

**Next Meeting: June 20th
Field Trip to Woodworker's Supply**

**June Meeting
7:30 pm – 9:00 pm**

Woodworker's Supply of Graham (See map on page 7) will be hosting our June meeting. As most of you know Woodworker's Supply has been one of our sponsors for a lot of years. They are one of the largest "mail order" outfits in the country, with branches in New Mexico, Wyoming, and NORTH CAROLINA. They have introduced many new products to the market, that were developed in house. They will be showing their warehouse operations to us. Now you will be able to see how your order is handled and magically appears on your doorstep the next day. Sorry, due to their accounting being located in New Mexico, the cash registers and show room won't be open. They close the showroom at five. You can go early, shop, eat, and come back to meeting. Woodworker's Supply is located near the intersection of I-85 and NC 54. There are signs directing you to their warehouse near the intersection. Due to the distance and price of gasoline, I strongly recommend that you car pool to Graham. One group will be leaving the Bo-Jangles on HWY 64 in Apex, about 6:00 PM. For this group you don't need to make reservations, just be there. We will take Hwy 64 west to Wilsonville(Jordon Lake) and turn up Ferrington/ Mount Carmel Rd to NC 54 @ Chapel Hill, and then take NC 54 to Graham. If you live along this route and want a ride, please call Bruce Wrenn@362-0878. Hosted by Bruce Wrenn

Executive Board Meeting May 22nd

Summary of Decisions:

1. Mike Reddyhoff to look into the design and cost of t-shirts for advertising and fundraising, and to report back o the TWA Extended Board within one month by e-mail.
2. May Hayes will assume the role of Committee Chair, Raffle
3. The membership fees will be annualized beginning August 1 to aid in budget planning
4. Program Committee to meet June 8 at Cecil Raynor's home.
5. The next TWA Board meeting will be held August 21.

NEW! Membership Fees Due August 1st!

Effective immediately, all members annual dues are to be paid by August 1st of each year. In a move designed to help with fiscal planning and simplify the membership renewal process, the Executive Board approved making August first of each year the due date for paying membership dues. This will result in all club members being given a new expiration date of July 31st, 2007.

Club members will be notified either by email or US Postal mail with an explanation of the process used to determine the amount they must pay this year. Basically each member's amount due is pro-rated based upon their current expiration date and dues of \$30 for electronic newsletter notification or \$35 for printed newsletter. Those with an expiration date AFTER August 1st, 2006, will have their dues pro-rated to pay less than the full year amount. Those with an expiration date of either June or July will be billed the full year amount plus for an additional one or two months. Members with a June or July expiration date are encouraged to wait until receipt of their invoice to renew.

Any existing members allowing their membership to expire will be required to pay the full year's amount. New members will pay a pro-rated amount depending upon the month in which they join. Cost to add a spouse to the membership remains \$1.

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About the Triangle Woodworkers Association

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.

Club Officers and Committee Chairmen

Executive Board

President: Fred Ford, (919) 469-9575 or fredford@nc.rr.com
 Vice President: Cecil Raynor, (919) 870-0508 or raynorc@bellsouth.net
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TWA News is published monthly by the TWA and is mailed to members, sponsors, and associates. If you are interested in contributing articles, please send to:

Triangle Woodworkers Association
 P.O. Box 4206
 Cary, North Carolina 27519-4206
 or trianglewoodworkers@yahoo.com

Deadline for submitting articles and classified ads to the next newsletter is end of day:

June 23rd, 2006

By the Numbers

Treasurer's Report

| | May | <u>FY-</u> <u>2006</u> | | 9 Mo. YTD |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| <u>BEGINNING</u> | <u>2005</u> | <u>YTD Actual</u> | <u>Budge</u> <u>t</u> | <u>Budget</u> |
| Bank Balance + Petty Cash | \$3,325.65 | \$6,593.67 | \$6,594 | \$6,594 |
| Bank Balance | \$3,239.65 | \$6,507.67 | \$6,508 | \$6,508 |
| Income | | | | |
| Workshop Income | \$1,780.00 | \$2,985.00 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Dues | \$444.00 | \$3,461.00 | \$5,000 | \$3,750 |
| Toys-For-Tots | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Miscellaneous Income | \$156.00 | \$396.00 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Total Income: | \$2,380.00 | \$6,842.00 | \$5,000 | \$3,750 |
| Expense | | | | |
| Programs | \$0.00 | \$1,092.49 | | |
| Workshops | \$1,411.71 | \$6,113.00 | | |
| <i>Programs+Workshops</i> | <i>\$1,411.71</i> | <i>\$7,205.49</i> | | |
| <i>Prog & Wrkshp Net Cost</i> | <i>-\$368.29</i> | <i>\$4,220.49</i> | <i>\$5,000</i> | <i>\$3,750</i> |
| Auction | \$0.00 | \$300.00 | \$300 | \$300 |
| Web Hosting | | | | |
| Newsletter | \$16.48 | \$306.05 | \$670 | \$503 |
| Membership | \$0.00 | \$194.73 | \$230 | \$173 |
| Miscellaneous | | | | |
| insurance | | | | |
| Administrative & Board Meeting | \$0.00 | \$87.40 | \$200 | \$150 |
| Equipment Meeting | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$100 | \$75 |
| Supplies | \$0.00 | \$4.20 | \$100 | \$75 |
| Special – Constitution | | | | |
| Library | \$0.00 | \$175.42 | \$650 | \$488 |
| Toys for Tots | \$0.00 | \$884.92 | \$1,000 | \$750 |
| Total Expense: | \$1,428.19 | \$9,158.21 | \$8,250 | \$6,264 |
| ENDING | | | | |
| Bank Balance | \$4,191.46 | \$4,191.46 | \$3,258 | \$3,994 |
| Petty Cash | \$86.00 | \$86.00 | \$86 | \$86 |
| Bank Balance + Petty Cash | \$4,277.46 | \$4,277.46 | \$3,344 | \$4,080 |

Membership

| | |
|----------------|-----|
| Total Members: | 190 |
| New Members: | 1 |
| Dropped: | 13 |
| Renewals: | 13 |

The Presidents Corner

By Fred Ford

I have just completed a two-day workshop on hand plane skills and techniques taught by Bill Anderson. I must report it was superior in every way to any of our professionally taught sessions. Thanks, Bill for all the hard work you put into a memorable weekend.

There are three areas that need the attention of all members: membership, programs for 2007, and Toys for Tots.

We announced a goal to reach 250 members by 2007, and the board has been taking action to facilitate the drive for new members. The latest is the publication in numerous newspapers of the details of our general meetings. Thank you, Jane and Charlie Main, for your extra effort managing the Publicity Committee.

To be successful, however, we need YOU! I am starting a roster of guests hosted by members and highlighting those who become new members. Please make sure your name makes the list.

Cecil Raynor is kicking off the effort to plan the programs for next year. Please heed his request for input. Good input helps in the delivery of what you want and need in the programs and workshops.

Last is my favorite, Toys for Tots. I will be asking for sign-ups in June and July aiming at an August start of the workshops. As always, this sign-up conveys no commitment. When I set the dates with the hosts for all of the workshops I will call to see if you want to participate in particular workshops.

REMEMBER

- Bring a guest to a general meeting
- Give Cecil input for programs for 2007
- Sign up for Toys for Tots workshops

Triangle Woodworkers Association Minutes

Tuesday, May 16, 2006

Attendance: 46

Guests: **Wayne Simons**, Cary

New Members: none

New Business:

1. **Bruce Wrenn** described a router template style jig to cut the front or back rail of a tablesaw cutoff sled.
2. Bruce Wrenn announced a field trip to Woodworkers Supply in Graham will be held on June 20, from 7:30 to 9 pm. This will supplant the regular meeting.
3. **Bruce Wrenn** announced that a **Ms. Singleton** (919-489-0404) has several power tools for sale

including: 15" North State planer with extra knives, complete Shopsmith (tablesaw, bandsaw, jointer, sanding disc), a DeWalt biscuit joiner and a Makita 9.6V drill.

Program:

Jeff Leimbeger introduced **Bill Anderson**, who presented a program on handplane tuneup, blade sharpening, and on the various types of handplanes that can be used in the shop.

Respectfully submitted,
Bill Anderson, Secretary

Friday, April 21, 2006

Attendance: 49

Guests: **Dave VanNess**, **Henry Dunstan**, Edenton

New Members: **Guy LNU**

New Business:

1. **Charlie and Jane Main** will be the publicity chairpersons.
2. **Bruce Wrenn** demonstrated the use of an automobile valve pushrod as a scraper burnisher
3. **Kaye Baker** called for a volunteer to run the raffles.
4. **Bruce Wrenn** announced a new policy regarding member discounts at Woodworker's Supply in Graham..
5. **Bill Anderson** announced the upcoming Handplane Skills and Techniques Workshop, scheduled for May 20-21..
6. **Pete Kasper** announced that Rockler's in Greensboro will be giving a 10% discount to members.
7. **Bob Gabor** announced that 1 1/8" MDF, 5X9 foot sheets, are available for \$5/sheet from Habitat for Humanity on Hwy 65 near the courthouse in Pittsboro.

Program:

Jeff Leimberger introduced **Garret Hack**, who presented a program his work. Garret is a contributing editor to Fine Woodworking. He spends about 50% of his time making high end furniture. He lives on a working one-horse farm in New England. His program was on how he organized his work in his workshop, and details of his shop construction and on his harvesting of lumber. Garret also described the 2-day workshop he will be presenting this weekend.

Respectfully submitted,
Bill Anderson, Secretary

TWA Election Process

Submitted by Fred Ford

Each year we elect new members to the board. This year we will be electing two members. One nominee is to fill Sig Johnson's post, and one is to fill Mike Reddyhoff's post. Both have served with merit. Thank you Sig and Mike for your help and continuing support of the club. We elect members to fill a three year term on the board. Members may not serve consecutive terms. At the June general meeting I will be receiving nominations from the floor and the nominating committee. The nominating committee has identified two members that are willing to serve. All nominees must give their prior consent to be nominated.

Nominees will be posted in the July Newsletter and they will be introduced at the July general meeting. The election will be held at the August general meeting. Members may vote by absentee ballot by sending a signed letter to the President postmarked seven days prior to the election.

Program Planning for 2007 underway

Your program committee will be meeting in June to lay plans for the 2007 TWA program. Cecil Raynor, the Program Committee Chairman, is interested in receiving suggestions regarding program topics and recommended speakers from individual TWA members with the intention of making the 2007 program one of the best yet. Rather than conducting another survey this year the Program Committee will use the surveys from the last two years for general guidance with specific recommendations from the committee and TWA members. Send your suggestions to Cecil Raynor via email at raynorc@bellsouth.net or via snail mail at 1508 Briarwood Place, Raleigh, NC 27614

Handplane Workshops

TWA Club member Bill Anderson will be conducting three workshops at the Woodcraft Store on Glenwood Ave. in Raleigh in the coming months. Contact Tom Ferone at Woodcraft (781-1911 or 274-3508) for further details and to sign up. All essential tools and materials will be supplied, though participants may be asked to bring some tools of their own.

Make a Krenov Style Smoothing Plane, June 25 and 26

This will be a two day workshop on making a smoothing plane in the James Krenov style. We will make the

plane from well-seasoned maple, with a dense hardwood sole. Each plane will have a Hock blade. Participants will make a plane blade adjusting hammer as well. The class will conclude with instruction on sharpening the plane blades and will include some hands on practice with the plane on hardwood.

Rough to Ready, July 8

This will be a one day workshop on developing handplane skills to surface and dimension a piece of rough stock and bring it to a state ready for a finish. The class will include instruction on plane types, tuning, and sharpening of plane blades. Participants will use scrub, jointer, smoother and block planes as well as various layout and gauging tools including winding sticks, straight edges, marking and panel gauges.

Sharpening Handtools, July 16

This will be a one day workshop on all aspects of power and hand sharpening of handtools including planes, chisels and specialty blades. We will have hands on work with and evaluate the slow speed grinder, Tormek, and Makita systems, as well as all types of sharpening stones (Japanese, Shapton, Norton oil stones, diamond stones, ceramic stones). Participants will have the opportunity to sharpen several of their own plane blades and chisels using the different systems and stones. There will be some demonstration and discussion of tool steel, bevels and care and maintenance of sharpening stones..

Porter Cable Router Recall

-Submitted by Noel Butzke

Porter-Cable has recalled some models of their new 890 line of routers. If anyone has one covered by the attached serial numbers, you can take it to the service center on Capital Blvd. and they will exchange the motor on the spot. If your serial number falls within the sequence, your motor will be replaced free of charge by a factory branch or authorized service center nearest you.

| MODEL | SERIAL |
|-------|-------------------|
| 891 | = 010001 - 024647 |
| 892 | = 010001 - 068442 |
| 893PK | = 010001 - 068442 |
| 894PK | = 010001 - 024647 |
| 895PK | = 010001 - 068442 |
| 8902 | = 010001 - 068442 |

Please note if you have an 890 heavy duty router, refer to the name plate and check your serial number against the serial number sequence listed for model 8902.

Club Candids

Photos by Ron Heidenreich

May Presenter – Bill Anderson



Bill describing parts of a plane

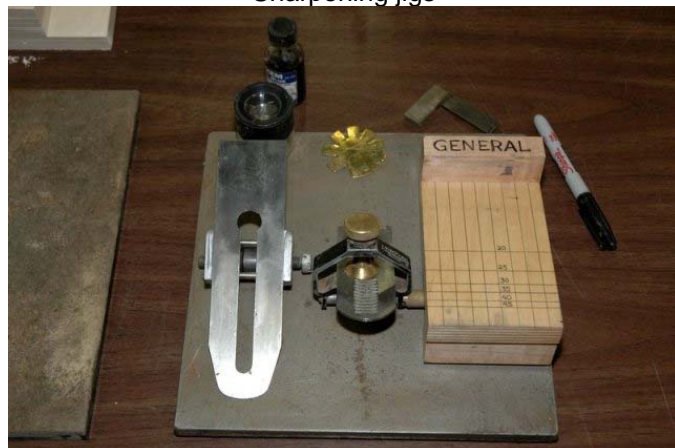
Some of Bill's many handplanes



Bill on a roll!!!



Sharpening jigs



Midwest Tool Collectors Association Meeting

The annual joint Midwest Tool Collectors Association (MWTCA) and Early American Industry Association (EAIA) meeting will be held at Ed Hobbs' Farm in Raleigh on Saturday July 22 2006. As in the past, all TWA members that are not MWTCA and/or EAIA members are invited to attend. Over 240 people attended in 2005.

For those of you who may not be aware, MWTCA is for more than just tool collectors. M-WTCA offers everyone who is interested in antique/traditional hand tools an opportunity to learn more about tools, to buy and sell tools and to interact with others that share this interest.

This year's meeting will begin officially, rain or shine, at 8 AM (some early birds will get here at daybreak) with tool buying/selling/trading. We will have about 45 dealer tables set up under a tent and an equal number of people tailgating under the shade trees. You will be able to find a wide variety of antique and traditional tools for sale at reasonable prices. Coffee, donuts, water and soft drinks will be served in addition to lunch as a part of your registration fee.

The program at 10 AM will be by Ross Morcomb and John Williams on early Baltimore plane makers. Ross and John have done a lot of research into where and how these craftsmen worked and how their planes evolved over the years. After the program, there will be a good old catered pig picken with all the fixings.

When lunch is over, there will be a tool auction open to everyone. There is no buyer's premium. This auction typically has a wide selection of collectable as well as "user grade" antique and traditional tools plus a lot of other "stuff" you just can't live without.

Our policy for guests is to allow them to attend for \$15 for one time to see what goes on and to find out about the benefits of belonging to MWTCA and/or EAIA. If you have attended as a guest before and wish to attend again as a guest you are welcome, however, you will be charged the full meeting cost of \$20.

To ensure we have adequate food, beverages and facilities, we are again requiring pre-registration. Please complete the form below and send it in so it is received by July 10. To get to the farm, take Exit 299 (Lake Wheeler Rd) off of I-40/440 in Raleigh. Go out of town. You will go about 2 miles and cross over Tryon Rd. Continue on Lake Wheeler Rd for ¾ mile then turn left on Inwood Rd. Go ¾ mile and farm is on left. Please park on the road. Ed Hobbs, 4417 Inwood Rd, Raleigh, NC 27603-3315 Tele 828-2754 E-mail hobbased@portbridge.com

Return this form with your check made out to MWTCA Area Q to the address above by July 10. If this is your first time attending, enclose \$15 for each person. If you have been here before, please enclose \$20 for each person.

Name of TWA member(s)

TOTAL ENCLOSED: _____

Classified Ads

Classified ads are free to all current members. Ads will run for two issues. If you would like something listed, please send a note to the editor at: TriangleWoodworkers@yahoo.com

For Sale: SHOPSMITH ER Serial # ER35392 with 1/2 HP single phase motor. Includes Stand, Lathe Tool Holder, Lathe drive center and dead center, Miter, Fence, Blade Guard, Jacobs Chuck, 6" buffing wheel, 5" dado blade with 6 chipper blades, arbor for buffing wheel or dado blade, 2 1/2" 3" drum sander with extra sleeves, 12" aluminum Sanding Disk, 8" saw blade. PRICE \$300.00 or call with best offer. 919-368-3382

Free to the purchaser of the Makita LS1030 miter saw owners manual bought at a TWA auction. Found during a rare workshop cleaning session. Email: jjflash46@bellsouth.net. Will bring to club meeting, or mail.

Interested in antique/traditional woodworking tools? To find out about Mid-West Tool Collectors Association, contact Ed Hobbs at 828-2754 or hobbased@portbridge.com (99/99)

July Meeting

The July meeting will focus upon furniture design, with Denese Grohs as the featured presenter. Denise has been an active professional woodworker and furniture maker since 1976. In 1982, she opened her custom woodworking business, Miter's Touch, where fine custom furniture and cabinets are built, along with a continually growing collection of art furniture. She is an adjunct Instructor at Appalachian State University and has taught Advanced Woodworking (2002). In recent years, Denise participated in art and woodworking shows, lectured at Appalachian State Univ., and appeared in panel discussions about art furniture at NCSU Visual Art Center. In the past, she taught materials/methods classes ASU Art Dept. She is a member of the Furniture Society, High Country Home Builders Assn., Hands Gallery. Host: Cecil Raynor.

TWA Sponsors

Ashcroft Saws and Tools 876-3223
3216-G Wellington Ct, Raleigh, NC
25% off list on blades and 10% off on sharpening

Capitol City Lumber Co. 832-6492
4216 Beryl Road, Raleigh, NC 1-800-244-6492
Special prices to TWA members
<http://www.capitolcitylumber.com/>

The Hardwood Store 1-888-445-7335
Gibsonville, NC
Discount: 10 cents per board foot
www.hardwoodstore.com

Guy C. Lee Building Materials 362-1444
900 N. Salem St., Apex, NC

Klingspor's Woodworking Shop
(919) 876-0707
3141 Capital Blvd. (.9 mile N of Beltline exit 11)
(10% discount excluding lumber and power tools)
www.woodworkingshop.com

Nice Figures Studio and Lumber Sales
1413 New Hope Trace
Chapel Hill, NC 27516
Phone: 919-923-1433
information@nicefigures.com
contact: Paula Labelle
10% discount, and contribute to the raffle

Professional Tool Manufacturing
www.drilldoctor.com

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Contact wms@prototoolmfg.com with any questions.

Raleigh Hardwood Center 231-6620
4213 Poole Rd, exit 15 off 440 Raleigh, NC
(10% discount all non-sale items)
www.hardwoodgroup.com

Raleigh Saw 832-2248
5805 C Departure, Raleigh, NC 27616
(10% discounts on all new products)

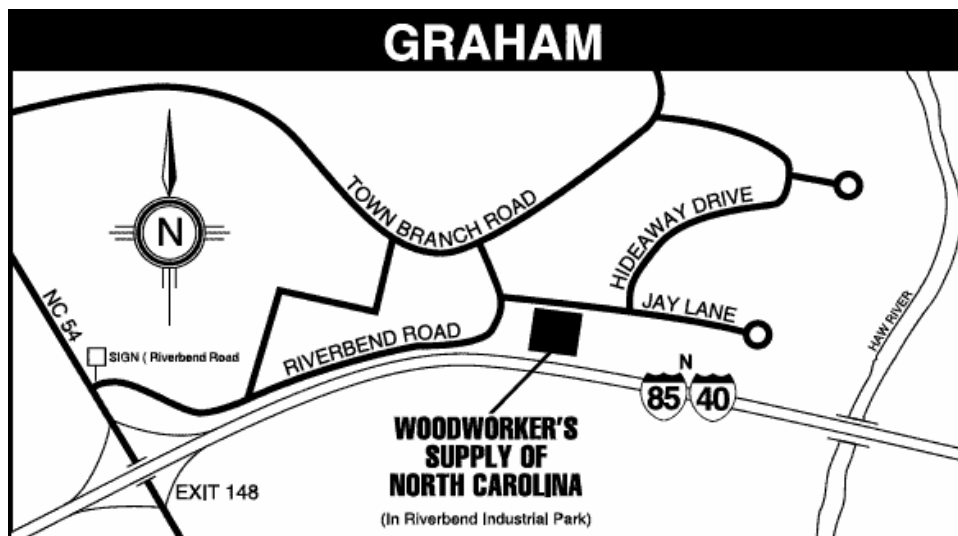
Stock Building Company 828-7471
3000 Yonkers Rd
Hwy. 64 & Old US 1

Tarheel Wood Treating Co. 467-9176
Highway 54, Morrisville, NC
(Contractors prices on all wood products)
Show TWA card before order is written

Woodcraft
6582 Glenwood Ave
Raleigh, NC 27612
Phone: 919-781-1911
<http://www.woodcraft.com/stores/store.aspx?id=532>
Supplier of monthly raffle gift certificates

Woodworker's Supply of NC
1125 Jay Lane, Graham, NC
store (336) 578-0500
mail order 1-800-645-9292
www.woodworker.com

Yarnell-Hoffer Hardware 942-3500
145 Rams Plaza, Chapel Hill, NC
www.doitbest.com/yh
10% discount except power tools and sale items



New Member Application

Complete and mail to:

Triangle Woodworkers Association
P.O. Box 4206
Cary, North Carolina 27519-4206

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Spouse's name, if joining (fee is \$1.00): _____

Club dues are payable August 1st of each year. New members joining after that time remit dues based upon their application date as indicated in the following schedule to cover the remainder of the current year:

| Application Date | Received Printed Newsletter | Receive E-mail Newsletter |
|------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 8/1 – 10/31 | 35.00 | 30.00 |
| 11/1 – 1/31 | 26.25 | 22.50 |
| 2/1 – 4/30 | 17.50 | 15.00 |
| 5/1 - 7/31 | 8.75 | 7.50 |

Check # _____

Cash Amount _____ (Do not send cash through mail!)

Privacy Opt-Outs: Please Do NOT Publish My Phone Number Email Address on Membership lists. (Note: This means your phone and email information will be used only for club correspondence by club officers and committee chairman)

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