



TWA Newsletter

Next Meeting: Tuesday, June 19, 7:00 pm

Location: SearStone
17001 SearStone Drive
Cary, NC

Topic: Toys-for-Tots Kick-off Dinner

SearStone will host a free buffet dinner for all members and a significant other. The meeting will kick off the 2018 Marines Toys for Tots campaign. After the meal we will discuss the different workshops, the process for getting supplies and wood, and answer any questions about how you can help. TWA is looking for a few more good woodworkers to make toys for tots in our area. Can you pickup and deliver wood? Can you cut it into lengths? Do you know how to use any of these: miter saw, tablesaw, scroll saw, bandsaw, drill press, or sander? If you do, we need you! We have fifteen different groups that are making carts, cars, trains, planes, boats, etc. If you are not already volunteering, please consider helping. All of our toys will be given to the Marines at our December meeting at SearStone. Will this be the year we make 5000 toys for needy children in our area?

We need a headcount for the dinner by June 12th. The menu will include Beef Burgundy, mashed potatoes, green beans, house salad, dessert and beverages.

SearStone is located in Cary at the intersection of High House Road and Davis Drive. (<http://www.searstone.com/index>)

Host: Bob Andrews

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TWA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING—MAY 15, 2018

(meeting minutes: Janet Batker)

George Mills opened the meeting with his usual verve and a few announcements were made. We passed around a sign-up sheet for the June dinner, and again solicited nominations for the offices that will be vacated this year with the hope that we will be voting on these new recruits in June.

Several recent members

and visitors made their presence known; since our move to Cary, there seems to be renewed local interest in the club and Klingspor has made a successful transition here.

Mike Payst showed off his latest vise and Jerry Rhoades showed a table that he recently built during show-and-tell. A raffle was held.



*Mike and Jerry show their latest work
(photos: Fred Ford)*

*George, Jerry and Tommy—a few of the many who
volunteer their time for TWA (photos: Fred Ford)*

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HEALTH OF NC FORESTS — CHRIS FREY

(meeting minutes: Janet Batker)

Our speaker was Chris Frey, a county ranger for the NC Forest service for the Raleigh / Durham area. Chris discussed trees, and the health of our NC forests and the dangers of how pests and diseases are affecting the forests. He is a woodworker himself and has acquired his own sawmill to take advantage of his knowledge base. He talked extensively and expertly about the introduction of foreign insect pests and diseases, which are a huge problem across the world due to global warming and more importantly global trade. He focused on the Emerald Ash Borer and it's drastic effects on Ash trees (he did give a little strategy for saving a valued individual tree). As they say in Jurassic Park, nature will find a way! The bug is quite beautiful. Chris asked for our (the public's) help in reporting problems with trees when we notice anything different about our trees or the pests that we see around them.

Chris brought a lot of literature with him - our government can sure make a nice pamphlet! If you

want to read more on these topics, the USDA , Forest Service Southern Region, has published *Insects and Diseases of Trees in the South*. And the North Carolina Urban Forest Council, whose existence I was unaware of, has published a great little *Tree Owner's Manual*. This manual covers planting and maintenance and educates us on how to do it correctly. I got those myself. Clearly the NC Forest Service is a valuable resource, for those with lots of property and trees, and even for those in an urban neighborhood who want to enjoy the benefits of the forest and the trees.



Chris Frey presenting to the club (photos: Fred Ford)

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

TWA is happy to welcome the following new member:

- Adam Boyette

Ken Serdar, Membership Committee

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Another President, Calvin Coolidge, once said: "No person was ever honored for what he received. He was honored for what he gave." As we kick off our annual Toys-for-Tots toy making efforts, I ask you to keep this message on your mind. **Get involved!** Join one of our workshops or go solo in your own shop. Your heart will be warmed by the thought that you will be providing children you will never meet with a toy that proves to them that someone in this world loves them and gave their time to make a gift for them.

George Mills

UPCOMING MEETING

FRIDAY, JULY 20

Guest Speaker: *Freddy Roman*

Period Furniture

Freddy Roman apprenticed under master craftsmen Philip C. Lowe at the Furniture Institute of Massachusetts in Beverly, MA. After graduating, Freddy has worked for conservation studios and cabinet shops restoring furniture, making built-ins, kitchens, architectural elements, and reproducing museum quality furniture. Freddy has also continued to study in the field of period furniture, restoration, and conservation.

In 2007 Freddy opened a furniture making and restoration studio located in Acton, MA. Freddy is currently working for architects, contractors, private clients, institutions, and

conservation studios. When Freddy isn't working in the studio, he can be found educating the public, teaching and demonstrating across the United States.

He has been published in *Popular Woodworking* and has presented at Woodworking in America.

His website is located here: www.periodcraftsmen.com.

Mr. Roman will be talking about his training, his work and his inspirations. A workshop will be offered on Saturday and Sunday.

Tentative topics for the July 21st and 22nd workshop:

- The art of traditional and modern inlaying
- Different methods of cutting grooves for stringing and cutting out bellflowers
- Making and installing cuff banding, cross banding, cockbeading and square edging
- Hammer veneering and tooting a substrate
- How to sharpen a tooting plane and how to make a cheap tooting plane in a matter of minutes
- How to work with hide glue and veneer
- Use of the scraper to work more efficiently
- Benefits of shellac

Most importantly, this will be a hands-on class! It's the only way you can learn.

Host: *Mark Firley*

TREASURER'S REPORT (APRIL)

Beginning Balance: \$11,559.22

Income: \$220.00

Expense: \$208.92

Ending Balance: \$11,570.30

Does not include Petty Cash of \$86.00

Submitted by Jack Kite, Treasurer

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Mark Firley - Roger Sanwald & Judy Sanwald, Fred Ford, Terry Tenhouse, Allen Campbell, Jeff Leimberger, Terry Brown, Hal Brown, Mike Payst, Bob Nauman, Bob Andrews, Jerry Rhoades

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Fred Ford
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