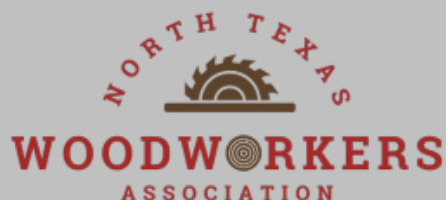


NTWA newsletter

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WELCOME

North Texas Woodworkers Association September 16, 2025

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NTWA President Gary Vaughan welcomed everyone, and lead the meeting.

MEMBERSHIP 110 active members.

FREE TICKETS
We are looking for helpers! We need 3 volunteers after each meeting to help clean-up and put away tables. For those who sign-up to help, you get **3 FREE tickets** to use toward the Drawing!

TABLE MIXER
What is your favorite type of joinery?
What type would you like to learn?

GUESTS
We had 5 guests joining us at this month's meeting!

- Randy from Blue Ridge
- Cy Yates from Flowermound
- Billy from North Dallas
- Troy from Richardson
- Wilson F. , our guest speaker!

SECRET SANTA SIGN-UP

If you are interested in participating in the December Secret Santa event, click [here](#) for more information. When everyone is checked in, you'll get the name of the person you drew. Please make every reasonable effort to attend the December meeting, and bring your gift. The gift must be made by you. No purchased gifts allowed!

BUILD CHALLENGE-
Our October Build Challenge will be End Grain Cutting Boards!

MERCHANDISE
We are looking for potential slogans for NTWA t-shirts! If you have any ideas, please reach out to Ed Horn!

GOLDEN RECTANGLES
Wilson Fuqua (President - Fuqua Architects) Shared a Presentation covering "Golden Rectangles"



MONTHLY DRAWING

Rockler and NTWA donated the items for this month's drawing!

PRIZES

- TayTools 4pc Machinist Square Set: 2-3/4, 3-3/4, 4-3/4, 6-3/4
- TayTools Flat Bottom Spokeshave - 2" blade, 9-1/2" overall
- Kakuri Japanese Hand Plane - small block plane/pull plane - 6x2x1.5
- Saker Honing Chisel/Plane Blade Sharpening Guide w/ 400/1000 Diamond Stone
- Fulton 129pc Contour Sanding set - 1, 2, 3 in mandrels, grit set for each size
- Spear & Jackson Brass Back Ten-on Saw
- TayTools 24" hardened spring steel ruler with etched graduations
- Rockler Taper/Straight Line Jig



***Don't forget to bring CASH to enter our monthly drawing! Remember, every ticket you buy gives 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 December!**



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WE'VE GOT MERCH!



CLUB MEETINGS

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

January 20, 2026 7:00 pm

February 17, 2026 7:00 pm

March 17, 2026 7:00 pm

April 21, 2026 7:00 pm

May 19, 2026 7:00 pm

White Polo Shirts are \$38

Long-Sleeve Shirts are \$55

Hats are \$23

Name Badges are \$5

Pick yours up at the next meeting!

SHOW & TELL



George Yungk shared the beautiful Kidney-Shaped Desk that he made for his Daughter's Home Office! He crafted it with Paint-Grade Birch and Poplar.

Steve Rogers made this Beads of Courage Box out of Walnut and Bubinga.



SHOW & TELL



Susan Walters created a Plant Stand (Wall-E) out of Cedar, Plywood, Walnut, Canarywood, Maple and Ash Veneer.

Robert Rosskopf made Paint Stands and a Jig out of Pine!



SHOW & TELL



Gary Vaughan was in Santa Fe and got petrified wood and made these book ends! He used Peruvian Rosewood and Petrified Wood.

Spence crafted Mahogadog! It was a Dog drawer done with a bandsaw and Mahogany.



SHOW & TELL



Jim Ryan made this Gorgeous Jewelry Box for Granddaughter out of Walnut, Birdseye Maple and Bocote.



Brian O'Donnell made Pizza Peels with scrap wood for Christmas gifts for Family.

SHOW & TELL



Britt Bauml shared the Mallet he crafted out of Walnut and maple.



Gary Turman shared a Practice Hounstooth Dovetail Box he made out of Walnut and White Pine.

SHOW & TELL



Ed Horn designed a Plane/Spokeshave out of Cocobolo!

Joel Hill crafted a Lamp out of Baltic Birch and Euro Oak.



SHOW & TELL



Steve Yauch shared shavings from a planer along with a Mini Chain Saw!

Jay Munson made beautiful Crosses out of Walnut and Various Woods!



2025 STATE FAIR ARTS & CRAFTS



Jay Stearns and Gary Vaughan both placed in the Designer Craftsman Category of the 2025 State Fair of Texas Crafts Contest!



NTWA MEMBER'S MESSAGE BOARD

NTWA Membership Benefits

Annual dues are \$44 for your initial membership. Renewing your annual membership is \$36, and entitles members to vote on all business, attend meetings, hold office, participate in the monthly drawings and receive discounts from retailers!

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 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.

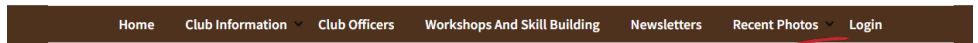
Haggard Party Barn
5948 McKamy Trail, Plano TX, 75024

NTWA MEMBER PORTAL

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

MONTHLY MEETINGS ARE HELD ON THE 3RD TUESDAY BEGINNING AT 7:00PM AT THE HAGGARD PARTY BARN IN PLANO

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA:

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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

Website URL

Facebook

Instagram

Register Login



NTWA MEMBER PORTAL

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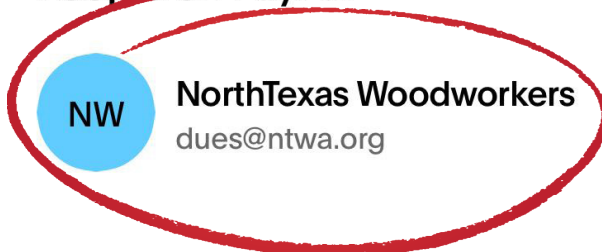
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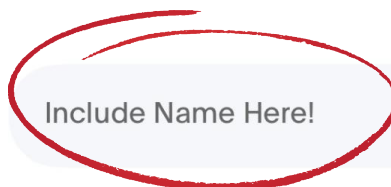
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***\$44 if it is your initial year. \$36 if you are renewing!**



STEP 2



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