

BENCHTALK



Northeastern Wisconsin Woodworkers Guild

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June Presentation 7pm, Wed June 20, 2018

Introduction to June program on Marquetry

By Steve Lockhart

The June program promises to be informative and entertaining based on Guild member Bob Kuritz's description (below) Bob has been displaying (and selling) his marquetry boxes for the last few Spring Shows and I am excited to hear his presentation about Marquetry. Photos of Bob's marquetry boxes be-
low:

MARQUETRY

Join me for a journey through the world of making pictures from pieces of wood. My presentation will include a brief history of Marquetry as well as a review of the processes involved in making veneers . I will review the various methods of cutting veneer to create pictures, as well as an in depth review of the procedure that I use exclusively. This will all be done from the perspective of someone with no genetic or practical woodworking background. My presentation may be irreverent at times and will include some X-rated content. Therefore, I need to include a warning that the program may not be suitable for young children unless accompanied by a "responsible" adult. It is my intent to entertain and instruct at the same time.



Membership – We need your help!

This is an update regarding your Northeastern Woodworkers Guild membership and our transition to an annual October 1 membership renewal date for all members. The change is intended to help us all keep easier note of membership renewals. Your help is needed as we adjust your dues renewal date. In most cases we are asking you to pay for one year plus part of the year to get your status to October 1, 2019. To help make the catch up process easier, we have divided our membership list into four parts with one-fourth paying their dues each of 4 months beginning May 2018 to August 2018 with September as a loose ends month. If you feel your information is not correct, please call 920-621-5125 or email me at, tzabel5125@hotmail.com

I recently sent an email reminder to those members who we have scheduled to pay there catch up dues in May, I do need some help from all members in paying their dues. Please help by sending me your catch up dues as soon as possible.

The May list was included in last month's newsletter and I have included the June list in this month's newsletter.

Send your checks to me at 2683 Whitegate Trail, De Pere, WI 54115. Call 920-621-5125 with questions. Also for the people who have decided to relinquish their membership, please send me an email message at tzabel5125@hotmail.com or drop me a written note. Please let me know of any problems.

Thank you Ted Zabel

			renew to 10/18	renew to 10/19	paid to	
John	Hammen	17	\$5.00	\$20.00	01-May-18	June
Mark	Hawkins		\$6.00	\$21.00	01-Apr-18	June
Steve	Heil		\$0.00	\$8.00	01-Feb-19	June
Richard	Heiman	17	\$6.00	\$21.00	01-Apr-18	June
Len	Hervas		\$0.00	\$7.00	01-Mar-19	Show June
Al	Herwig		\$0.00	\$15.00	01-Oct-18	June
Jerold	Hesselink		\$1.00	\$16.00	01-Sep-18	June
James	Jackson	17	\$6.00	\$21.00	01-Apr-18	June
Gerald	Jensen		\$1.00	\$16.00	01-Sep-18	June
Don	Johnson	17	\$8.00	\$23.00	01-Feb-18	June
Fred	Juengst		\$0.00	\$13.00	01-Dec-18	11/6/17, #6192 June
John	Karweick	17	\$0.00	\$15.00	01-Dec-18	June
Jeff	Kaster		\$15.00	\$30.00	01-Dec-17	June
Don	Kaster			\$0.00	01-Feb-19	June
Susie	Kehoe		\$0.00	\$15.00	01-Oct-18	June
Jack	Kersten		\$0.00	\$14.00	01-Nov-18	June
Gerald	Keyser		\$5.00	\$20.00	01-May-18	June
Joshua	Klock	17	\$6.00	\$21.00	01-Apr-18	June
Glenn	Koehler		\$5.00	\$20.00	01-May-18	June
Rick	Koon		\$0.00	\$6.00	01-Apr-18	June
Bruce	Kornely		\$4.00	\$19.00	01-Jun-18	June

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

Upcoming June elections.

We will be voting on the board of Directors at the June meeting.

If you are interested in supporting your guild, there is still time to get your name on the ballot.

We are especially in need of a Public Relations Chair. These are the duties as listed in our officer and chair positions guide lines. We can work with you and share some of the duties as you get acquainted with the job. For more information you can call Ted Zabel 920-425-4964, or myself 920-788-3871

Duties of NEWWG Public Relations Chair

To communicate with news channels written, social media and public media requires an understanding and use of electronic media channels. The NEWWG Public Relations chair should have an understanding of the use and relationships with media in Northeast Wisconsin.

The Public Relations Chair is responsible to notify media of upcoming monthly and annual Guild activities, program and special events. This can include but is not limited to local print, radio and TV stations and also social media as Facebook, Craig's List and others. Weekly papers can be friendlier than the larger daily papers.

Other contacts are the Green Bay Chamber of Commerce as well as other local entertainment media.

The public relations chair duties also include:

- a. Prepare, print and post promotional materials for annual show and special events.
- b. Provide promo materials to woodworking vendors used as handouts to the general public.
- c. Encourage liaison between NEWWG, woodworking vendors, other associated clubs and our communities.
- d. Responsible for annual show raffle ticket printing and distribution.

General NEWWG officer's duties.

1. Promote NEWWG and its mission
2. Attend monthly meetings regularly
3. Attend and participate in NEWWG board meetings
4. Work as part of the NEWWG leadership team to improve the Guild.
5. Participate in Guild monthly, annual show and special activities
6. Uphold the Guild Constitution

This is a list of current people on the ballot

President- Paul Murphy

First Vice President - program chair – Steve Lockhart

Second Vice President- public relations chair - **open**

Secretary – Bob Welhouse

Treasurer - Chuck Druckrey

News Editor / Web Manager – Maureen Birk

Librarian – Pete Schuh

Thanks for your support

Pete Schuh

2 ACTIVIES IN AUGUST WINDMILL TOUR WED.AUG 15,

The Guild has booked a tour of the Little Chute Windmill for 7:00 pm on Wednesday evening Aug. 15

The windmill is an authentic, fully functioning 1850's design from the Netherlands and is over 100 feet tall. It was designed and built in the Netherlands by a 4th generation Millwright, Lucas Vergij, disassembled, shipped to Little Chute and reassembled.

See photos of the interior of the mill for samples of the amazing woodworking. Tours of the windmill are available to the general public during the day but we have booked a "custom" tour with a guide who is a woodworker. The tour should take about an hour plus whatever time it takes to answer questions. (I expect there will be lots of questions)

To be included in the tour you must pay in advance. Each member may bring a guest and the **cost will be: \$6.00 per person**

Must be paid no later than the July 18 meeting.

Please bring cash or check (made out to NEWWG) to the June or July meeting

If you are not able to be at either meeting mail a check (made out to NEWWG) to

Steve Lockhart

2315 Tannenbaum Trail

Appleton, WI 54914

No reservations accepted after JULY 18!



PICNIC SUN AUG 19

Final details in July newsletter. Join fellow woodworkers and guests for food and conversation. "Show & Tell" items welcome, especially projects too big to bring to an indoor meeting.

Member Thank You!

A big thank you to Curt Andersen for answering the request for help from Golden House. They had a child's rocking chair badly in need of repairs, and Curt accepted the challenge. I'm sure there will be many smiles as a result of the repairs.

Board of Directors Meeting

Meeting Held: May 22, 2018, at the Alesch Home

Present: Pete Schuh, Paul Murphy, Pat Williams, Ted Zabel, Bob Welhouse, Maureen Birk, Steve Lockhart, Chuck Druckrey, Dan Alesch, Jane Alesch

Absent: no absences

Meeting brought to order by Pete Schuh at 7:03pm. Prior minutes approved.

· **Treasurer's Report:** Last year: \$9,101.84; Current assets: \$9,478.11.

· **Membership report:**

Ted reports one new member. Also, he is still following up with unpaid renewal members. Working out the kinks on the one-time/year renewal.

· **Special Events:**

a. Stevens Point Carving Guild Show - a couple of our guild members are exhibitors. The show is highly recommended for our members to attend. Also, discussed All Hands on Deck as a possible future draw for beginner carving workshops.

b. Little Chute Windmill Tour scheduled for August 15, 2018. There will be reservations for a \$6/per person charge.

· **Programs:**

- May 2018 - Ken Quaid - building table with hand tools - well-received and impressive
- June 2018 - Bob Kuritz - marquetry
- July 2018 - Lafe Nelson - knife & sheath making
- 15 Aug 2018 - Little Chute Windmill Tour
- 19 August 2018 - picnic scheduled - DeBroux Park
- 19 Sep 2018 - Tom Sveum - building old time wagon wheels
- 17 Oct 2018 - Merl Stingle - CNC router basics plus

· **Editors Report:** Articles are due June 11, 2018.

· **Website Report:**

website has been updated.

· **Librarian Report:**

nothing new.

· **Public Relations / Community Service:**

Discussions re classes at Spring Show.

New Business:

a. One-time a year dues payment reconfirmed.

b. Slate of officers, list of interested in being on the board. Election in June, duties effective July 1, 2018. If no new members, verbal vote.

c. Outagamie County Fair offered a booth to promote the guild. Seems to be no interest.

d. June July meeting room arrangements, TBA email from Dirk R.

· **Next board meeting:**

June 26, 2018 at the Pete Schuh home.

Adjourned

2018 UPCOMING PROGRAMS AT ASHWAUBENON HIGH SCHOOL 7 PM

Green Bay Ashwaubenon High School 2391 S. Ridge Rd

Enter through the west side of the building, and turn Right to the meeting room.

Map available on our web site newwg.org

June 20 Bob Kuritz Thin veneer marquetry
July 18 Lafe Nelson Custom made knives and sheaths
Aug 15 Wed Special event-registration required Little Chute Windmill Tour
Aug 19 Sun PICNIC DeBroux Park More details to be arranged
Sep 19 Tom Sveum - building old time wagon wheels
Oct 17 Merl Stingle - CNC router basics plus

Bench Talk is the newsletter of the Northeast Wisconsin Wood Workers Guild, published prior to regularly scheduled monthly meetings. Submissions from members are welcome (articles, musings, questions, pictures.) Deadline for next newsletter is July 9, 2018.

NORTHEAST WISCONSIN WOODWORKING GUILD

MEETINGS (Guests and prospective members welcome)

3rd Wednesday of each month, unless specified otherwise.

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Where: Ashwaubenon High School

Visit our web site at: www.newwg.org

How to Get Involved:

For inquiries regarding joining

The Northeastern Wisconsin Woodworkers Guild, contact:

Pete Schuh: pjscls@live.com (920-788-3871)

Or any other Board or committee member.

Regarding this newsletter, or the web page, contact:

Maureen Birk: 920-755-3404 birkmr@yahoo.com

Guild Officers

President: Pete Schuh

Vice President Programs, Steve Lockhart

Vice President Publicity/Membership, Ted Zabel

Vice President, Paul Murphy

Treasurer, Chuck Druckery

Secretary, Bob Welhouse

Committee Chairs & Project Coordinators

Librarian, Pete Schuh

Special Events, Dan Alesch

Spring Show, Steve Lockhart

Web Site & Newsletter, Maureen Birk

Black Walnut Trees For Sale

Information received through our web site:

Good Afternoon

We recently purchased a piece of residential property that we plan to use for commercial purposes. The property contains two very nice, mature black walnut trees. Both trees are approximately 12" in diameter and have straight trunks with plenty of branching. There are also two more smaller black walnut trees on the property that are approximately 4-6 inches in diameter. We will be clearing the lot this summer and I was wondering whether any of your members might be interested in purchasing the trees.

Please let me know if there is any interest. My email is kkonet2@new.rr.com

Thanks

Kurt Konietzki