



TWA News

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Newsletter of the Triangle Woodworkers Association

NOTE SPECIAL MEETING DATE

April 23, 2004

**The Woodworking Shop
3141 Capital Blvd**

Friday, April 23rd meeting. Furniture Building Chest

Lon Schleining began his career as a professional woodworker in Southern California in 1978 building staircases. To date he has built several hundred projects including many one-of-a-kind designs. A gifted teacher, he taught woodworking classes at Cerritos College for four years. In 1995 he began to write articles for Fine Woodworking and Fine Home Building magazines. He has more than 50 articles in print and was recently named Contributing Editor for Fine Woodworking. Starting in 1998 he began to travel with the Woodworking Shows, teaching seminars on a wide variety of subjects.

April Workshop

There are still a few openings for the Lon Schleining workshop. Call Dave Mackie if you plan to attend, Payment is required to hold your place. You can sign up for either or both days but all of the people so far will be attending for both days.

Plans are coming together for the Lon Schleining workshop. As you can see from the workshop description, it will be a participating workshop to a somewhat limited degree, but bring your ideas for design and whatever woodworking processes you would like to see demonstrated. Lon is a very flexible instructor so he will be able to demonstrate just about anything that is of interest to the group or individual. The important thing will be to learn how to do things and not whether we finish a chest or not. The workshop will be from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM both Saturday, April 24 and Sunday, April 25 and will be in my shop. For lunch, you can bring your own, go out to a local restaurant or order from a menu when you get here and I will ar-

range to have it delivered. We will have coffee and soft drinks available. This has worked well in the past. I will try to arrange for chairs but bring your own if you have a small one.

Cost: \$30 for one day or \$50 for both days. I encourage you to come for both days to get maximum benefit from a really good instructor. You can sign up at the March meeting or call Dave Mackie, (919) 859-2600, bring or send a check to hold your place.

Directions to my shop: Come to the intersection of Interstate 40 (Exit 290) and Rt. 54 (also called Chapel Hill Road), go 1/4 mile towards Cary and turn right at the light onto Trinity Rd. Go 1 block and turn right to 1216 Cooper Drive where you will see a white house and garage. Congratulations, you made it. Dave Mackie

Chest building workshop with Lon Schleining

The purpose of the workshop is not to build a chest. It's to go over woodworking techniques as they relate to building chests. My personal goal is for everyone in the group who can make both days to be able to not only go back to their own shops and build a chest from scratch, but to teach others to do so.

Beginning bright and early Saturday morning, we'll begin with a blank sheet of paper. We'll work together as a group to design a small chest from scratch, working out the style, proportions, materials and joinery options. We'll discuss wood movement issues, make a cut list and give ourselves until lunch to finalize everything. On Saturday afternoon, we'll rough cut and mill the materials, again as a group. We'll glue up panels covering how to do so from the table saw using cauls like we did before.

Sunday morning we'll sand everything (everyone who wants to is going to get to learn how to really use a belt sander) and do the joinery with the goal of a dry fit by lunch time. (Hope springs eternal.)

After lunch, we'll glue up the chest and hopefully leave some time for Q&A.. -Lon

About the Triangle Woodworkers Association

The Triangle Woodworkers Association (TWA) is a non-profit 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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On the Web

In an effort to make our web site more useful, we have made several enhancements. We now offer:

- “Info” - which contains several charts and information useful in woodworking.
- “Plans” - a section contain various types of plans for woodworking projects.
- “Web Links” - several internet sites for other woodworking clubs. See what others are doing in their clubs.

We would like your contributions as well. If you have informational charts or plans, please contact us. Rick Cornell has offered to scan paper plans to an electronic format, providing they are given to him on 8 1/2 x 11 paper. Plans should be drawn or written in black or blue ink to make it easier for scanning.

You may also find the contents of our ever growing library on the site as well. Remember:
www.ibiblio.org/twa

Treasurer's Report

Balance 3/1/04	\$6,661.42
Income	\$90.00
Expenses	(\$436.93)
Balance 3/31/04	\$7,188.35

Respectfully submitted,
 Noel Butzke, Treasurer

As of 3/31/2004

	Mar Actual	YTD Actual	2004 BUDGET
Beginning Balance	6661.42	6528.15	6528.15
INCOME			
Dues	90.00	965.00	6,000
TOTAL INCOME	90.00	965.00	6,000
EXPENSE			
Workshops/Programs	0.00	1,349.37	3,500.00
Income	-500.00	-1,490.00	
Newsletter	63.07	167.21	1,000.00
Equipment	0.00	0.00	100.00
WEB	0.00	30.00	430.00
Meeting Exp	0.00	0.00	140.00
Administrative	0.00	37.79	500.00
Library Exp	0.00	210.43	650.00
Toys-Tots	0.00	0.00	200.00
TOTAL EXPENSES	-436.93	304.80	6,520
Ending Balance	7188.35	7188.35	6008.15

**TWA MONTHLY MEETING
MINUTES
MARCH 16, 20**

Hal Liberty called the meeting to order at 7:30 at the Woodworking Shop on Capital Blvd. He announced the weather policy that was discussed at the last board meeting. If a meeting has to be canceled the Woodworking Shop will be called first, TV Channels 11 and 14 will be notified, and email will be sent to members.

Paul Rolfe announced that the Second Annual Woodcarving Show will be held here at the Woodworking Shop this Saturday, March 20th, with many door prizes and all skill levels – even if you aren't a carver.

Chet Nedwideck announced that 20 craft guilds will be having a special event April 10th in the Holzouser building at the State Fairgrounds with demonstrations and sales of craft items.

Allen Lelland announced that for anyone who wants to sell their wares the Carboro market is starting up every 2nd and 4th Sunday. There is a \$25.00 annual fee and \$10.00 per Sunday. Contact him for further information.

Robert Foss needs help in hooking a computer to a TV monitor. Please contact him if you can help.

A get well card was passed around for members to sign for George Kessel.

Dave Mackie announced that there are still a few openings for the Lon Schleining workshop on chest building for Saturday and Sunday, April 24th & 25th. \$30.00 for one day, \$50.00 for the weekend. See Dave to sign up.

Jeff Leimburger needs to borrow a small lathe to demonstrate for his son's school. There was a volunteer to fill that need.

Rick Cornell announced that for the following newsletters instead of sending an attachment to each person there will be a notice that it is ready and a link to click on to it in Adobe which will save a lot of space and solve many problems.

Rick has also collected a lot of free plans that he will send to Jim Kroger to add to our Web Site and encourages others to do the same.

Hal announced that some veneer had been left from the recent veneer workshop and it was suggested that it be entered in the auction this fall.

Fred Ford introduced Bob Gabor who presented the program on routers comparing various types of routers, bits, uses etc. There were several different router items and bits as door prizes.

Approximately 105 members were present.
Submitted by Kay Baker, Secretary

**NORTH CAROLINA CRAFT
GUILDS SHOW**

At the NC State Fair grounds in the Holzouser Building (*Village of Yester-year*)

Saturday Only!

April 10, 2004 from 10 to 5

Featuring craft sales & demonstrations

Admission is Free!

Art work includes: Basketry, Beading, Glass, Jewelry, Pottery, Wood Turning, Woven Fibers, Polymer Clayand much more!

For more information contact

nccraftguilds@yahoo.com

Participating Guilds

The Triangle Basket Weavers Guild

The Capital Area Polymer Clay Guild.

The Twisted Threads Fiber Arts Guild

The Glass Workers of the Triangle

The North Carolina Society of Goldsmiths

Capital Area Beading Organization (CABO)
in Raleigh

The Triangle Potters Guild

The Triangle WoodTurners of North Carolina

\$ CLASSIFIED ADS \$

Classified ads are free to all current members. If you would like something listed, please send a note to the editor at TriangleWoodworkers@yahoo.com

Lumber For Sale: Furniture Grade: White & Red Oak #1 Common \$1.00 B.F. Clear \$2.00 to \$2.50 B.F. 3' - 16' long up to 12" wide. Poplar #1 Common 70 cents B.F. Clear \$1.50 B.F. Also colorful Hickory, Soft Maple & Walnut. A little left of Planed & Kiln dried. Quantity discount. Arlin Scott 967-6017 prefer you call evenings. Chapel Hill

For Sale: Sears Craftsman 10" laser miter saw in new condition. Made approximately six cuts. Some of the accessories are still in their original packaging. Sold new for \$200. Asking \$140. If interested contact Don Frankfather, (919) 266-1669

For Sale: Performax ShopPro 25 Sander, like new (less than 10 hrs use); mobile caster base, 1/2 box 100 grit paper. \$1400.0 919-796-4919 Hal Brown

For Sale: Delta 10 Inch Deluxe Radial Arm Saw. Excellent Condition with 80 tooth Freud blade . Like new asking \$295. Fred Alphin, (919) 782-2180, alphinf@ncfb.com

For Sale: Radial arm saw – 10" Black & Decker 120 volts, 3450 RPM, Serial #22000520. Includes heavy metal stand. \$175 Call Kay Baker 696-8504 (cell)

“Help Wanted”

I have a piece of mahogany 22" x 3" x 78" that has a table inside of it. Does anyone have a device that can resaw this board? Anyone suggesting a two-man saw need not reply. greg gittins, 302-4499, ggittins@mindspring.com

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I have a very large oak tree, (white-red???) in my back yard. The builder has cut quite a few of the roots during construction. It appears to have a lean to it, towards the house, not a good thing. It is about six-seven feet from and centered on our screened in porch. I would like to get it taken down, but I would also like to keep most of the wood or building "stuff" not firewood. I called and had an estimate, the person wanted 2250.00 to take it down, stump grind, mulch what could be mulched, haul off the rest along with two pieces of pine 8' and 10' x 22" in diameter. The pine I don't believe I can use, but I think "when" it dries out the oak would be better used for making something rather than firewood. Any suggestions? Portable saw-mill any- where near my area, drying the wood, getting the tree down. Thanks, Dwight G. Frazer, (919) 367-7357

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I just joined TWA. I live in Chapel Hill, and would like to know if anyone is aware of woodworking clubs or classes in the Chapel Hill and/or Durham area. Jonathan Brimfield, (919) 345-5656, jbrimfie@cisco.com

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Collaborator wanted. I am a part time potter interested in collaborating with a woodworker on joint projects such as tables, boxes and trays. I have been making pots for over 20 years and would like to compare/ share design ideas and possible joint projects. If interested please call Lea Decker at 833-8111, or email: Lld2001@aol.com

Remember - We no longer use the RTP address for membership applications and renewals. Please send to the Cary address printed on the last page of the newsletter!

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The following companies do not provide discounts to Members but support TWA and our programs in other ways:

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Members, sponsors and potential sponsors are invited to contact Ed Karolak with their ideas, questions, or concerns at Ekarolak@aol.com or call at 919-383-4233



Candid shots from our last meeting:



Membership Application
Complete and mail to:
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Save \$5 when you choose to
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email! Contact Rick Cornell if
you have any questions!

Dues for twelve month period (please check)

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City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: (_____) _____ email _____

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Spouse Name: _____

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MEMBERSHIP EXPIRED?

Check the mailing label, for the expiration date of your membership. If it says EXPIRED, please contact our membership coordinator to renew. You may receive several newsletters past your expiration date and then no more. If you have a question about your membership, please contact Rick Cornell (919-319-9980).

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