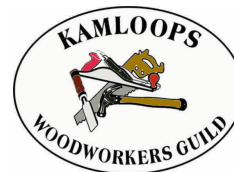


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Kamloops, B.C.– April 15, 2025

EXECUTIVE FOR 2024:

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Director:	Keith Chambers
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Director:	Carl Ottosen
Director:	Judy Swayne
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MENTORS LIST FOR 2024:

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	250-573-2277	Turning, cabinetry, carving, toys
		Anyone wishing to be included here, Phone Nick @ 778-694-3079

Hey everyone, the Guild is staying busy with another Demo day as well as preparing for Art in the Park on Canada Day. Options for a possible work bee project are being reviewed to build the sales table. It's also getting well into BBQ weather, which brings up the thought of the annual summer BBQ. Read on to find out more.

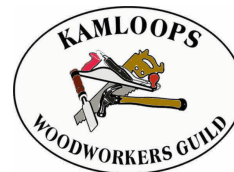
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PRESENT:

Attached to hand-written notes.

1) **CALL TO ORDER:** Homer H.

Homer called the meeting to order at 1855.

2) **GUESTS:**

- **Dave** – injured himself on a chop saw
 - Is new to Kamloops, from Coquitlam
- **Mr. McNeely** – used to teach biology at Kam High (taught Homer)
 - The shop our meetings are in was his homeroom
 - Is a member of the Men's Shed, thought he'd see how the Guild is

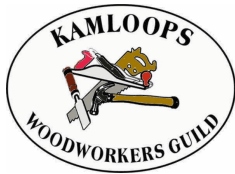
3) **HEALTH & WELFARE:**

- **Les E.** – still recovering well enough that he may have to work part time again

4) **OLD BUSINESS:**

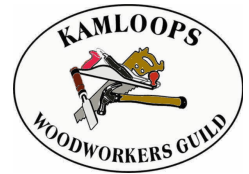
- The rip saw Dave G. sharpened for a demo the other month had been for a guy Homer and Steve used to work with
 - He was able to get it, and paid the Guild \$20
- Anybody wanting a KWWG shirt can still order one through Dave G.
- **Dave G.** spoke with Birds Unlimited, who referred him to a guy from the Naturalist's Club
 - Dave hasn't had time to contact him yet
- **Dave G.** knows a guy with a palette full of wood shorts
 - Wants it all to go in one go, not piecemeal
 - Talk with Dave if interested (and able to store a palette of wood...)
- **Anne R.** contacted the City about Art in the Park
 - They are doing work on the west side of the park this year, and will not be able to provide us with a space with power
 - **Homer H.** said he would follow up with a contact he has at the City
 - We may need to pick up a power block or something
 - Alternatively we could make a treadle lathe and not need power
 - Anne will register with the City
 - Steve E. made motion for registration money of \$100 to be spent, Terry S. seconded. Motion passed unanimously.
- **Anne R.** wondered if we needed a work bee to have enough items for Art in the Park this year





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- Terry is good for toy cars, we'll know more if a work bee is needed when we know about bird houses
- Nick S. will send an email to all about a work bee if it's needed

5) **NEW BUSINESS:**

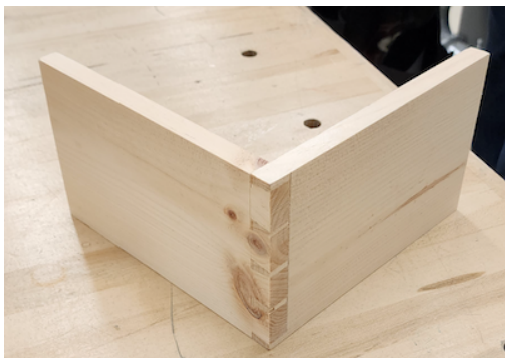
- A new host will be needed for the annual BBQ sometime in the last half of June
 - Please give some thought to if you'd be willing to host
- **Judy S.** confirmed there is a KMS Demo day on June 28
- **Dave G.** reminded everyone about June elections
 - Please consider volunteering
- **Anne R.** was at Home Hardware a bit ago, and apparently they would be happy to have us do a demo
 - Anne will follow up – tentatively aiming for the 3rd week of September

6) **SHOW & TELL:**

- **Rob K.** – charcuterie boards made of walnut and cherry



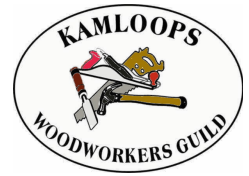
- **Jason** – his 4th “attempt” at dovetails





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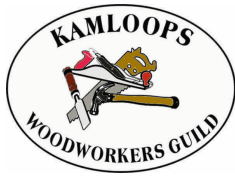


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- **Robin** – 50 year old Marples turning chisels
 - New chisel off Temu
 - Knick knack box with acrylic handle



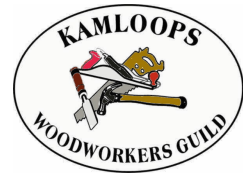
- **Carl O.** - turned bowl from the demo last month
 - Turned much easier on a lathe that was bolted down



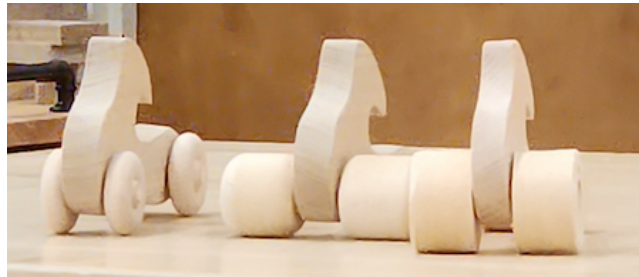


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- **Terry S.** – toy cars



7) **DEMO:** HOMER H. – SHOW & TELL EXTENSION

- **Homer H.** showed his Krenov style modular sawhorses and portable work bench that he made



**MEETING ADJOURNED AT 2020.
NEXT MEETING IS MAY 7, 2025**

MAY 2025

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THR	FRI	SAT
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