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# The Cincinnati Woodworker

**Dedicated to Sharing Woodworking Knowledge** 

# The Cincinnati Woodworking Club Newsletter

THE NOVEMBER 10, 2007 MEETING AGENDA

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#### A Reminder:

This is the Second meeting of our club year. Your dues are now Overdue!



CWC President Darrell McAnulty presents 25th Anniversary Plaques to Jerry Luepen and Bob Bicknaver two of the Founding Members of our Club

#### **CAMPBELL HAUSFELD** has been headquartered in Harrison Ohio for 171 years. They are known to us for their extended line of Air Compressors, Nailers and Air Tools. With innovative new tools, their product line is expanding. Some tools carry the Campbell Hausfeld brand. but others are marketed under private labels. Liz Gradwohl. Consumer Insight Specialist, and Product Manager Jesse Moore will be at our November meeting. They will explain how you can set up a spray booth in your workshop and give a short PowerPoint presentation

They also plan to show their new Aluminum Compressor and do some nailing demonstrations.

HANK VON HOLLEN lives in the Pittsburg, Pennsylvania area and has developed and patented a unique Universal Jointer. Taking an early retirement in 1986 from his mechanical engineering career with Westinghouse, he designs and builds about five large solidwood Heirloom pieces per year for his family that includes 9 grandchildren. Producing pieces that current and future generations will treasure, has been his passion. An Heirloom Tool Chest of his was featured in Woodwork magazine. His casework uses 18th century period and functional Shaker joinery, but created by modern means. Being dissatisfied with commer-

cially available dovetail fixtures, he developed, patented, and now sells his unique **Universal Jointer**. Without needing any trial & error cuts, he will demonstrate its simplicity, safety and versatility by making cuts of **Through**, **Half-Blind** and **Sliding Dovetails**, **Box** and **Tenon Joinery**. All of the drop-in templates for these are included with units that will be available for sale at the meeting for \$199.



Jerry Leupen and Bob Bicknaver being recognized by the club

### **SPECIAL ELECTION FOR VICE PRESIDENT**

Congratulations to **Terry Hale** who was elected **Vice President** at the last meeting. Terry has been very active behind the scenes for quite a while. Welcome in from the dark Terry.

# **BOXES FOR CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL**

Children's Hospital continues to be most appreciative of the wood items I have delivered to them since the last meeting. This included a great set of memory boxes supplied by **How-ard Renner** - a picture of these will be placed on the website. Thank you Howard and every-one. Although you may all be pre-occupied with the Appalachian project in the next months, any further contributions for **CCHMC** will be much appreciated, since this is an on-going program. Boxes are especially valued, but other small wood items suitable for painting are also welcome. bring them to a meeting, or drop them off at **Woodcraft** in Forest Park.

Children's Hospital thanks you all. I have again provided them with 'gift cards' identifying CWC as the source. Basil Maddox



Laser Art By Roger Harding

# **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**. <u>New members</u> 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 <u>only current, paid members participate in the door prize drawings</u>.

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**, an **"07"**, indicates you are paid up for the 2006-2007 club year.

We feature some of the show and tell items in the newsletter and on the Web Site Bring your work to the meeting and share CWC is open to woodworkers of all skill levels, without regard to sex, race, religion, national origin, age, or handicap.

# **SHOW AND TELL**

As always, we will have time for show and tell. If you have a newly completed project, a new tool or jig, please bring it to the meeting to share with the other club members. We will be featuring some of the projects in future newsletters and on the Web Site. There will also be time for an open question and answer session. If you have a woodworking problem or question, bring it up at the next meeting. Someone there will be sure to have a solution.

# **CLUB CONTACTS**



A beautiful vase by Tom Callahan Have questions about the club? We will be glad to help.

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### THE APPALACHIAN TOY PROJECT

### <u>It's that time of the year again.</u>

**Terry Elfers** and **John Leonardi** will be taking toys to **CAP** right after our next meeting. If you have completed toys for this year please bring them to the November meeting. Terry and John ask that you bring them in bags or boxes with the name of the makers on the container with the number of toys ( this will greatly help with the record keeping). As in the past, we will have a show and tell for the toys during the meeting.

#### You still have time to participate.

In January we are planning another auction to raise money to buy toy parts. So look for anything that you are willing to donate for the worthy cause. Last year we made almost \$500 and bought 7,000 wheels. Most of those wheels have been given to toy makers (there is approximately 300 wheels left). So we are ready to order some more. For the toy makers, please let Terry or John know what size wheels you would like ordered or what other items should be purchased. More on this in the next newsletter.



Creative Bookends by Wally Macaulay

### **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.

#### Library Reminder

**COFFEE TIME** 

For those members who checked out video tapes last meeting, don't forget to return them this meeting so others can check them out.

#### Donuts and Coffee

We will be furnishing donuts this meeting but, you will have to 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.

### <u>Northwest</u>

### <u>Members</u>

The Northwest Group Leaders have requested that the Northwest 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.

Thanks



Support The Troops

<u>Coffee</u> - We would like to meet at the church. It's open by 8:30 AM, and there's no drive time before the meeting. So, go buy your coffee wherever you please and come kibitz with the fine folks at the church before the meetings starts at 9:00 AM.

### **WELCOME NEW MEMBERS**

Bob Gottmer, John Albachten, Fred Bruce, Dan Caudell, Ed Contessa, Kenneth Close, Suzanne Dunham, Mark Howdyshell, Dan Harshman, Louis A. Kressin, Ray Jang, Robert Kerr, Thane Lorbach, Thom Nash, Jason Tussey, Tony White.

# **QUESTION AND ANSWER'S**

A WOODWORKING QUESTION AND ANSWER period is allotted in the November meeting. Ken Neaman first suggested this as a means of tapping into the vast collective experience of our members. Due to time constraints, questions received in advance will be given priority. Submit them a day ahead via email to George Murphy at murphyhg@fuse.net or via telephone 513.729.0092.



Some of the many toys our members have made for the Appalachian Toy Project



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### <u>Guests</u>

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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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:
General Woodworking: Cabinetmaking:
Furniture Repair and Refinishing:

**Cincinnati Woodworking Club Membership Application** 

Wood Turning: \_\_\_\_ Carpentry: \_\_\_\_ Carving: \_\_\_\_

Do not sell or give out my address: \_\_\_\_

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

Dick Fisher 7422 Silver Creek Road Cleves, Ohio 45002

# **DIRECTIONS TO THE MEETING**

<u>Date:</u> November 10, 2007

# <u>Time:</u>

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 mile 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.

# **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.





Before the meeting

#### 2007 - 2008 Meeting Schedule

Saturday, September 8, 2007 Northeast Group owns agenda

Saturday, November 10, 2007 Northwest Group owns agenda

Saturday, January 12, 2008 Southwest Group owns agenda

Saturday, March 8, 2008 Central Group owns agenda

Saturday, May 10, 2008 Southeast Group owns agenda

### CWC 2007-2008 Woodworking Contest

### The Challenge: Build a SMALL TABLE

The purpose of the Contest Program is to encourage and invite participation in a woodworking project, to share ideas and expertise and to compete against your peers.

The contest will be held at the last meeting of the year. Members will have the entire year to work on their contest entry, but the entry does not need to be made during the year. It could be something you made a long time ago that you are really proud of.

This year's contest will be to build a small table. It can be any kind of table <u>as long as the surface area of</u> <u>the table top does not exceed four square feet</u>. It could be an end table, a plant stand, a bed side table a coffee table or a telephone stand. The table can be any kind of table, any style, any construction, <u>as long</u> as the surface area of the table top is no more than 576 square inches.

There will be two groups of contestants: the Previous Winner's group (those who have won first, second or third in the previous contests) and the General Population group (everybody else). Every member will be given a ballot at the May meeting. The Previous Winner's group will be designated as entries 201-215 and the General Population will be designated as 100-199.

The members will vote for first, second and third in the General Population group and in the Previous Winner's group. You can only vote for an entry once and you cannot vote for your own project. A first place vote counts three points, a second place vote counts two points and a third place vote counts one point. The votes will be totaled and the most points will be awarded first place, second most points second place and so on.

The entries will be judged using five criteria:

ORIGINALITY OF DESIGN (How unique is it?) FUNCTIONALITY OF DESIGN (Is it something you would want in your home?) ARTISTIC DESIGN (Is it pretty?) FINISH (sanding, stain, top coat) TECHNICAL EXPERTISE (complex angles, joinery, inlay etc.)

Winners will be announced at the May meeting. 1st, 2nd, 3rd place and Honorable Mention winners will receive ribbons. And their projects will be featured in the newsletter and posted on our web site.

So let's get busy and share your ideas for the best wooden table you have made or can make this year!

Any questions? Contact 2007-2008 Contest Coordinators

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