

The Cincinnati Woodworker

Dedicated to Sharing Woodworking Knowledge

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January Tailgate Tool Sale Moved Inside

We are going to have an inside tool sale as opposed to an outside tailgate sale. We think a warm room will make it more fun. Tables will be set up in the back of the room for anyone that wants to sell their unneeded tools, materials and other woodworking related items.

Each individual will be responsible for their own sales and pricing. Come early for the bargains.

Bring extra cash.

The SW Group has the responsibility for this meeting. Woodworking 101. At this meeting we are going to cover this topic a little differently. Four members of the SW Group will sit at a table from 8 to 9 before the meeting and answer any questions any of the members may have on woodworking topics i.e. wood joints, wood finish, assembling etc. The individuals are Russ Merz, Donna Hill, Mike Sublett and Larry Saupe. They will be set up in the general location of the Show and Tell area on the left side of the room. They will try to answer all questions. Any questions they are not able to answer or questions of interest to all members will be covered at the first part of the meeting. To give these individuals a head start please submit your questions to John Leonardi at jleonardi@zoomtown.com by January 5th.. He will pass them to those individuals.

Lewis Stepp, the owner of Craftsman Gallery and the website ChipsFly.com, is the inventor and manufacturer of Router Boss, a compact workstation that converts an ordinary plunge router into a precision milling machine for wood. Lewis is a retired former executive with Great American Insurance and lives in Anderson Township. In this session, Lewis will describe the history and evolution of the Router Boss and the steps and missteps he experienced in bringing a new woodworking tool to market. Lewis plans to then use Router Boss to demonstrate how a single router based tool can do all of the milling operations that now have you moving all over your shop. He will create all of the joinery needed for a typical kitchen/bath cabinet door and drawer.

CWC Central Group Annual Tool Brag

This year we will again have our "Tool Brag" sponsored by CWC's Central Group. We will show off our new tools, have lunch, tell tales of the 2012 woodworking season and drink a toast to the member who have left us in 2012. **Where:** 1:00 Saturday January 26, 2013 **Where:** Firehouse Grill 4885 Lake Forest Drive, Kenwood, Ohio (Close to Reed-Hartman and Glendale Milford) (513) 733-3473

<http://www.Firehousegrillcincinnati.com>

Features:

A Toast to our woodworkers who have passed on.
Door Prizes
Bring your "What the heck is it (The older the better) for discussion"
Organization for the "TOY MAKING" Season
Bring a "NEW to the Club" Woodworking Friend
Meet the New Members (Wear your CWC Badges)

Please contact Jim or Dusty and let us know that you are coming.

Central Group Leader Jim Baldock 733-3820 baldock@fuse.net
Central Group Leader Dusty Eling 536-8237 dustye@zoomtown.net

Reminder!
Please pay your membership dues this meeting.

MEMBERSHIP DUES

Membership dues are payable each September – the beginning of our club year.

We encourage you to pay promptly and support our 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 on the club web site. CINCINNATIWOODWORKINGCLUB.ORG

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 2012 - 2013 club year.

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



Charles Kroeger
 Newport Chest

CLUB CONTACTS

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

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COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS

Jim Schaefer Toy Project 2012

This year the Club donated 1457 items to the Christian Appalachian Project (CAP). WOW!!!!!! Dusty Eling and Howard Renner delivered the toys on November 12th to CAP in Mt. Vernon, KY. As always our toys received a warm welcome. This year the toys were again delivered with a rental truck. Thanks to Dusty and Howard for again getting us a good deal from Penske and taking time to deliver the toys. Thank you Penske. (If you need to rent a truck for yourselves, please consider Penske.)

We want to thank everyone that helped make this happen. Thanks to all who helped us carry the toys down to the empty apartment, and back out to load the truck on Monday morning. Boy that went fast even in the rain. Dusty was pretty drenched. Special thanks to all those individuals who donated their time, effort, and material to enable these children to have a Merry Christmas. May God bless you all abundantly.

Bob Steiner has volunteered to drive the toys down to Mt. Vernon next year with his company truck if it's available. We need a backup plan in case Bob's company is using the truck. Anyone willing to help, please let John Leonardi know.

TOOL SALE/AUCTION=DOLLARS=WHEELS=MORE TOYS FOR DESERVING CHILDREN

A lot of toys made for deserving children include wooden wheels. We have been able to provide most of the wooden wheels needed as well as supplies for making the beds. We will again have our tool sale/auction at our January 12th meeting to replenish the funds for more toy and bed making supplies. 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 auction at the end of the meeting. We will follow the same process we used last year. All the items will have a "buy it now" price. Anytime before the auction, (but not during the program) individuals can buy the item for the marked price and pay the cashier. At the end of the meeting we will auction all items that have not been purchased. Come and get some bargains!!!! The early bird gets the bargains. As soon as an item is marked starting at 8:00 AM the items can be bought.



Terry Elfers
Hand Carved
Griffin



Bill Law
Barristers Bookcase

MISCELLANEOUS

Parking Lot Swap and Sale Moved Inside for January Meeting

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 Southwest Leaders request that the Southwest Group Members arrive a half hour early and/or stay after the meeting to help set up and put everything 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



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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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CHECK OUR WEBSITE
CINCINNATIWOODWORKINGCLUB.ORG

Cincinnati Woodworking Club Membership Application

Date _____ New _____ Renewal _____

Home Phone: (____) _____

Work/Cell Phone: (____) _____

Email: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Occupation: (Current or Retired) _____

Please check all your interests that apply:

Beginner: _____ Amateur: _____ Professional: _____

General Woodworking: _____ Cabinetmaking: _____

Furniture Repair and Refinishing: _____

Wood Turning: _____ Carpentry: _____ Carving: _____

Send Application with \$15.00 for adults, \$5.00 for students
to:

Dick Fisher

7422 Silver Creek Road

Cleves, Ohio 45002

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DIRECTIONS TO THE MEETING

Date:

January 12, 2012

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. approximately 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 approximately 1 mile to Compton Road Turn right onto Compton Road.

We'll

See You

There!

2012 - 2013

Meeting Schedule

Saturday, September 8, 2012
Northeast Group owns agenda

Saturday, November 10, 2012
Central Group owns agenda*

Saturday, January 12, 2013
Southwest Group owns agenda

Saturday, March 9, 2013
Northwest Group owns agenda*

Saturday, May 12, 2012
Central Group owns agenda

*one time swap—speaker
availability

2012 - 2013 Woodworking Contest

Build anything that is primarily made of wood and completed between September 2012 and May 2013. 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 2013 meeting.

If you wish to have your digital photos included in the presentation, please send them to Keith at kmealy@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 4th 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 Russ Merz 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.