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Carcass & Drawer Design

Tuesday

January 17th, 2012

7:00 PM

The Woodworking Shop
3141 Capital Boulevard, Raleigh, NC

Several members meet at 6:00pm Buffalo Brothers Pizza & Wings
for dinner prior to the meeting. Please join us!

Tuesday

January 17th, 2012

Subject: Carcass & Drawer Design

Speaker: Matt Hobbs

Workshop: Saturday January 21st, 2012

We are starting 2012 off with a great program featuring Matt Hobbs, a professional woodworker based in Durham. Matt will do a presentation at our membership meeting and then a one day workshop.

Matt grew up in the furniture trade under his father, Ben Hobbs (recipient of the 2010 Cartouche Award from SAPFM). After completing graduate studies in early American decorative arts at Winterthur museum, Matt worked and taught furniture-making classes with Ben in their eastern NC shop. Since moving to Durham in 2004, Matt has operated a "bespoke" workshop where he makes custom furniture to the buyers specifications. He has made custom pieces for clients throughout the eastern US, for individuals, design professionals and businesses. His focus is on early American styles; however, he embraces exploring more modern designs.

Matt's focus for our program will be on traditional drawer design and construction, a subject that most of us have had issues with at one time or another. For the program, Matt will draw upon historic examples of drawer construction to show a variety of construction methods, including a variety in examples he has made. He will also have various pieces of his work for our review.

For the Saturday workshop, Matt will show the process for fitting drawers, step by step. He will start with a chest carcass and go through the process of making and fitting a drawer for a given opening, including the blocking, runners, kickers and stops. Workshop participants will have the opportunity to make and fit individual drawers to the carcass.

For more information on Matt and his work, check-out his website at: matthewhobbsfurniture.com

Host: Terry Tenhouse

Worksharp Raffle

Our Guest speaker Roy Underhill was gracious enough to draw the winner of the Worksharp raffle. Ticket # 27 held by Manuel Astilla was the lucky winner. As a first year member I am sure he is thrilled. He was not able to attend the meeting but the prize was



delivered to him. Looking at the photo below he is obviously thrilled.

To quote Manuel " *this is the first thing I have ever won*", he promised he would be tuning up all his chisels and kitchen knives.

The Raffle brought in \$740 for the Toys for Tots program. This will be a great help toward funding our efforts.

Respectfully submitted by: Pete Bucki

*An optimist stays
up until midnight to
see the new year in.
A pessimist stays
up to make sure
the old year leaves.*

~Bill Vaughan

ABOUT THE TRIANGLE WOODWORKERS ASSOCIATION

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The Triangle Woodworkers Association (TWA) is a nonprofit educational corporation. The TWA is dedicated to teaching woodworking techniques through seminars, classes, and workshops; participants are required to sign waivers absolving liability for TWA or its designated representatives. The TWA promotes woodworking education and community interest in woodworking and in general sharing a love for wood.

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BY THE NUMBERS

Treasurer's Report

Beginning Bank Balance:	\$7,883.67
Income:	\$381.50
Expense:	\$166.16
Ending Bank Balance:	\$8,099.01

Note that these figures, as usual, exclude the petty cash fund, as well as the other "slush" funds.

Some notables: \$590.00 in the sharpener raffle & \$652.00 in Toys for Tots donations.

Submitted by: Hugh Fish

THE PRESIDENTS CORNER



We have just finished another year and with it another Toys for Tots effort. From any viewpoint it was another great success. Those who worked on the project produced over 2500 toys ranging from VW Beetles to much more complex toys for older kids. Those folks can take pride in having made a better Christmas for over 2500 children. Our December meeting was at the Preserve in Wake Forest and was dedicated to the Toys for Tots effort. Thanks go to Charles Buenzli for arranging the location and to all who provided the great food for the social hour. Fred Ford emceed and recognized the people who worked at the various workshops throughout the year. I am very sure a good time was had by all. I know Fred Ford and all his elves will soon begin work on next year's program. I encourage all of you who have not participated to get involved next year. It takes very little time and the rewards are great.

We are accepting donations for the Toys for Tots program. With the rising cost of materials we are in need of some help to keep going. As this program brings so many members together for a day of fun, work, and getting to know each other, it would be a tragedy if we were not able to continue. Please consider what you can give to keep this worthy project afloat. Donations of all sizes are welcome and yours can be kept confidential if you like. Hugh Fish or any Board member will be happy to accept your gift.

Our webmaster is still working on making our website more inviting and informative and is shutting down the old site as soon as information is transferred to the new site. Please be sure you are checking only the new site for things concerning TWA- like our calendar and newsletters. Also, from the new website, you can access our new Facebook page, be sure to check it out.

We are starting 2012 off with a particularly good program. Matt Hobbs will cover how to make drawers and fit them to a carcass. I don't know about your experiences, but I have had drawers come out as parallelograms, twisted, too loose, and otherwise wrong. Most of the time I have been able to "fix" them, but they were never

“right”. It sure would be nice if I could make them fit correctly the first time, at least most of the time.

My last item for this month is that we are asking members to invite a guest you think would enjoy our club to visit and join. We aren't suggesting a hard sell, but if you know someone who might enjoy it, please invite them to a meeting. To that end, we will have flyers available for you to give to your prospective guests.

Hope to see many faces in January!

President: Allan Campbell

MEETING MINUTES

DECEMBER 2011

Sharing the Joy of Giving meeting!!!

6:00 PM Members started arriving and setting up the toy displays, tables and seating, as well as the food brought in by members for tonight's meeting. An assortment of delicious treats was provided for everyone's enjoyment.

The approximately 7 pm our president Alan Campbell greeted the members, their spouse's, and guests to our Annual Toys for Tots Christmas gathering. Many were still feasting on treats and Alan asked for all to grab a seat so the meeting could begin.

Announcements:

- ☼ Lie-Nielsen is holding a sales event at the NC State Craft Center on January 20th & 21st from 10am to 5pm. Parking is free.
- ☼ For this month's meeting Alan chose to recognize all the club members who participated in the 2011 T4T program. To do this Alan turned the meeting over to Fred Ford. Fred introduced the members who hosted the workshops that built toys; in turn the workshop host introduced the members of his or her team and gave a description of the toys they built and how they went about designing and building the toy.
- ☼ Next Terry Tenhouse gave a brief description of January's program "Carcass & Draw Design" and noted that there are only a few slots still open for the workshop.

Program:

Bill Anderson introduced our guest speaker for the evening Roy Underhill. As usual Dr. Underhill was an interesting, informative, and entertaining speaker.

"Many people look forward to the new year for a new start on old habits. ~Author Unknown"

MEETING MINUTES CONT.

Alan and Fred then hosted the drawing for the Worksharp raffle. Over 700 dollars was raised for the Toys for Tots program by the raffle. Roy Underhill was asked to draw the winning ticket. The winner was Manuel Astilla a new member from Durham, Manuel was not at the meeting.

A Marine Corp Sargent arrived to accept the toys on behalf of the Marine Corps Toy for Tots program. He thanked all who gave of their time and efforts to help those in need.

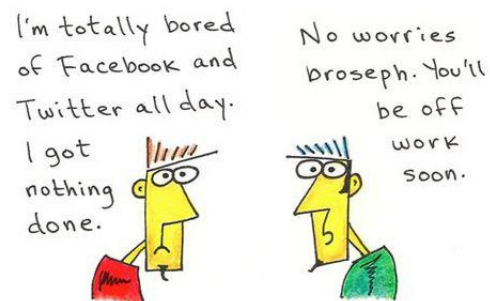
Alan brought the meeting to a close with a request that everyone who could help load the toys in the Marine van grab a box and help out. That is a chore but very rewarding when you see the loaded van and know that you have helped. There was also the clean up task of tables and chairs.

Respectfully submitted by: Joe Gorman - secretary



TWA is on Facebook

On our website www.trianglewoodworkers.com you can hit the link to "like" us on facebook or if you do not have a facebook page you can create one if you like. Or you can go to www.facebook.com and search for TWA and add us as a friend.



A Note from Our Webmaster & Newsletter Editor

Ah the start of a New Year and with it such great plans for many things we all want to accomplish. As I continue to work on the website I am welcoming ideas, suggestions, requests for items you would like to see, things that may be helpful and of course things you may not like so much. Please feel free to send me a note with your thoughts.

Respectfully submitted by: Roger Philyaw - Webmaster

MEMBERSHIP PAGE

Some things are just too large, bulky, and/or heavy to cart to our monthly meeting to show. *email Show and Tell.* I encourage all to send me photos of your item and a detailed explanation, whatever you would like to share.

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Mark Todd from Hill Country Woodworks – February 21st, 2012

Mark Todd owns Hill Country Woodworks with his business partner, Will Bucher. For nearly forty years, Hill Country Woodworks has designed and handcrafted furniture of uncommon quality and beauty. Mark and Will took over the operation a few years ago. They offer an array of standard pieces and custom designs, constructing furniture as ordered in their shop outside of Chapel Hill, NC.

Mark will lead us through furniture construction in his shop, from design, to construction, to finishing. He will show some examples of his work and discuss how he adds refinements to his projects that you can incorporate into your own work. Mark will also demonstrate his finishing techniques that lead to customers running their hands over his furniture time after time.

Respectfully submitted by: *Jeff Leimberger*

Garrett Hack Visits TWA - March 23rd, Workshop: March 24th & 25th, 2012

Garrett Hack is returning to our group for a Friday evening talk and Saturday and Sunday workshops. Garrett is a Fine Woodworking contributor, teacher, and professional furniture maker best known for his modern interpretations of Federal-style furniture. Author of *The Handplane Book* and *Classic Hand Tools*, Hack spends much of his time traveling the country teaching at woodworking schools.

On Friday evening Garrett will present "Work smart", describing better ways to accomplish tasks in your woodworking endeavors.

On Saturday and Sunday, his workshop will most likely involve working with curves and "3 essential joints". In the latter, Garrett will explore half-blind dovetails, haunched Mortise & Tenon and tapered sliding dovetails. Be sure to mark your calendars for a chance to interact with one of America's best known woodworkers and a very approachable teacher.

Respectfully submitted by: *Jeff Leimberger*

For Sale:

10" Delta Contractor Saw Model 34-444 (1995) + accessories
1-1/2 HP motor
115/230 volt capable
cast iron table
extra extension table
Unifence – 30"
sliding table attachment
tenoning jig
mobile base for saw + extension table
sliding miter gauge
magnetic hold down clamps
blade guard
arbor wrench
manuals
assorted blades including a dado blade

This was Delta's top-of-the-line contractor saw from the mid-80s through the 90's. It was all American made. This model is no longer available as far as I can tell from Delta's web site. I don't think Delta makes any 10" Contractor Saws anymore.

The saw is in excellent condition. It hasn't been used in about 4 years so it probably needs a tuneup to lubricate and align. Here's a picture of what it looks like with the extension table attached:



(Note: this is not my saw, just a picture I found online.)

Asking \$500 for the lot. Buyer must pickup the saw in Hillsborough. Contact Dennis Vogel at 1drvogel@gmail.com. Please leave your phone number in your email and I will call you back.

Toys for Tots

Tuesday December 12th, 2011

TWA's first venture into making toys for the Toys for Tots program came in 1986, four years after the club was conceived. During the twenty six years since, our effort has been on handmade toys. We have now contributed **85,370** toys to the Toys for Tots program. The years have seen some great men and women (some who have gone before us) who are/were very dedicated to this particular program.

In the time I have been involved I have seen many well constructed toys pass through our give away meetings/parties. It was approximately 11 years ago that a few ladies got involved and reminded us that we needed to consider making toys for the girls as well as the boys. Now along with the toy cars and logging trucks we are also working on bears, doll beds and pull toys.

This year we turned over 2,483 to the Marines at our celebration meeting. Roy Underhill was kind enough to entertain us for the second time in 2011. The food was excellent and the turnout was great.

I want to give a special thanks to all of you that furnished outstanding refreshments. Last year was a catered event and well done, but this year was even better. Baked with love and tasting just wonderful.

*"We make a living through what we get,
but we make a life through what we give"*

~ Winston Churchill

A special thanks to the residents of the Preserve who not only let us use their Club House, but also contributed 35 toys.

The joy of the TWA Toys for Tots program lies in the men and women who have given of their time and skill. I am always very proud of you the members when I see all the toys come together in one room. I stand back and think "I am so lucky to be a part of such wonderful people and such a wonderful charity". The biggest story though was in the homes Christmas morning of the little children who received a toy made with love.

Fred Ford -TWA Toys for Tots Chairman



Which had you rather light up — your yard or the face of a child in need? Not even close.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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Month	Program	Speaker	Workshop
January 17 th	Furniture Design	Matt Hobbs	January 21 st
February 21 st	Design/construction and finishing in his furniture shop	Matk Todd	None
March 23 rd	Work smart. Adding curves and details to your work.	Garrett Hack	March 24 th & 25 th
April 17 th	Ironwood boxes/sculpture with Turquoise inlay	Larry Favorite	None
May 15 th	Thomas Day, a cabinetmaker and his bench	Jerome Bias	None
June 19 th	Windsor chair making, carving the seat.	Elia Bizzarri	None
July 17 th	Surface texture in furniture design	Michael Joerling	None

MEMBERSHIP

We welcome 0 new members this month. A colored dot on a name tag indicates that the member is new, so be sure to say hello and welcome them.

Membership Chairman: Kay Baker

Mentors Wanted/Needed

The purpose of TWA is to provide a forum for woodworkers to gather, exchange information & further the art of woodworking. To this end, those more skilled woodworkers are encouraged to become a Mentor to provide knowledge to other members regarding areas of the Mentors skill, experience & knowledge. If you are interested in being a mentor, and willing to help a fellow woodworker discover answers to their questions, please contact Larry Bradbury, 919-518-6891 or lbradbury12@yahoo.com

Mentors

The purpose of this program is to have a reference guide of whom to call when you need to "pick someone's brain", because *Rule #1 in woodworking: nobody has a monopoly on brains!* This list of people includes: contact information, projects the Mentors are comfortable offering advice about, and skills they would be able to help with.

Mentor	Service/Skill Offered	Phone Number	Email Address
Bernie Bogdon	Relief Carving	(919) 850-0739	sabile_27615@yahoo.com
Hugh Fish	Chairs, Joinery, Machinery & Power Tools, Mantles, Routers, Tables and TV Cabinets, Turning	(919) 467-5696	hughpatfish@yahoo.com
John Margeson	Baby furniture, Beds, Bookcase, Chairs, Chest, Decks, Tables	(919) 876-3476	jmalice@bellsouth.net
Scott Miller	Compound Cutting, Scroll Sawing	(919) 233-0204	smiller@aol.com
Mike Resar	Baby furniture, Beds, Bookcase, Cabinets, Chest, Drafting, Dressers, Tables, TV Cabinets	(919) 876-1664	atwaterla@ncleg.net
Allen Campbell	Simple inlay, Staining/dyeing, Pen turning, Cabriole legs	(919) 772-4551	aacjr@nc.rr.com
Cecil Raynor	Joinery, finishing, tables, chairs	(919) 870-0508	raynorc@bellsouth.net
Amy Dowden	Google SketchUp		
Chuck Arnold	Countertops & Plastic Laminate	(919) 995-2301	woodenitbenice@nc.rr.com

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Anchor Hardwoods 6716 Old Wake Forest Rd., Raleigh, NC <i>10% discount to members</i>	919-790-9449
Ashcroft Saws and Tools 3216-G Wellington Ct, Raleigh, NC <i>25% off list on blades and 10% off on sharpening</i>	919-876-3223
Capitol City Lumber Co. 4216 Beryl Road, Raleigh, NC http://www.capitolcitylumber.com <i>Special prices to TWA members</i>	919-832-6492 1-800-244-6492
Edwards Mountain Woodworks fine handtool woodworking: creating and teaching in wood. For further information on the workshops, schedule, and tools needed and any other requirements email Bill Anderson at bill@edwardsmountain-woodworks.com or call 919-932-6050, evenings. <i>Tuition discount for club members.</i>	
The Hardwood Store Gibsonville, NC <i>Discount: 10 cents per board foot</i>	1-888-445-7335 www.hardwoodstore.com
Guy C. Lee Building Materials 900 N. Salem St., Apex, NC	362-1444
Keglers Woodwerks LLC 330 Dupont Circle Raleigh NC mkeglers@earthlink.net	919-608-7220
Klingspor's Woodworking Shop 3141 Capital Blvd. (.9 mile N of Beltline exit 11) www.woodworkingshop.com <i>10% discount excluding lumber and power tools</i>	919-876-0707
Raleigh Saw 5805 C Departure, Raleigh, NC 27616 <i>10% discounts on all new products</i>	919-832-2248
Stock Building Company 3000 Yonkers Rd Hwy. 64 & Old US 1, Raleigh, NC	919-828-7471
Tarheel Wood Treating Co. Highway 54, Morrisville, NC <i>Contractors prices on all wood products</i> <i>Show TWA card before order is written</i>	919-467-9176
Woodcraft 4317 Pleasant Valley Road Raleigh, NC 27612 Email: raleighwoodcraft@bellsouth.net http://www.woodcraft.com <i>\$25 gift certificate at each TWA meeting for the raffle</i>	919-781-1911 fax: 919-781-1980
Woodworker's Supply of NC 1125 Jay Lane, Graham, NC www.woodworker.com	Store (336) 578-0500 Mail order 1-800-645-9292
Wurth Wood Group 4213 Poole Rd, exit 15 off 440 Raleigh, NC http://wurthwoodgroup.com <i>Preferred prices for TWA members</i>	919-231-6620
Yarnell-Hoffer Hardware 145 Rams Plaza, Chapel Hill, NC www.doitbest.com/yh <i>10% discount except power tools & sale items</i>	919-942-3500

CLASSIFIED ADS

Classified ads are free to all members. To have an item posted send a note to: TriangleWoodworkers@gmail.com or our Newsletter editor: irishrose2365@yahoo.com.

All ads will run for 2 months unless otherwise notified.

TWA LIBRARY

All TWA members are welcome to sign out a maximum of three items at a time. Items checked out are due to be returned at the next monthly meeting. Returned items should be placed in the "Returns" box in the library area. The late fee for each item is \$2.00 per month. Any late fee's owed by a member must be paid before any further materials can be checked out by that member. If you know you can't make it to the next meeting you can avoid the late fee(s) by mailing the item(s) to Kay Baker, 610 Benfield Ct., Garner, NC 27529, or by calling (919) 696-8504.

As we all share a love for wood -- we would like to share the media which we have at our disposal as well. Please be conscious of your fellow member and return items in a timely manner.

To Check Out an Item

Find the circulation card located in the back of books and inside of any material in a case. Sign and add the current date to the card. Place the card in the wooden "Check-out-Box" located on top of the library cart.



Librarian: **Kay Baker**

New Books

Title	Author	Subject
Building Small Projects	Fine Woodworking	Projects
Working with Handplanes	Fine Woodworking	Hand Tools
Workstations and Tool Storage	Fine Woodworking	The Shop
In the Craftsman Style	Fine Woodworking	Furniture
Smart Workshop Solutions	Anthony, Paul	The Shop
Period Furniture Details	Bird, Lonnie	Furniture
Chests of Drawers	Hylton, Bill	Furniture
Practical Design Solutions and Strategies	Fine Woodworking	Furniture
Setting Up Shop	Nagyszalancy, Sandor	The Shop

New DVDs

Frame and Panel Construction	Graham Blackburn	Technique
Wood Finishing Basics	Michael Dresdner	Finishing
The Versatile Router	Pat Warner	Power Tools
Tage Frid	FWW	Technique
Sam Maloof	FWW	Technique
Hand Planes in the Workshop	Mario Rodriguez	Hand Tools
Chairmaking Techniques	Jeff Miller	Technique
FWW Video Tips Volume 1	FWW	Technique
Making Jigs and Fixtures	FWW	The Shop

*We Made a Difference in the Life of a
Child This Christmas*



Attention Members

Regular club meetings
begin at 7 PM!

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