

## **Peoria Area Woodworkers**

November 2011 meeting minutes

Next meeting at Woodworker's Shop in Pekin @ 6:30

The next meeting is January 18 at the Woodworker's shop in Pekin.

Cheryl Monahan from General Finishes will update us on latest products including dyes and stains.

Special thanks to Dave Esme for setting up the new club web site at **WWW. Peoriawoodworkers.org**. It contains past news letters, schedule of upcoming meetings and a listing of our library books.

### **Show & Tell:**

A.J Gatzemeyer had a small bookcase in Arts & Crafts style. The wood was quarter sawn white oak.

Pekin He also had a pencil box. The lid was made of small pieces of cherry, maple, and walnut. The box was made from walnut.

Carl Palow had two stools that he made. The seat was oak and the legs were hickory.

Norm Bartlett had a scroll sawn Christmas ornament. There were 4 wooden ornaments and 9 poster board ornaments. The 4 pieces of wood and 9 layers of poster board were laminated together using packing tape. Norm uses packing tape to hold the assembly together and to provide lubricant for the scroll saw blade. The packing tape makes the scroll saw blade last longer and prevents burning of the wood.

### **Main Program:**

Mark Padesky gave an interesting presentation on Dowels, Biscuits, and Pocket Hole methods of reinforcing joints.

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