

## Peoria Area Woodworker's Club Meeting Minutes – June 15, 2011

The Peoria Area Woodworker's Club met on June 1<sup>th</sup> at The Woodworkers Shop in Pekin. There is no meeting in July. **The next meeting will be at 6:30 pm on Wednesday, August 17, 2011 at The Woodworkers Shop in Pekin with a program by Paul Cobb.**

There were 30 members present at the meeting.

A question was asked about handsaw sharpening. It was mentioned that Denny in East Peoria still does sharpening and several members recommend him. Saws can be dropped off any time.

**Russ Marie and Dave Esme** have discussed a club website. If anyone has the knowledge and time to maintain a website or facebook page for the club or has other ideas on publicity, please contact a club officer.

There was discussion of a club field trip to a sawmill in the Quad Cities or to Corsaw Lumber, a local mill.

**Norm Bartlett** gave an abbreviated Treasurer's report since the bank statement had not yet arrived.

The winner of the 50/50 was **Jim Clark**. **Jim** also won the \$35 gift certificate. A second gift certificate was donated back to the club by W. G. Lippert. It was won by **Bruce Shiverdecker**.

### SHOW & TELL



**Gene Lair** brought pictures of a kitchen island he made for a customer. She saw plans online and asked him to reproduce it. It was red with a butcher block top, and drawers and doors for storage below. He made it from poplar.

**John Clark** had a lamp with a base made of walnut and mahjong game tiles. He made a pair of these lamps.

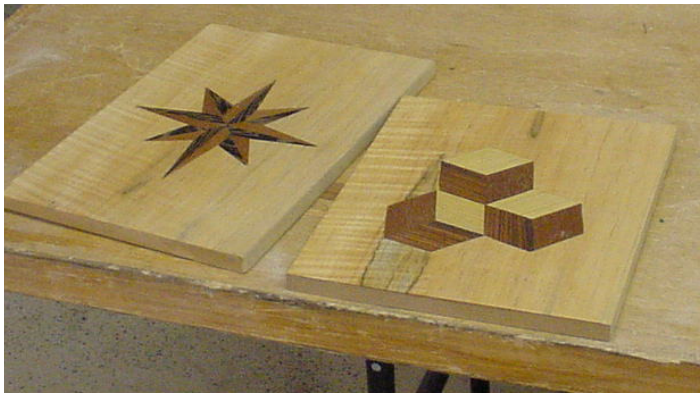


**A. J. Gatzermeyer** brought several old combination-style mailboxes which he had converted into banks. He discussed the method he used for cleaning the old brass fixtures as well as construction techniques.



## PROGRAM

A program on veneering was presented by **Jason** from **The Woodworkers Shop**. He brought along his tools and jigs and showed how he edge joins veneer, how he makes clean cuts, and other tips. His demonstration was very thorough and he answered many questions from the group.



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