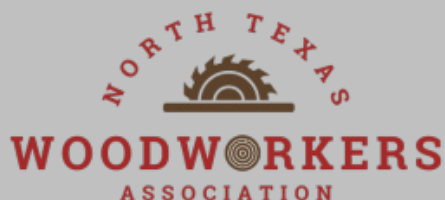


# NTWA newsletter

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## WELCOME

### North Texas Woodworkers Association April 15, 2025

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President Gary Vaughan welcomed everyone, and introduced the officers.

## TREASURY REPORT

(\$4,000.00 current bank balance)

## MEMBERSHIP

128 active members.

## TABLE MIXER

What is your favorite power tool and hand tool?  
What would you like that you don't have?

## GUESTS

We had 4 guests joining us at this month's meeting!

- Bob from McKinney
- Marina from Allen
- Mark from Allen
- Dean from Allen

## TEXAS WOOD-WORKING FESTIVAL



"We are busy working on all the amazing details of the next Texas Woodworking Festival happening in Austin, Texas September 13-14, 2025. We will have new exhibitors, new education, new activities and even our own furniture competition." Interested in participating? Fill out their survey to help them plan and gauge interest in a potential furniture showcase. Visit [texaswoodworkingfestival.com](https://texaswoodworkingfestival.com) for more information.

## MERCHANDISE

New NTWA Blue Chambray shirts (3oz. cotton fabric) will be available to members that would like to purchase one! They will be \$55.

## RECRUITMENT

If you are interested in helping at one of our recruitment events, please reach out to Jay Munson directly! Jay and Jole had another successfy outing!



# MONTHLY DRAWING

Rockler and NTWA donated the items for this months drawing!

## PRIZES

- Wood River 3 pc. Carbide Tipped Turning Tool Set
- Taytools 1/4" Doweling Jig w/ Drill bit & Stop Collar
- Eze Lap 3 pc. Diamond Sharpener Paddle
- Wood River 8" Box Joint Saw Blade Set
- Wood River 100 pc Brad Point Drill Bit Set
- Magnetic LED light - 2-pack
- Drafting Pencil w/ 2 mm led
- BabeBot glue bottles
- Starrett M! Lubricant
- Dust Right Cord and Hose Holder
- Bloxygen
- Diamond Sharpening Paddles



## ROCKLER DONATIONS

- Corner Key Doweling Jig
- 4-in-1 Cutting Board Handle Routing Template



**\*Don't forget to bring CASH to enter our monthly drawing! Remember, every ticket you buy gets you TWO CHANCES TO WIN, your ticket(s) go into the pot for that month's drawing AND they are saved to go into the pot for the big drawing in July!**



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# NTWA MEMBER'S MESSAGE BOARD

## WE'VE GOT MERCH!



## CLUB MEETINGS

May 20, 2025 7:00 pm

Swap Meet

June 17, 2025 7:00 pm

Build Challenge: Mallet

July 15, 2025 7:00 pm

Potluck

August 19, 2025 7:00 pm

Mike Behringer  
(Operations Mgr.- D&R Tools)  
"Tool Sharping"

September 16, 2025 7:00 pm

Wilson Fuqua  
(President - Fuqua Architects)  
"Golden Rectangles"

October 21, 2025 7:00 pm

Build Challenge:  
End Grain Cutting Board

November 18, 2025 7:00 pm

Michael Mastin  
(Owner-McKinney Hardwoods)  
"A look at various hardwoods"

December 16, 2025 7:00 pm

Holiday Dinner



# SHOW & TELL



Phillip Weber shared the Cabinet he made out of Cherry!

Brian O'Donnell shared his Beads of Courage box that he made with Burr Oak, Red Oak and Walnut!





# SHOW & TELL



Carl Medina crafted this Balance Board out of Plywood and Pine.



Joel Hill crafted this Clock that he made with 1/4 Sawn White Oak - Reclaimed Wood.



# SHOW & TELL



Susan Cowger crafted this Splined Box out of Walnut and Quarter-Sawn White Oak.

Jay Munson shared this Cutting Board he made with the Table Saw Sled out of Walnut and Maple!





# SHOW & TELL



Mikel Duke designed this Arcade Controller out of Poplar and Plywood.

Jay Stearns made this Magnetic Board out of Mahogany!





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Gary Turman made this beautiful Scrap Wood Box out of 13 different kinds of Wood!





# NTWA MEMBER'S MESSAGE BOARD

## NTWA Membership Benefits

The annual dues are \$36 and entitle members to vote on all business, attend meetings, hold office, participate in the monthly drawings and receive discounts from retailers offered to members.

## Education

As a member of the NTWA, you are entitled to participate in any demonstrations and instructional sessions. These sessions may be offered weekly or monthly as skill building workshops. Each monthly meeting has a session for Shop Questions as well as Tool Reviews, both provide excellent learning opportunities.

## Member Discounts

Members may receive a 10% discount on select items when you show your membership card at the following shops:

**Woodcraft**

**Rockler**

**Wood World**

**The Tool Box at Music City Mall**

Membership forms can be completed at any meeting, or you can [download](#) a membership form to bring to any meeting. If you have a PayPal account you can log into it and select [dues@NTWA.org](mailto:dues@NTWA.org) to forward a payment.

**Make checks payable to: North Texas Woodworker's Assoc.**

North Texas Woodworkers Association  
8204 Strecker Ln.  
Plano, TX 75025

**BECOME  
A MEMBER**

## MONTHLY MEETINGS

Meetings are held monthly at 7:00 PM at Haggard Party Barn. The meetings are on the third Tuesday of each month. These meetings consist of a show and tell of completed work, a time for socializing and networking, and a monthly presentation by guest speaker from the woodworking community as well as members. Shop Questions is the time to get your puzzling questions answered. This is followed by a Tool Review session.

Prospective members are encouraged to attend a meeting in advance of joining to see if the NTWA is a fit for them.

To find out more about our organization see our Club Information page.

Haggard Party Barn  
5948 McKamy Trail, Plano TX, 75024



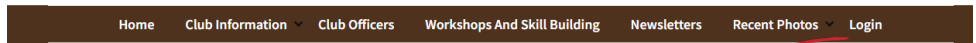
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## Not Sure How To Sign-Up?

- ▶ Go to: <https://ntwa.org/>
- ▶ Select "Member Log in"
- ▶ Select "Register"
- ▶ Fill out your information
- ▶ Click "Register"
- ▶ Webmaster will confirm your Membership and approve your account!



## STEP 1



### Woodworking In North Texas

We believe that Woodworking is serious fun. Our members cover the complete spectrum of woodworkers from hobbyists to professionals, from new comers to lifelong woodworkers. The common interest is they all want to learn more about the craft and improve their woodworking skills.

Now in our 32nd year, The North Texas Woodworkers Association was founded in April 1991.

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Members Log In

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THE 3RD TUESDAY BEGINNING AT  
7:00PM AT THE HAGGARD PARTY  
BARN IN PLANO

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA:

## Login

## STEP 2

Username or E-mail \*

Password \*

☐ Keep me signed in

Login Register

[Forgot your password?](#)

## Register

Please note that registration is limited to paying members of NTWA.

## STEP 3

Username \*

First Name \*

Last Name \*

E-mail Address \*

Password \*

Confirm Password \*

I am a current NTWA member \*

☐ Yes

☐ No

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Register Login



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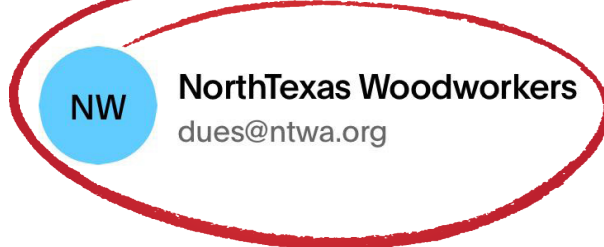
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## STEP 1



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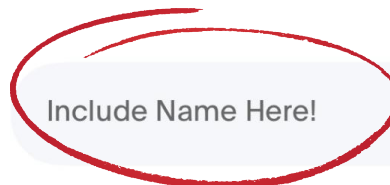
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