



## Newsletter

<http://www.midwestwoodworkers.org>  
September 2018

### President's Letter

Norm Anderson

Greetings Woodworkers:

Thank you: Tom Stauder, Steve Pagan and Ernest Hildebrand for an excellent "STEAM BENDING" presentation. Tom showed his setup made of PVC pipe and a wallpaper steamer. It was a very impressive device, but easy on the budget to build. It is amazing how flexible wood gets after some time in the steam chamber. The table Tom made was amazing and the fish nets that Steve showed were incredible, but the abstract art that the bent wood created was amazing and one of the finest demonstrations I have ever seen. Maybe it is just my thinking, but I believe we have some amazing talent in our group and have had some excellent presentations. Tom Hutchinson added a lot to the meeting showing wood that he used epoxy with various coloring elements to create some awesome wood. He has plans to go beyond the science and use the techniques to create some artwork. I hope you have some time in the shop and will see you at Bob's shop on Monday.



### NEXT MEETING Monday September 24<sup>th</sup>:

Shop tour at Bob Younquist's shop in the north part of town.. He will include a map and a plan to carpool for the tour. He will also demonstrate a jig he made to cut box joints and show how to make boxes with finger joints.

### UPCOMING MEETINGS AND TOURS.

October: Rich Hoepfner with a presentation on making woodworking tools.

November: I plan to have a presentation on wood glues and show my new router table.

Bonus meetings: Tom Hutchinson with a shop tour and his slab leveling table and wood spauling laboratory, Gary Easterwood with a shop tour at his shop in Booneville plus some commercial woodworking businesses like Dimensions in Wood and the barrel factory at Higbee.

Joe Pagano a new member wants presentations on finish and hand cut dove tails, Dean Gregory may do presentation on hand cut dovetails.

### 27th Annual Hartsburg Pumpkin Festival October 13 th and 14 th , 2018 9am – 5pm (Rain or Shine

We have a good supply of cars for this festival, but will sure need some help at the booth during the festival. Please e-mail Terry or Bob to volunteer as soon as possible. We will also have a sign- up sheet at the meeting.

A chimpanzee walked into a bar, jumped up on a stool and ordered a beer.

"You're a talking chimp!" the bartender exclaimed.

"Right," the chimp replied, " I'm working in construction across the street for a week, then I'm laid off, now where is my beer?"

Each day the chimp came in for a beer after work, he was getting more and more depressed about being laid off.

Meanwhile a circus came to town, the bartender mentioned the talking chimp to the owner.

"I've got great news, you can get a job with the circus." he informed the chimp.

"This circus, it's in a big canvas tent?" the chimp inquired.

"Well yes," replied the bartender.

"Wonder what they need a finishing carpenter for?" mused the chimp

Pumpkin Festival Sign Up List

Friday October 12 Set-Up

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Saturday October 13 Morning 9:00-12:30

Saturday October 13 Afternoon 12:30-5:00

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Sunday October 14 Morning 9:00-12:30

Sunday October 14 Afternoon 12:30-5:00

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Dues are Due: Please fill out the attached woodworker form and staple your check or other legal tender to the survey and hand to the treasurer at one of the next meetings. Dues are \$20 for the Midwest Woodworkers. Dues for the Woodturners are also \$20, but for \$35 you can join both groups.

### WOODWORKER SURVEY

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address:  
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E-Mail  
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Phone:  
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Wood working history:  
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List of favorite tools:  
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Favorite projects:  
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What do you do best:  
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Interested in seeing presentations on the following  
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Willing to give a presentation Yes or NO

If so what would you like to present? \_\_\_\_\_

## September 2018 MWA Meeting

The September 2018 meeting of the MWA will be held at my shop located at 4089 North Thompson Road (map below) on Monday September 24, 2018. Unfortunately, most GPS units will not recognize this address and will take you to the wrong place. Directions are as follows:

Take US Highway 63 north, take the Vandiver exit

Go  $\frac{3}{4}$  of the way around the roundabout to the access road, take the access road north to the roundabout at Mexico Gravel Road

Go  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the way around the roundabout and continue on Mexico Gravel Road to the next roundabout (intersection of Mexico Gravel Road and Ballenger/Route PP)

Go  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the way around the roundabout and continue on Mexico Gravel Road/Route PP

Turn left (north) on Wyatt Lane (second left off of Mexico Gravel/Route PP)

Go north on Wyatt Lane for  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile

Turn right (east) on Thompson Road

Go east on Thompson Road for  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile (Thompson Road then angles to the north)

Turn left (west) on E.P. Moore (private gravel road; there is a green house number sign on the stop sign post)

4089 North Thompson Road is on the left (hidden by a hedge, not easily visible from the intersection of Thompson Road and E.P. Moore)

Large yellow pole barn surrounded by a chain link fence

Call 573-355-8235 if you get lost

Plenty of parking west of the shop

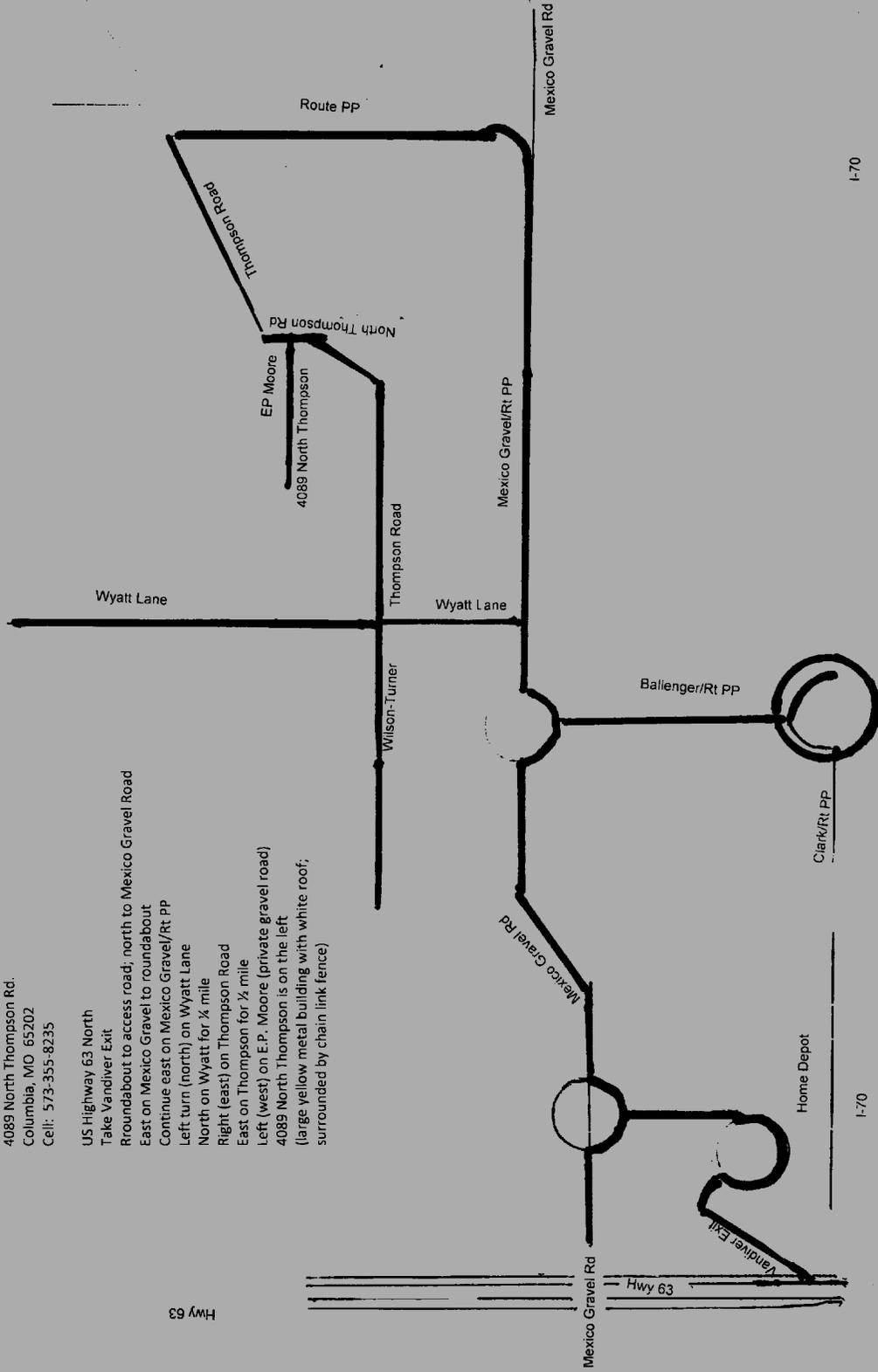
The program will be about box (finger) joints. If you have a box joint jig that you like to use, please bring it along and we can discuss the advantages and disadvantages of the various kinds. I have about a dozen chairs so it please bring a lawn chair if you can. I will run the router briefly and will have foam ear plugs but feel free to bring ear muffs if you find those more comfortable.

The meeting will start at 6:30 PM but I plan to put on a pot of ham and beans if you are able to come between 5:30 and 6:30.

Summary: bring your favorite box joint jig, bring a lawn chair and ear protection, come at 5:30 for ham and beans. Call my cell phone if you get lost.

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 Cell: 573-355-8235

US Highway 63 North  
 Take Vandiver Exit  
 Roundabout to access road; north to Mexico Gravel Road  
 East on Mexico Gravel to roundabout  
 Continue east on Mexico Gravel/Rt PP  
 Left turn (north) on Wyatt Lane  
 North on Wyatt for 1/4 mile  
 Right (east) on Thompson Road  
 East on Thompson for 1/4 mile  
 Left (west) on E.P. Moore (private gravel road)  
 4089 North Thompson is on the left  
 (large yellow metal building with white roof;  
 surrounded by chain link fence)



**Woodworking Resources**  
**Cardwell Lumber**  
 5927 Business 50 West  
 Jefferson City, MO 65109  
 573-893-2836

retailsales@cardwelllumber.com

<http://cardwellhardwoods.com/>

Monday-Friday: 7:00 AM-5:00 PM

Saturday: 8:00 AM-12 noon

Domestic and exotic hardwoods, sheet goods, power and hand tools, woodworking supplies

**Taylor Toolworks**

<https://www.taytools.com>

610 Big Bear Blvd., Suite 431

Columbia, MO 65202-3737

573-397-6432

**Born Again Barns**

Tammy Rosek

26298 W. Grapevine Ave.

Antioch, Illinois 60002

847-265-1500

<https://m.facebook.com/BornAgainBarnsAntioch/>

By appointment only

Solid wood slabs and boards, barnwood, reclaimed wood

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