



Newsletter

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July 2016

President's Letter

Greetings Woodworkers,

Our June Meeting -- For our June meeting we watched a woodworking video by Marc Adams on Methods of Work. The video addressed general woodworking tips and tricks. Everyone seemed very interested in the topics that were covered, and agreed that Marc Adams presented some helpful ideas.

The video ran pretty long. As much as we appreciate Boone County Millworks providing those folding metal chairs, they aren't well suited to sitting very still for a long time! There was squirming and shifting aplenty. We ended up taking a break to finish the business part of the meeting, and allow some woodworkers to head out. The die-hards then stuck around and finished the video.

It was interesting and educational. For future reference, in addition to the club's collection of woodworking videos, I have a few myself. The most recent addition contains videos by Roy Underhill, as he visits five different countries and describes the woodworking methods and traditions in each country. So we have a lot to look forward to sharing.

Does anyone know of a small theater with comfortable seating that we could borrow for video nights?!?

Our July Meeting -- As previously described, Don Bristow will host us for the July meeting in his workshop at home. Don's address is 4101 Joslyn Court, Columbia, MO 65203. The meeting will be held this coming Monday, July 25th, at 6:30 p.m. Prepare for an interesting presentation on aspects of box making, as well as getting to experience Don's shop. When I asked Don for directions and any specifics about the meeting he responded:

"If individuals are coming west on Broadway past the HyVee, they turn left on Rothwell Dr., go past the first stop at Rollins and to the T at Leland Ridge Road and turn right. We are the first house on the right at the intersection of Leland Ridge and Joslyn Ct. If they are coming north on Scott Blvd., they turn right on Hartfield, the entrance to West Lawn Subdivision. Go to the top of the hill and turn right on Leland Ridge Rd and we are the first house on the right.

Program- I will have about 50 boxes on display, 1. Design and Materials 2. Lids 3. Joints 4. Feet and bases 5. Drawers 6. Hinges and other hardware 7. Interiors and other decorations - that is it.

Hope everyone can make it!"

Program Ideas -- All future program ideas are welcome.

The Coyote Hill Project -- At her request, I sent Kari Hopkin at Coyote Hill the YouTube and other videos I had received links to from Jim Zajicek. These videos show various types and techniques for the products Coyote Hill is interested in. As soon as I hear back from Kari we will identify what is needed and solicit volunteers to prepare stock, and volunteers to go to Coyote Hill and help the children assemble some of the products.

That's all for this month. I hope to see you at the MWA meeting this Monday, July 25, at 6:30 at the home of Don Bristow. It promises to be very interesting.

Until then be safe in the shop, and have fun.

Joe Gorman

June 2016 MWA Meetings

Officers' Meeting

Present: Terry Selby, Ernest Hilderbrand, Don Bristow, Joe Gorman, Karl Haak

We discussed future programs and projects to help Coyote Hills.

Business Meeting

Meeting held on June 27, 2016 at the Boone County Mill at 6:30 PM; Joe Gorman presiding.

12 members were present

Minutes of the April meeting were read

There was no treasurer's report

Dues of \$20.00 for 2016 are due

The club voted unanimously to retain the current officers for another year

Joe asked for volunteers for a nominating committee for a slate of officers for 2017

Ernest said we would have a toy car workshop on June 30 at the PET shop and a turners' workshop at his house on July 7.

Terry had scrap wood

We discussed helping Coyote Hills on woodworking projects

For the program we watched a Marc Adams video

Show and Tell

Olin Hatfield showed a hackberry bowl he turned

Mike Gentzch showed a carving hatchet and a broad axe

The door prize was a wood burner won by Yvon Roberts and the raffle was a \$40.00 gift certificate and was won by Ernest Hilderbrand.

The July meeting will be at Don Bristow's shop.

Lake of the Ozarks Woodcarving Show and Sale

I have received information regarding the First Annual Woodcarving Show and Sale to be held at the Community Christian Church of Camdenton on Saturday October 15, 2016, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. They offer first, second, and third place ribbons in each of 27 categories. Information is available from the following:

Doug Bibles 573-286-1049

Richard Wallace 573-346-3859

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I have a copy of their flyer and can bring it to a meeting should anyone be interested.

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