

The Cincinnati Woodworker

Dedicated to Sharing Woodworking Knowledge

The Cincinnati Woodworking Club Newsletter

The September 10, 2011 Meeting Agenda

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Your yearly
membership fee
is due this meeting.



*Tom Callahan
Harvest Table seats 12*

This meeting will be presented by the **South-east Group**. With **Tom Callahan and Keith Neer presenting**. When approaching a new woodworking project, many woodworkers struggle with the design process. Some feel there is something either magical or at least very artful which must take place to adequately design a project. Quite a few of us lack both sufficient skills in

either magic or art so we plow ahead and hope for the best. The discussion at our September meeting will be lead by **Keith Neer** and he will demystify design by sharing a process which, like all other aspects of woodworking, can be learned. Keith will share a design technique which starts with a simple inspiration and follow it though simple “doodles”, quarter scale drawings,

model building, half scale drawings and full scale drawings. Along the way he will also discuss problem solving techniques and the construction of complex jigs required to achieve compound joinery.

Come prepared with your questions to enhance this interactive session.

Tool Sale/Auction

BARGAINS, DEALS, SAVINGS - ALL FOR AN EXCELLENT CAUSE

We are moving the tool sale/auction from January to September. We have used some of the toy funds to purchase bed making supplies. We are trying to replenish it again by asking for your generosity. In the past you generously donated unwanted tools or stuff for the tool sale and auction. The proceeds were used to buy toy making supplies. We want to add bed making supplies to the use of the proceeds. The tool sale and auction is a lot of fun for both the donors as well as the buyers. If you have spare tools, books, magazines, wood (or whatever) that you would like to donate, please bring them to Terry Elfers or John Leonardi at the next meeting. We will have the tool sale at the beginning of the meeting (between 8 and 9) and the auction of any leftovers after the meeting. We will follow the same process we used in previous years. All the items will have a “buy it now” price. Anytime before the auction (**not during the program portion of the meeting**), individuals can buy the item for the marked price and pay the cashier. After the meeting we will auction all items that have not been purchased.

Come and get some bargains!!!!

**PLEASE PAY
YOUR DUES
THIS
MEETING**



John Branam - Wine
Rack

MEMBERSHIP DUES

Membership dues are payable each September – the beginning of our club year – and we encourage you to pay promptly and support your fine club. New members can join anytime. Your CWC dues are a great value and pay the club's many expenses (Your benefits) include the meeting room, audiovisual system, videos, Web site, newsletter, advertising, doughnuts, and the annual May meeting luncheon. Dues also pay for the door prizes at each meeting, therefore we ask that only current, paid members participate in the door prize drawings.

Annual Dues:	Adults	\$15.00
	Student	\$ 5.00

To join or renew, fill out the attached Membership Application form on page 4 and, with your payment, mail it or bring it to the next meeting. You may also complete the application online at the club web site.

Need to know if you are paid up? A Paid Members List is posted at each meeting. If you receive this newsletter via U.S. Mail, check the mailing label, a "12", indicates you are paid up for the 2011-2012 club year.

CWC is open to woodworkers of all skill levels, without regard to sex, race, religion, national origin, age, or handicap.

CLUB CONTACTS

Have questions about the club? We Will be glad to help.



Gene Bartholomew
describes his unique
table entry

Darrell McAnulty, President (Overall running of the club and Webmaster)

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COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS

Jim Schaefer Toy Project 2011

It's that time of the year again. We will be taking toys to Mt Vernon right after our November meeting. If you have completed toys for this year please bring them to the November meeting. More information in the next news letter. If you would like to make toys it's not too late. The following is helpful information. Feedback from the **Director of the Christian Appalachian Project** indicates the following toys as favorites among the children.

1. Pull Toys
2. Workable dump trucks or bulldozers
3. Three car carriers
4. Wooden puzzles
5. Cradle and dolls

Toy Making Supplies.

We have the following toy making supplies.

1. Wheels from 1 to 2 inches
2. ¼, 3/8 and ½ inch dowels
3. Axle pegs
4. One, 1 ¼, and 1 ½ inch balls
5. Locomotive stacks
6. Two inch split balls
7. ½ x ¾ inch various colored beads
8. Various toy plans.

Any toy maker that would like to have a supply of these items please contact **John Leonardi** at 513-921-2027. You can either pick these up from him or the following individuals have some of the supplies **Larry Lockwood, Earl North or Terry Elfers**. If anyone can think of a toy making item that you would like we may be able to reimburse you for the item. Just contact **John Leonardi**.

Birdhouses

If anyone would like to make birdhouses for the Toy Project, **John Leonardi** has cedar that can be used for that purpose. Please contact him.



Tom Cook's
Drop Front Desk

MISCELLANEOUS

Parking Lot Swap and Sale

Don't forget the parking lot sale and swap during the break. Feel free to bring your excess woodworking tools or other woodworking items for sale or swap.

The Southeast Leaders have requested that the Southeast Group Members arrive a half hour early and/or stay a half hour after the meeting to help set up for the meeting and then put every thing back the way it was before the meeting.

Donuts and Coffee

Donuts will be available at this meeting Bring your own coffee. The coffee should be in cups with lids and in the unlikely event you should spill some of the coffee



Please
Clean It Up



Dusty Eling
Describes his Walnut
Bench/Table Combo.



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Guests

Guests and prospective members are always welcome at CWC meetings. If you know someone who is a woodworker or wants to learn, please invite them to join us.

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Cincinnati Woodworking Club Membership Application

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Date _____ New _____ Renewal _____

Home Phone: (____) _____

Work Phone: (____) _____

Email: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Occupation: (Current or Retired) _____

Please check all your interests that apply:

Beginner: _____ Amateur: _____ Professional: _____

DIRECTIONS TO THE MEETING

Date:

September 10,
2011

Time:

Room opens at 8:30 AM, the
meeting is from 9:00AM to
12:30 PM.

Location:

Northminster Presbyterian
Church, 703 Compton Road.
Located in Finneytown, 703
Compton is East of Winton
Road, approximately .2 miles on
the South side of Compton
Road.

This meeting will be held in the
Disciples Hall located in the

basement. Please park behind
the church and enter through
the double doors on the right
side of the building in the back.

Directions:

From the North and East

Take I-275 to exit #39, Winton
Rd. exit.
Go south on Winton Rd. ap-
proximately 5 miles to Compton
Rd. Turn left onto Compton Rd.

From the South

Take I-71 or I-75 to the Ronald
Reagan Highway.
Go west to the Winton Road/
Galbraith Road exit.
Turn left onto Galbraith Road,

Turn right onto Winton Road
Follow Winton approximately
1.2 miles to Compton Road
Turn right onto Compton Road.

From the West

Take I-275 to the Ronald
Reagan Highway
Go east to the Winton Road
North exit (second Winton Road
exit). Follow Winton Road ap-
proximately 1 mile to Compton
Road Turn right onto Compton
Road.

We'll

See You

There!

2011 - 2012

Meeting Schedule

Saturday, September 10, 2011
Southeast Group owns agenda

Saturday, November 12, 2011
Northeast Group owns agenda

Saturday, January 14, 2012
Northwest Group owns agenda

Saturday, March 10, 2012
Southwest Group owns agenda

Saturday, May 12, 2012
Central Group owns agenda

2011-2012 Woodworking Contest

Contest Entry Information

Build anything that is primarily made of wood and completed between September 2011 and May 2012. It will be judged by the same criteria used in our past contests. Originality of design (how unique is it?), Functionality of design (how well does it work?), Artistic design (is it attractive?), Finish (sanding, stain, top coat) and Expertise required to complete (complex angles, joinery, inlay etc.). Photos may be used to enter projects in cases where it is not practical to transport and display. A PowerPoint presentation will be used to display digital entry photos again this year when the contest is judged at the May 2012 meeting.

If wish to have your digital photos included in the presentation, please send them to Darrell at dmcanulty@cincinnatiwoodworkingclub.org, no later than May 8th. And limit your photos to 4 per entry.

As part of the Woodworking Contest, we will present our 3rd annual Fred Weissborn Memorial Quality Award. It will go to the woodworker whose Contest entry is voted by members to best reflect the craftsmanship demonstrated by Fred during his long tenure as a member. The selection criteria will follow the principle that "craftsmanship" is in the eye of the beholder. Each voting member will determine the superior craftsmanship as he or she sees it and pick the best entry. This award is a traveling trophy with the winner's name and project inscribed on it.

We congratulate John Leonardi the winner of this prestigious award in May 2011. As a reminder The Steering Team has decided that a member may only win this award one time.

A winner is ineligible to compete for this award in any future contest. However, a winner remains eligible to compete for any other contest awards.

CWC Members

Keith Neer is offering two weekend classes at his shop on September 17th & 18th. See details and contact information below.

Principles of Making Veneered Furniture

Veneered furniture has a rich history but one which suffered from poor quality in the 1950's and 60's. The costly and uncertain future of dimensioned lumber requires that we consider, anew, the building of fine furniture while incorporating veneers. This day long course will demonstrate basic and advanced principles of building with modern veneering techniques. The following areas will be thoroughly discussed and demonstrated.

- Discussion and demonstration of required veneering tools
- Substrate and adhesive selection
- Veneering round and tapered table legs
- Veneering compound shapes
- Constructing a table top using modern hollow core techniques
- Edge banding
- Veneering with a vacuum bag vs. clamps
- Detailing your work

Date: Saturday, September 17, 2011

Time: 9:00 – 4:00 (Bring Your Lunch or Go Out)

Cost: \$50

Finishing Veneered Furniture

Creating a flawless finish can be a challenge and finishing veneered furniture adds a level of complexity to the process. This course will demystify the finishing process and will demonstrate a number of techniques required to guarantee high quality results. Included will be:

- Discussion and demonstration of required finishing tools
- Selecting a spray system and
- Exhaust and spray medium alternatives
- Surface preparation and repair
- Selecting an appropriate finish
- Coloring wood
- Understanding the history development of clear coats
- Mixing your own finish
- Spraying vs. hand application of finish
- Finishing the finish

Date: Sunday, September 18, 2011

Time: 10:00 – 4:00 (Bring Your Lunch or Go Out)

Cost: \$40

NOTE: If you take both courses the cost is reduced to \$80 for both sessions

Checks should be made out to Clermont Woodworking and must be received with your commitment for the course's by no later than 9/14/11. Send payments to 2090 Natchez Trace, Batavia, Ohio 45103.

If you have any questions, contact Keith at: E-mail: cwdinc@fuse.net Phone: (513) 732-6547 Cell: (513) 373-0098