

North Texas Woodworkers Association

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Newsletter

September, 2006

Steve Jenkins opened the meeting at 7:00 sharp. In spite of the intense heat, there was one visitor, **Jack Cauldwell**, who read about the club at Woodcraft.

Announcements

This month's meeting, on September 19th, is at **Mike Pregent's** shop, **The Turning Point**, in Garland. The map is on page 3. The program for September will be presented by **Perry Daniels** from **Taylor Design Group**. He will be demonstrating a hinge crafter.

Robert Pope announced that **Owen Haggard** has had an accident with one of his horses and was in intensive care. Owen is probably looking at a long rehabilitation so cards would be appreciated. Due to Owen's accident, the **October and November meetings** will be held in Mike's shop also.

Questions and Remark

Munawar Soomro remarked that he had bought some wood from **Hogan's Hardwoods** and received a member discount.

Kirk Darroch asked if the club members wanted to have the toy trucks kits for this year's woodworking show. Kirk still has a lot of wood left from last year's kits – which were a big hit.

Mike Pregent was offering scrap birch plywood for the taking. Thanks, Mike.

Dorothy Truitt reminded all club members who receive the newsletter by e-mail that they must be members of the yahoo group to get any more newsletters. Club members can sign up for the group on the club website www.ntwa.org. If you have problems, contact **Dorothy, Mark Simon, Dick Koch, or Kirk Darroch**.

Bill Jacobs has been in touch with **Alton Bowman**, a recognized expert on shellac, to do a 1-day program for club members and other interested parties. The program will be held at Alton's shop in Flower Mound on October 21st. The program will be from 8:30 – 4:00 and the cost will be \$100. For more information contact Bill at 817-379-1337.

To see some of Alton's work, check out the August issue of Woodwork Magazine.

Articles and announcements are always welcome for the newsletter. Please send or e-mail any submissions to **Dorothy** – Dorothy.truitt@NTWA.org.

Classified

For those club members who have something for sale, you can list those objects in the newsletter by calling or e-mailing **Dorothy** the information. You can also put them on the web site by contacting **Mark Simon**.

From **Phil Timmons** (C) 972-754-9221

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Dues and Other News

Visitors are always welcome of course, but if you are a regular attendee and have not joined the club, please remedy that oversight. **The club needs your financial support.** Please give your dues to **Dick Koch** at the meeting or mail it to the PO Box.

Dick also has some new NTWA directories available. Please contact him if you did not get our directory. Nametags are available at the meeting. **With so many new members, it is difficult to keep track of all the names. Please announce your name and/or wear a nametag.**

Web News

The web site now has a **member e-mail list** and a place for members to display their projects. There is also a bulletin board for club members interested in classified ads. **Mark Simon** welcomes comments and pictures for the web site.

Library

The materials in the library (housed in **Owen Haggard's** shop) are available on a one-month loan to **members only**. If you have materials checked out, please return them ASAP. Since the club will not meet in Owen's shop again until January, you can return your checked out materials to **Wendell Brough, Kirk Darroch, or Dale Osborne**.

Show and Tell

Norm Shirk brought his old Craftsman drill to give away. Any takers this time???

Steve Yauch showed a burnisher he made.

Pete Yavner showed a beautiful cutting board made of maple and tulip.



Munawar Soomro showed a piece he made with his **Carvewrite**. He needed some hints to make the paint “pop”.



Larry Maughn showed a maple “bow clamp” from **Zig Industries**.

Greg Glennon showed a beautiful goblet he turned from mesquite, some pictures of his finished bed frame, and a jig he made for mortises.



Bill Jacobs showed a sample leg joint.

Jack Cauldwell showed a heart shaped box with a lid. The lid had some C&C carving on it.

Charles Grant showed the stool he had made for the 2x4 contest but hadn’t finished in time. It was a short stool that turned.

Terry Pennington showed pictures of some shelves he built.

Bob Jones brought in a copy of his marble game **Wahoo**. He said plywood is very unforgiving when painted. He asked for ideas.



Sidney Futrell talked about a big bubinga board he used for a kitchen tabletop. He also showed a box h made using skills he learned at **Homestead Heritage** in Waco.



The **Show and Tell** drawings were won by **Norm Shirk** and **Jack Cauldwell**.

Raffle

The raffle items for the month of August were a set of Clifton scrapers, a set of Lei Neilson scrapers, and a scratch awl. **Mark Simon** won the Lei Neilson scrapers. Sorry, I didn’t get the other names.

Auction

All proceeds from auctions go to the library.

A saw went to **Greg Glennon** for \$4.

Guides for a 14” band saw went to **Gary Turman** for \$4.

And some sanding drums went to **G.T. Robinson**.

Program

The Program for the August meeting was presented by Steve Yauch. He gave a very informative talk on scrapers.



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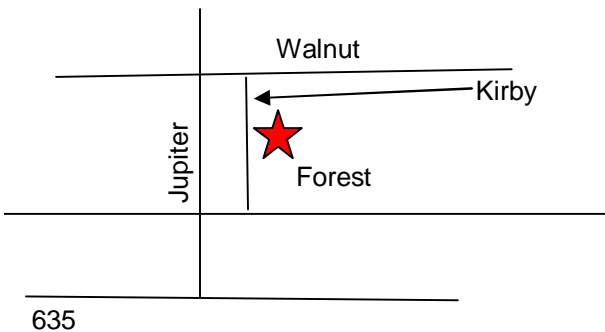
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The board serves from April through March of the following year. Bylaws are available upon request. The board meets the first Tuesday of each month at 6:00p.m. at La Madeleine restaurant at Park and Preston, in Plano.

NTWA Calendar

September meeting: Tuesday, the 19th @7:00 PM at Mike Pregent's shop, The Turning Point in Garland. Program will be presented by Perry Daniels of the Taylor Design Group. The October and November meetings will also be at Mike's shop.

Meeting Map



Directions: In Garland, going east on 635, exit left (north) on Jupiter, turn right on Forest and left on Kirby. Mike's shop is on the right. Watch for the sign for The Turning Point. The shop is in the back.

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See you there!