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TWA Welcomes Mark Todd

Tuesday

November **19th**, 2013

6:55 PM

at the Woodworking Shop
3141 Capital Boulevard, Raleigh, NC

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

Topic: Designing with Curves

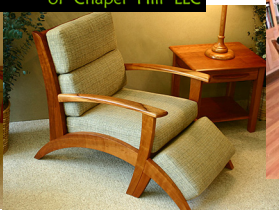
Mark Todd owns Hill Country Woodworks with his business partner, Will Bucher. For nearly forty years, Hill Country Woodworks has designed and handcrafted furniture of uncommon quality and beauty. Mark and Will took over the operation a few years ago. They offer an array of standard pieces and custom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

Mark incorporates curves in his work using several construction methods. These include cutting curves from flat stock and bent lamination. Mark will discuss how he designs furniture that moves beyond the rectilinear form when the urge strikes.

Host: Jeff Leimberger



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Membership News

I will still be collecting dues at meetings but if your check is mailed to me ahead of time I can process your membership and have your badge ready.

Dues are as follows. Email newsletter \$40.00. Hard copy \$50.00 (for those grandfathered in). Spouse \$1.00. Checks to "Triangle Woodworkers Association", mail to Kay Baker at 610 Benfield Ct., Garner, NC 27529.

Thank you all for your support of TWA!
Sharing our love of wood!

Membership Chairman:

Kay Baker

Incentive

Here is how it works, bring a friend, family member, co-worker, neighbor, to our monthly meeting and receive a raffle ticket for the gift card drawing. Convince this person to join and you will receive \$5.00 off your next years dues.

When your guest signs up with Kay you will need to let Kay know to you brought this member to us. I will be keeping the listing of members who are to receive the \$5.00 reduction in dues. If you get 8 people to join -- your membership is paid in full.

So bring all your friends!!

Diane

"A few days ago I walked along the edge of the lake and was treated to the crunch and rustle of leaves with each step I made. The acoustics of this season are different and all sounds, no matter how hushed, are as crisp as autumn air." ~ Eric Sloane

November 7th

Starts Dear Santa Letter week



About the Triangle Woodworkers Association (TWA)

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

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Triangle Woodworkers Association

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Cary, NC 27519-4206

BY THE NUMBERS

Treasurer's Report

Beginning Bank Balance:	\$8,054.10
Income:	\$934.00
Expense:	\$324.50
Ending Bank Balance:	\$8,663.60

Note: figures exclude petty cash & other "slush" funds.

Note: \$1910.00 in Toys for Tots (personal & raffle) donations.

Submitted by: Hugh Fish

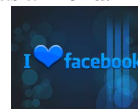


TWA is on Facebook



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.

I am adding many of the photos from events to our Facebook page - many of these I cannot fit into the newsletter. Be sure to look for new items.



NEW MEMBER WELCOME

We welcome **1** new members this month.

Jerry Rhodes of Durham

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

Announcement

Pete Bucki is our Hospitality Chairman and would like any news of illness or misfortune or better yet something really good happening to one of our members -- Please contact Pete so he can share.

Pete can be reached at: (919) 380-8860
peteb301@att.net



Free Plans

<http://freewoodworkingplan.com/>

<http://www.woodworkersworkshop.com>

<http://www.freeww.com/>

<http://www.woodprojects.com/>

<http://www.backyardspaces.com/porchswings.html>

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Diane's TidBits



"November's sky is chill and drear, November's leaf is red and sear."

~ Sir Walter Scott

Is it cold enough for everyone? Growing up in the mountains of Pennsylvania, marching in both band & drum corps, wearing a school uniform that consisted of a skirt, I always thought I was immune to cold. I guess I have been in NC too long. I am cold!!! Time to get out the heated mattress pad.

My little shop is coming along. I have recently added more machinery and a bunch of wood which has caused an instant space issue. I am designing a wood rack that will attach to the wall and am utilizing the rafter space for items that just need storage - a place to be. After several hours of arrang-

ing the shop and organizing tools on my peg board, it is now obvious that progress is being made. I was able to finish the day by making a couple of shelves for the house without having to move one tool/saw to use another. That was awesome.

Several members who have not been attending our monthly meetings have expressed interest in joining us. The problem they are having in coming however is that they need to car pool. For many different reasons such as getting older, eyesight issues at night, our deer population at this time of year, and cost of gas on fixed incomes are just a few. It would be great if folks could connect and work out bringing these members with you when you come. I know that we have a need in the Creedmoor and Wake Forest areas. If you live in either of these areas or close to them and would be willing to help a fellow member

get to a few meetings -- please let me or Kay Baker know.

Thanksgiving free patterns suitable for carving, woodburning (pyrography), intarsia or scrollsaw ideas. This free woodworking plans and projects information is a good source for cornucopia, pumpkin, Puritan and other related Thanksgiving Day patterns.

Jim Barry's

WoodworkersWorkshop.com

"Not what we say about our blessings, but how we use them, is the true measure of our thanksgiving."

Till next time...

Diane



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Wood Toy News

<http://www.toymakingplans.com/website/News/Wood-Toy-News.html>

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Frustrated by inaccurate cuts from large 4' x 8' panels?

Download this months newsletter for tips on how to achieve each and every time.

http://toymakingplans.com/website/News/11-13-13_Wood-Toy-News.pdf



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You'll receive a confirmation email with a link to this week's Wood Toy News. You'll also receive a free email subscription to Wood Toy News, plus Members Only Special Offers and New Product Announcements.

We release new toy plans weekly!

Pete's Updates & Info

Here is an auction item too large to bring to the meeting. The item is located in Chapel Hill.

The successful bid will need to arrange transportation. Bids will be accepted at the November meeting with all proceeds to benefit Toys for Tots.

25 year old Jet 14" band saw with 6" riser. I also have an assortment of band saw blades, 93" and 105".

Worth maybe \$200 to contribute along with some vacuum blast gates, etc.



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Meeting Minutes

October 2013

President Diane Philyaw greeted members and guests and started the meeting with her traditional meet & greet.

Announcements:

- Next month (November 9th) is last T4T (Toys for Tots) at Bill's workshop, Sue Eckard is "closing up shop".
- Kay Baker is working very hard to institute a new policy for calculating attendance at the TWA by having us turn in our badges at the end of the meeting.
- We now have a card reader to take credit cards for memberships and donations.
- Members agree that it is "welcoming" to have Kay at the entrance to Klingspor handing out the (collected) badges and greeting every person coming through the door.
- Don't forget our speaker is Mark Todd next month, a nationally known woodworker.
- Our calendar nearly complete for 2014 including 4 workshops. See newsletter page 6 of the newsletter.
- We are collecting donations for T4T tonight, the goal being to collect \$200, which Mark Keglers will match. Mark Kegler has a co-op shop of 11,000 square feet in Raleigh with multiple craftsmen, Mark specializes in architectural moldings.
- 9 lifetime members, 3 are active. Diane, Ed & Tina Mastin are active. The wife of one of our founding father is kept up to date with club activities. The policy of lifetime members ended with Diane's induction in 2001 there are no plans to enroll anyone else in this program. Lifetime members are not a club liability

Show and Tell:

- One of our new members Mac McCarson brought a show and tell for us, a device called a jack clamp-a hoist, a jack and a clamp made by the Lerner Thomas tool company.
- Diane demonstrated a handy socket wrench that has multiple size apertures enclosed in a small hand-held device.

Program: "there is nothing final about a mistake except it's being taken as final"

Pete Bucky introduced the topic for the evening of "Mistakes We Have Made and Corrected".

First demo was Mac's double locking mortise and tenon table with accessory shelves/bench. It was made as an accessory to a changing table. It was a very attractive piece easily disassembled and assembled.



Fred Ford demonstrated a step stool made with hand cut dovetails-a gap in the mortise can be filled with a wedge of wood that is tapered and forced in the gap.

Fred also brought his furniture restoration kit, he places a glass plate on any furniture (wood) he is refinishing and mixes the color to match on top of the glass. Ingenious! He uses oil based artist paint to get the match.

Diane brought a plaque started by her dad that needs carving/finishing, she needs advice on how to proceed.



We broke for refreshments.

Bernie Brogdon next demonstrated a woodcarving problem, involving a knot (as an aside he mentioned that it is often easy to deviate intentionally or unintentionally in carving) and a gnome. The knot in the wood extended to the eye he was creating and left a defect. He thought of several fixes and presented this to the membership for a vote! Bernie will carve a "pirate" eye patch for the defect! He put in a plug for the Woodcarver's Association, which meets on the 2nd Sunday of the month at Klingspor from 2-4pm.



Jeff talked about the damage he did to his cutting board with a tool and discussed patching: important issues are grain and color, inlay, also the shape of the inlay. Important to consider the finishes affect on the wood too! Laminating the surface will hide the defect, Cecil Raynor contributed. Making the problem symmetrical will also some-

times conceal the defect.

Pete demonstrated a table he made for his house. He said the top was from a piece of wood that had split and he had glued, but you could not see the split in the finished piece. He also spoke about his error in measurement as the width varies from end to end. The moral of the story is as usual, don't rush, measure twice and dry fit everything! You couldn't tell from our angle.



Respectfully submitted by: Janet Batker Secretary

Toys for Tots

Status Report by Fred Ford

"Dull November brings the blast, Then the leaves are
whirling fast."
~~ Sara Coleridge

Sue, you have been a pillar to both the club and the toys for tots effort. Your workshops will be sorely missed. Thanks is not enough to express our emotion.

The Creedmoor workshops this year will represent 61 days out of a total 256 days spent in Toys for Tots workshops through out the TWA. The other 195 workshop days are spread over seven other locations.

One of those seven locations is Bob Gabor's Workshop that is now going into production to make some tote boxes that are shown in the picture below.



November is looking to be a very productive month. Keep up work and lets make this a banner year.

Committee Chairman:

Fred Ford – 24th year of dedication to Toys for Tots



One of the benefits of Sue & Diane's shop is the number of woodworkers who can work at one time.



At the September T4T workshop Sue had everyone put a face on a wooden pumpkin she had cut in order to make this wreath for her door. We have some talent among us!



Quality Control Staff taking a break.

In this status report want to recognize Sue Eckard, a wonderful and giving person. For more than a dozen years she has hosted multiple workshops (each year) in her late husband Bill's Shop. During Bill's life his passion for wood pushed him to opened his own business which he named "Bill's Woodshed". For many years Bill and



Sue working hard in her kitchen.

Sue worked together creating some beautiful items and they traveled the craft circuit appearing at various shows all over the country. Bill's love of God and his family helped him create a line of both religious items and children's toys. Wife Sue and daughter Diane (our club president) kept the business alive for many years after Bill's passing till both were struck with health issues.

Bill passed in 1998. He was a very active club member and was devoted to the T4T program.

He asked his family to honor a dying wish and host one (1) T4T works shop in his shop.

I believe he would be VERY proud of his girls. During the October workshop we passed the 20,000 toy bench mark. We have had 3 additional workshops since then and it would not surprise me if the total number ends up being over 21,000 toys. That is a lot of love & giving.



assembly crew, one of who made the 20,000th toy. From left to right they are, Ed Mastin, Tina Mastin, Louis Gregson, Pete Hodges, and Julie Arnold

Over the years Sue has given hundreds of dollars in tools and supplies used by our program, but the most popular gift has been the lunch time meals. Participants in Creedmoor workshops have been treated to a wonderful homemade meal - very often making it difficult to get back to work -- but work we did.

HOST	LOCATION	DATE	# MEMBERS NEEDED
TerryTenhouse	His Shop	Set by members 6 days	6
Cicil Raynor	His Shop	Set by members 6 days	6
Bob Gabor	His Shop	Set by members 6 days	6
Diane, Sue & Fred	Creedmoor	September 28th	14
Diane, Sue & Fred	Creedmoor	October 12th	14
Diane, Sue & Fred	Creedmoor	November 9th	14
Allen Campbell	Klingspor	December 7th	12
Don Frankfurter	his shop	16 days at random	16
Alex Knittel	his shop	16 days at random	16
Jim Rhodes	his shop	16 days at random	16
53 TOTAL VOLUNTEERS	TOTAL WORKSHOP DAYS		251

Upcoming Events

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<i>Month</i>	<i>Program</i>	<i>Speaker</i>	<i>Workshop</i>
November 19 th	Designing with Curves	Mark Todd	none
December 10 th	Toys for Tots	Fred Ford/Roy Underhill	none
January 24 th	Awesome Birdhouses	Don Stevenson	January 25 th
February 18 th	Blacksmithing for woodworkers	Peter Ross	
March 18 th	Design of benches	Kerry Hudson	
April 18 th	TBD	Garrett Hack	April 19 th & 20 th
May 23 rd	Pyrography	Michele Parsons	
June 17 th	??		
July 15 th	Finishing	Jay Cash	
August 22 nd	A Chairmaker's Realm/Chair design, Cutting tools workshop	Brian Boggs	August 23 rd & 24 th
Spetember 15 th	Carving Wooden Utensils	Jay Speetjens	
October 24 th	TBD	Michael Fortune	October 25 th & 26 th
November 18 th	??		
December 9 th	Toys for Tots	Fred Ford	

Mentors

The purpose of this program is to have a reference guide of whom to call when you need to “pick someone’s brain”, 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.

<i>Mentor</i>	<i>Service/Skill Offered</i>	<i>Phone Number</i>	<i>Email Address</i>
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 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

Library Info

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.

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 fees owed by a member must be paid before any further materials can be checked out. 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



Sample of 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

Sample of 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

December brings Roy Underhill

Attention Members

Regular Club meetings
begin at 7 PM!

This is our 28th Annual Toys for Tots Pickup. It will be a social with pot luck finger foods and sweet things. A short business meeting. A guest speaker, Roy Underhill. And finally a show and tell presented by workshop host. The host will explain how they made their toys which we will have on display. Ending with the Marine Corps and Us loading the 2,000 plus toys for transport to the Marine Corps Center for distribution.

Our guest speaker needs no introduction for most of us. Roy has been supporting our program for decades and has become a member of our family.



Recently Roy has open a school that teaches the use of hand tools and much more. It is located in Pittsboro NC for our connivence. If you have not taken advantage of this valuable resource I invite you to consider it. Below you will find the web site URL and Roy's introduction of himself that I took from his web site.

THE WOODWRIGHT'S SCHOOL

<http://www.woodwrightschool.com>

Handtool Woodworking with Roy Underhill & Associates

Roy Underhill - A former master craftsman at Colonial Williamsburg, Roy has been teaching traditional hand-tool woodworking for 35 years. Through his books, his television programs, his live presentations and now

the Woodwright's School, he has.... (oh what the hell. All anybody really wants to know is "is this guy as clumsy as he appears on tv?" Well, I've got 24 minutes and 27 seconds to get through the live single take shoot of the show with the director yelling "cut!" and I think he means, you know, for entertainment purposes.

And, yes, I had to get out of Colonial Williamsburg - the constant @%\$#&* fife & drum music did finally get to me! And yes, I know most folks spend their spare time skiing in the money bin and stacking their nobel prizes in the back yard, but no, my big fun is cutting up log jams on Cane Creek and trying to figure out how to insulate another old farm house. When people say tha....) and a member of the Society of American Period Furniture Makers and the Early American Industries Association.



Host: **Fred Ford**