

Woodworker's Club Meeting
Wednesday, August 16th @ 6:30 PM
The Woodworker's Shop, East Manito Rd., Pekin.

August 16th Meeting Notes: President, Les Linton called the meeting of June 21st to order.

Business Meeting: Treasurer Norm Bartlett forwarded the CEFCU statement and has reported the sum of \$2,108.76 in the club's savings account and an additional \$92.35 in checking. And as usual, those figures reconciled with the CEFCU statement dated 8/12/2017.

New Business:

- **Name tags:** found someone willing to donate their time to make the name tags, we still have to provide the material. Will have instructions on how to order a name tag later on.
- **Club programs:** need volunteers and/or suggestions for meeting topics. Contact secretary (Khaled Mohammad) or any of the officers if you want to volunteer or have suggestions for future topics.
- **Club dues are due at the September meeting.**

Drawings: Rich Espe was the lucky winner of the 50/50 drawing and Louis Knief won the \$35 Woodworker's Store Gift Card. Our \$25 gift card for show and tell was won by Larry Coggins. The (3) slab drawing winners were: Dale Elliot, Rich Espe and John Goodenough.

42 members attended.

Program:

Tom Dougherty put a nice program about things he learned during his journey as a new woodworker.

Tom mentioned Jay Bates, woodworkers with lots of great videos on youtube: <https://www.youtube.com/user/Jayscustomcreations>

Tom shared tips on using an iron and a laser printer to transfer a design to a work piece using heat (also works with a xerox machine).



Tom is demonstrating a self centering router base that uses (2) dowel in line with the router bit.

The picture shows an exact width dado jig that Tom built to help with a project he's working on.

He talked about his experience with cabinet scrapers, he brought (2) different types.



Show and Tell

Vick McDonald: brought a Kennedy \$1/2 with a great effect placed in a glass half dome. See for yourself:



Carl Miller: showed few bowl turnings: a weed pot and a bowl. Used walnut and paduk on the weed pot and ash to made the bowl:



A.J. Gatzemeyer: A.J. showed whirligigs, fixed an old one made from plywood (used gorilla glue for the repair) and decided to make a new one using PVC sewer pipe for the vanes. He cut the vanes to shape and used heat to flatten the curved cutouts. For bearings he went with a plastic tube.



Tom Robertson: Tom showed us his attempt (successful!) at making bowls. The large bowl is made from persimmon and the small one from sweet douglas fir.



Russ Marie: brought a red oak box with interesting legs. He read about the legs in a magazine and made them from walnut. The magazine article emphasized on reading the grain and orienting the leg for maximum strength. The lid is made from walnut as well:



John Goodenough: demoed a storage box that was inspired from the boxes Bill showed in the past.



John Clark: chess board, pieces and storage box. Scroll saw work, using patterns he found on the internet. Light colored pieces were made from aspen. He used walnut in making the box.



Mark Padesky: weed pots with test tubes to hold the plant. The body is made form cherry and the base is also cherry but stained dark to look like walnut.



Bill Freking: Intaglio carvings of Indian head and wolf. Finished with boiled linseed oil.





Larry Coggins: segmented bowls made from an old church pew. Larry won the gift card for the show and tell!



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