Don I. for all the help he gave. Still needing some final fitting to get things working... Motor is great though.



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- Les E. informed the group that he has 26 2.5' x 5' tables, with Baltic birch tops for sale at \$20.00 each. Call Les for more details.
- We're supposed to be getting a Guild Brand for our toys we make & sell. Lee Valley sells custom brands for a price...

# **INSURANCE:**

• Les paid the insurance premium of \$1300.00+ and now we're good for the year.

# ART IN THE PARK - MEET A MACHINE;

• Steve E. – paid the dues for the Kamloops Arts Council and inquired about the AITP situation. The lady there said she didn't know if the park was going to be ready by July 1<sup>st</sup>, and if they were going to replace the washroom facility where we got our power from. So I informed her that if there was no power available for us, we probably wouldn't be attending again this year... We need a flat, concrete or pavement pad to put our electrical machines on to operate safely.

**Meet A Machine** – no word as of yet if it's on or not. Steve to try and contact Jim Moorehouse to find out what he can.

# **SHOW & TELL:**

• **Judy S.** – set of wood earrings she made... Dainty and cute.





• **Don I.** – multi-piece, different woods, turned bowl of many colours. Beautiful Don.



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• Les E. – Hand made wooden spoon. Bowl carved, handle turned on lathe... Nice.





# **DEMO: CARL O. – INSIDE OUT TURNING:**

**Carl** gave us a very interesting, informative, and great demonstration of how he does his inside out turning of Christmas ornaments.



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Meeting adjourned at 2040

Next meeting to be March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023

MARCH 2023

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