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Calendar of Events

January 23	Board Meeting	Zoom Meeting	8:00 AM	
February 4	General Meeting	Yacht Club	7:00 PM	Tentative
February 9	Wood Cutting	POA Yard		

Board Meeting Highlights

No board meeting in December

Woodworkers “Virtual” Show & Tell IV

Since we did not hold a January general meeting, here are some of the projects that our fellow woodworkers have been involved.

Ken Harvey

Ken has been working with Tom Borloglou on upgrading the TVWW Presidents Plaque. The walnut engraved by Patty Authement will be finished with wipe on poly. Soon it will be displayed in the Yacht Club display case.



Ken has also been working on cornhole boards for members of his family. His wife created the bean bags with spares using 50 pounds of corn. Some college rivalry in that family!



Stu McFadden

Stu worked on a spiritual egg, which is turned on the lathe with Marquetry inlay work for the spiritual design which represents Jesus Christ.



something during COVID. Adirondack chairs seemed like a good project. Of course, as we are wont to do, we weren't content to simply build basic Adirondacks. We had recently acquired some nice White Oak, so decided to use it... and since we were going with White Oak, to use a Canadian plan to build Muskoka "Big Bubba" rockers instead. It ended up being a much more difficult project than we had anticipated, but we learned a lot; had fun, and the rockers turned out rather good.



Doug Drew & Jack Ernst

It all started over a few beers when Doug Drew and Jack Ernst discussed building

John Layman

John finished a cherry partners desk. The pedestals are solid cherry and the top 3/4 cherry ply with a solid cherry banding.

All of the drawers are 1/2 Baltic birch, joined with half blind dovetails. The inset drawer fronts are 3/4 solid cherry. The drawers are mounted with full extension, soft close drawer guides.



Dick Hoffman

Dick finished a couple of turnings last month. The first one is a 12" tall end grain cherry bowl, pyro-engraved with dogwood flowers. The second is a 24" tall segmented bowl made out of maple and finished with acrylic airbrushed semi-transparent dye.



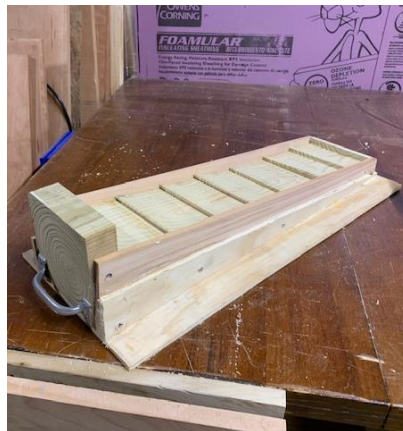
Marty Shoffner

Marty created this walnut serving tray for daughter's mother-in-law. Epoxy CNC lettering with bamboo handles, walnut handle caps, and ebony handle supports.



Ron Comtois

Ron has been busy with a number of small projects: ice cream scoops turned from Padauk, two coffee scoops turned from cherry and walnut, an awl made with cuban mahogany and a ladder step level.



Dennis Smith

Dennis made this walnut and maple bowl.



Bob Fagerlin

Bob constructed this desk of cherry and purpleheart. It is the waterfall style from a recent Wood magazine. It was very difficult to get the case and top aligned and glued. The drawers are not square but I made the fronts to match the openings.



Reminder for Membership Renewal

Send your \$20 payment to:
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107 Okema Lane
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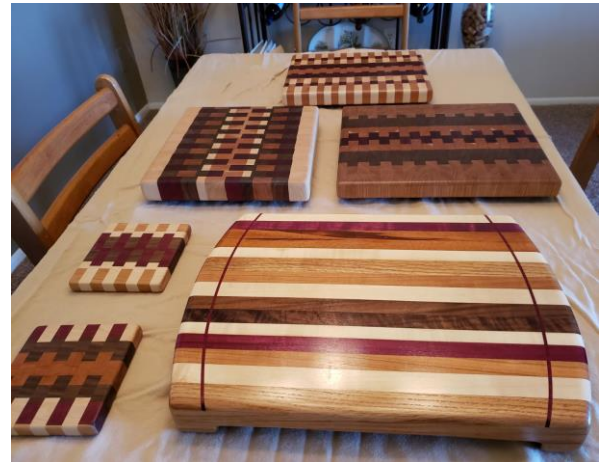
Glenn Nief

Glenn made these miscellaneous boxes, trays and Christmas ornaments with wood-burned names from scrap wood.



Steve Jeanblanc

Various cutting boards Steve has made in his "little shop".



Did You Know?

Why are carpenter's pencils flat?

- (1) To prevent it from rolling away
- (2) Easier to grip than standard pencils
- (3) The non-round core allows thick or thin lines to be drawn by rotating the pencil.
- (4) The lead is strong to withstand the stress of marking on wood surfaces
- (5) The pencil is robust to survive in a construction environment
- (6) The line they produce are clear and easy to follow with a saw blade



2020 in Review

The following is a summary of our club's activities, growth, and finances for the past year.

Community Service

No Data Submitted

Financial and Wood Operations (YE2020)

Club Operations	\$3019.36
Reserve Fund	\$8789.89
Wood Operations (Net)	\$251.35
Wood Sale Revenue	\$4809.15
T4T Holding Fund	\$0.00
Charity Holding Fund	\$275.00
Ending Balance	\$12335.60

Membership

As of 12/31/2018	217
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Annual dues in 2020	\$20

Programs

January - T4T Review; Jake Niedling: turning; Dick Hoffman: website update

February - Lou Mansur: chairs

March - Rick Larned: rifle stock and turkey calls

October - Spring Challenge: all wood with moving part(s)

November - Show and Tell

Due to the pandemic, no meetings were held in the other months and there were no field trips

Mentoring Program

No formal mentoring this year due to Covid

Toys for Tots

17 Teams with 29 members

7 Individual Toymakers

Woodworker Total Contribution (toys) 100

WW Cash Donation \$1000

Tool Committee

The Tool Maintenance Committee had no formal activities or requests, the three members listed in the Resource Book continue to serve on the committee.

Tool Sales

Bill McKeel conducted two sales in the first half of the year

Tom Ringenbach had 4 sales (two non-member) in second half of the year

Bill McKeel and Charlie Anderson retired from the team, replaced by Nancy Kessler and Aaron Cox

Website

Total visits in 2020 - 13,638

