

Woodworker's Club Meeting
Wednesday, May 21st @ 6:30 PM
The Woodworker's Shop, East Manito Rd., Pekin.

May 17th Meeting Notes: President, A. J. Gatzmeyer called the meeting of May 17th to order.

Business Meeting: Treasurer Norm Bartlett forwarded the CEFCU statement and has reported the sum of \$2,207.95 in the club's savings account and an additional \$35.72 in checking. And as usual, those figures reconciled with the CEFCU statement dated 4/8/2017.

Drawings: Karl Nerstad was the lucky winner of the 50/50 drawing and Denny Dukes won the \$35 Woodworker's Store Gift Card. Our \$25 gift card for show and tell was won by Louis Knief. 46 members attended.

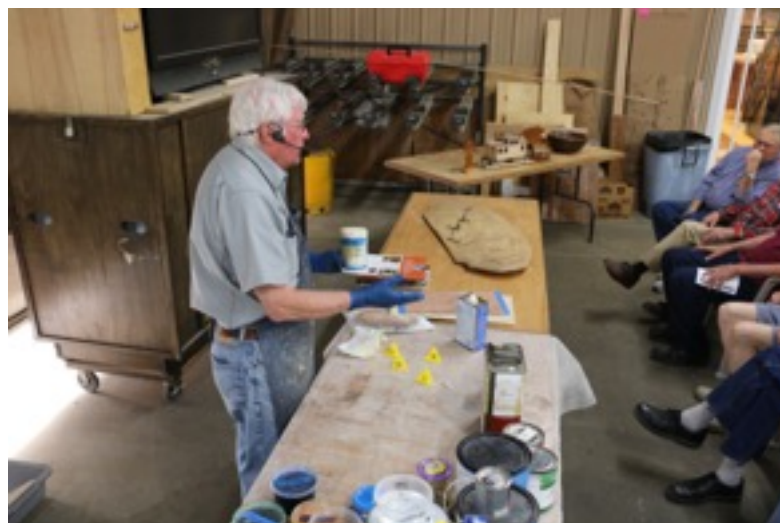
For the June meeting: Bill Wiese has volunteered to give a presentation on the benefits and use of the Keller Dovetail Jig.

May Meeting:

Terry Steinback of the Grundy County Woodworker's Club provided a presentation on Staining & Finishing.

Terry is a retired math teacher, a member of the Grundy County Woodworker's Club and a past attendee of classes on finishing at the Mark Adams School of Woodworking. He provided a handout with bullet points of his major points and detailing his references. His favorite "go-to reference" was **Understanding Wood Finishing** by Bob Flexner and other references and products by Jeff Jewitt of Homestead Finishing Products. Both "finishers," "authors," are also contributors to Fine Woodworking and other woodworking magazines.

Complements to Terry for his interesting and informative presentation.





Russ Marie: Scroll Sawn Cross ...
Cherry. Nice piece despite there being a
“missing leaf” ... a mis-que turned into an
opportunity.



Rich Espe: Another awesome Toys &
Joys project by Rich. Railroad Caboose of
Oak and Walnut. Making the realistic
track was tougher than you would think.



Mark Podesky: Walnut lathe turned bowl
– turned green. Roughed it out. Stored it
in a paper bag for 6-12 months then trued
it up.



Louis Knief: Louis brought pictures and talked about a workbench he made in the early 1970's. Something from nothing. Used what he had. Walnut, oak and crafted to fit.



Tim Wilcoxon : Baby Grand Music Box. Tim replicated a plastic version of the Baby Grand in resawn cherry complete to the pedals.



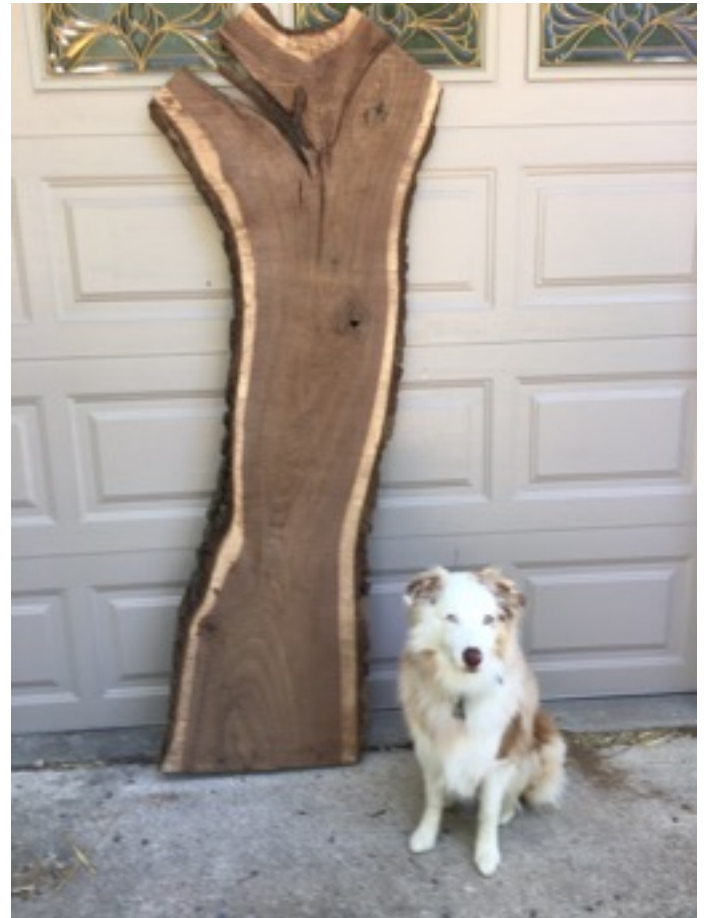
Denny Dukes: Intarsia – Sister's doberman framed in a glass covered shadow box. Purple heart, cedar & maple



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For the three slabs that were left from the previous meeting it was suggested that we have a buy in raffle where tickets will be sold for \$5 or so and then a drawing at our August meeting.

One member asked about where the funds might go then suggested bringing



the Crittenton (sp?) Marigold donation into it. That might be good for everybody.

Lets finalize this at the next meeting.

Note: Dog is for proportional evaluation only. Not included in the raffle.



Name Badges: That brought up having wooden “PAWS” badges. AJ asked Dave to look into it, he did and will report next meeting.

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