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#### **Next Meeting:**

December 12<sup>th</sup>, 2006 The Woodworking Shop 3141 Capital Boulevard Raleigh, NC

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

## 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm

### December Meeting – Toys for Tots and Show and Tell Social

The December meeting is going to be a meeting and social. We want everyone to bring a spouse or friend. We are going to have coffee, soft drinks, and dessert. We will have some time to socialize, have a brief business meeting, and then have a show and tell featuring the Toys for Tots donations and anything you would like to bring to share with the group The Marine Corps will be there to receive the toys and to add a spot of color to our meeting.

If you have not gotten into the Christmas spirit by the meeting I am sure you will get the sprit after you see all the toys going to the children.

There will be no raffle at the December meeting.

Host: Fred Ford

#### **January 16th Meeting**

The program on Tuesday will be an overview of the process for making a hand pane. While the emphasis will be on Krenov-style hand planes, tools and methods for making traditional molding planes will also be discussed and demonstrated.

The workshop on Saturday and Sunday is titled Making a Krenov-Style Hand plane. In this 2 day workshop we will make a smoothing plane. This style of plane is based on that made popular by James Krenov of the School of the Redwoods in Mendocino, CA. This style of construction lends itself to adaptation to meet many needs of the hand tool woodworker. The plane will be made of maple with an exotic hardwood sole. The blade will be a Hock blade with cap iron. There will be instruction on smoothing plane technique. All participants will leave the class with a completed plane

but which will need final shaping to their hand and a finish.



#### **Krenov Smoothing Plane Workshop**

In this workshop, we will make a smoothing plane in the style popularized by James Krenov of the School of the Redwoods. The plane will be made of hard maple with rosewood sole. It will have a Hock blade and capiron, and a shaped crosspin of rosewood as well. We will make a plane blade adjusting hammer with a cherry handle and a brass head. There will be time to practice honing your plane blade and on developing a handplane technique. There will be hardwoods to practice planning on.

Everyone will complete a plane that is both functional and beautiful. Finals shaping of the body and applying a finish will be activities outside of the workshop, however. The cost of the workshop is \$100. The majority of this cost is for the materials, which will be of the highest quality. The club will also reimburse Tom for the cost of heating his shop and for the cost of transportation of his workbenches. Anything left over will go towards refreshments, etc. This class is scheduled for the weekend of January 20 at Tom Ferone's workshop in Raleigh.

I have decided to make this a one-day workshop rather than 2 days. It will be a long day, however, from 9 am to probably 6 pm or possibly later. There will be a lot to cover and much work to do. Those interested in taking this workshop must submit their payment on or before the December meeting so that materials can be purchased. There will be no refunds after the December meeting.

Class size will be limited to 10 participants. (note: this is NOT the Handplane Skills and Techniques class that some of you are signed up for in January as well! That workshop is currently scheduled for January 13 and 14. – Submitted by Bill Anderson

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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.

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

**December 31, 2006** 

#### By the Numbers

#### **Treasurer's Report**

Beginning Bank Balance \$4,171.45 Income (incl. Auction bids) \$725.00 Expense ( " " & TFT ) \$2,029.40 Ending Bank Balance \$2,867.05

Respectfully submitted, Pete Kasper

Treasurer

#### Membership

Total Members: 179
New Members: 1
Dropped: 5
Renewals: 1

#### The Presidents Corner

By Fred Ford

We are about to conclude a very good year. I believe this past years programs may be the best set we have had. It is hard to identify the best program. I think as our professional speakers were skunked by our local talent. We had notable nationally known speakers such as Garrett Hack, Denise Grohs, and Jeff Jewett. We also had our own members Bruce Wrenn and Bill Anderson. I know who I like the most but I leave it to you to choose your preference. What I am sure of is we had a very impressive set of speakers. I would like to thank Cecil Raynor and his committee for an excellent job. Next years programs looks like a challenge for best as well.



Please make the Toys for Tots social if at all possible. Many members have worked hard to produce hundreds of toys. This is an opportunity to recognize their efforts as well as socialize with members you may not have had time to talk with during our normal busy meetings. We will have time at this meeting to talk to each other.

Don't forget to bring a friend to the meeting with you.

#### **Missing Membership Records**



Ever have one of these days?!

Last month, the hard drive on my computer failed. As I do fairly regular backups, I did not lose much. Thank heavens! However, I did lose record of new members and renewals since October 1<sup>st</sup>. Thanks to Pete Kasper, I will be able to recover some activity. However, if you joined since October 1<sup>st</sup> please send me an email with the following information:

Name, address, phone number, whether you elected email notice of newsletter and if known, the date and check number used to pay for your membership. I would also like to know if you received your name and membership card as well. Send the email to:

Trianglewoodworkers@yahoo.com

Thanks so very much.

Rick

#### Triangle Woodworkers Association Minutes Tuesday, November 21, 2006

Attendance: 37

Guests:

Jonathan LNU, Chapel Hill Paul Chamberlain, Raleigh

New Members: none

**New Business:** 

- Cecil Raynor stated that the Spray Basics handout from Jeff Jewitt's workshop would be put on the TWA website. Also the sample kit of dyed wooden plates would be placed in the TWA library for members to check out.
- 2. **Bill Anderson** announced that the December meeting date will be the deadline for signing up for the "Making a Krenov-Style Smoothing Plane" to be held workshop in January in conjunction with that month's program. The workshop will be 1 day, and will cost \$100. The majority of that workshop cost is for materials

- and supplies for each plane. This deadline is necessary so that materials can be ordered prior to the workshop.
- 3. **Fred Ford** announced the Toys for Tots social and show-and-tell for the next meeting. This meeting will be one week early, on December 12. Bring snacks and deserts to share.

Ed Karolak introduced the evening's program. This program was the annual tool auction. Phil Bright was the auctioneer, and Dick Snow was the computer guru. 37 items were up for auction. The lowest bid item was a set of 10 drawer pulls for \$2.50. The highest bid item was for \$40 for a portable dust collector. Three items did not meet their reserve: a portable 6" jointer, a tap and die set, and a pair of antique drawknives. Other items auctioned off included several sets of magazines, some hand planes, saw blades, and an orbital sander.

Respectfully submitted, Bill Anderson, Secretary.

#### **Club Candids**

Photos by Ron Heidenrach



The photo montage above contains shots from the popular club tool & accessories auctions held each November. The annual event allow members to "recycle" some of the tools and equipment they no longer use, and others pick up those "must haves" at a nice, discounted price!

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#### **Highlighting Our Sponsors**

#### **Wurth Wood Group**

Raleigh Hardwoods has a new name as of Oct. 1: The Wurth Wood Group purchased Raleigh Hardwoods (and sister stores) in 1999 and recently changed the store name. There are 10 other Wurth Wood Group stores located from Atlanta to Baltimore.



Wurth Wood Group - Raleigh is located at 4213 Poole Road just East of I440. Phone: (919)231-6620, Fax. (919)231-9687. Store hours are 7:30 am to 4 pm weekdays and 8 am to noon on Saturdays. Wurth's website is http://wurthwoodgroup.com.



The store is a supplier to cabinet makers, hobbyists, and furniture makers. Staffing the sales desk are Carolyn White (cwhite@wurthwoodgroup.com) and Shaun Members. (Continued on next page)

TWA members get a discount at Wurth and see Carolyn for special discounts on materials for Toys for Tots projects. Wurth supplied the baltic birch plywood used for this year's jigsaw puzzles at Bill Anderson's workshop.

The largest sections of Wurth Wood group -Raleigh's warehouse holds sheet goods like plywood, coated plywood, melamine board, baltic birch plywood, and many more types.



There is no panel saw but if you bring your own saw there is an area where you can break down sheet goods for transport.



Wurth distributes the M. L. Campbell line of professional finishes including stains, clear coatings, and pigmented top coats.

Greg Donnelly is the finishing technician who also teaches classes every couple of months.

Blum, Berenson, and Amerock are brands of the extensive stock of hinges, knobs, and handles. Wurth offers Freud power tools, blades, bits, and more.

S2S hardwood lumber is stocked and you are encouraged to pick the boards that exactly suit your project.

Wurth does not offer milling services and no longer carries flooring.



This large rack holds many sheets of laminate.

Submitted by Mike Payst

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#### **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: 14" Varible speed Delta lathe 40" cast iron bed on steel stand. Will deliver with in 40 miles of Sanford. <a href="mailto:mwaynehayes@msn.com">mwaynehayes@msn.com</a> \$ 500.00.

For Sale: Panal Saw, older model works great. FOB Sanford (Need trailer to haul) \$400.00. Max Hayes 919-774-9526, <a href="mayes@msn.com">mwaynehayes@msn.com</a>

For Sale: 1" thick 13" diameter hardwood shop stool seats. \$ 3.00 each or 4 each for \$10.00. Can be used for kerosine lamp holders, picture frames, cutting board, wood wheels. ???? <a href="maynehayes@msn.com">mwaynehayes@msn.com</a>

**Drill Doctor Discount:** Professional Tool manufacturing (www.drilldoctor.com) will give any member making an online purchase of a Drill Doctor a 25% discount. Must use the coupon code: TWAi. Contact wms@protoolmfg.com if you have any questions.

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

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