



## Brandon Workers Club Newsletter for January 2016

#### **Presidents section**

Greetings Woodworkers,
President Ruth East
welcomed everyone at the
January meeting. We had 6
guests at the meeting tonight.
They were Bob Mudry, Dave
Engstrand, Maurice &
Corazon Mullinax, Elmer
Murzyn, and Andre
Corriveam. A warm welcome
to them all.

Before any committee reports were heard I asked for a New President and you could have heard a pin drop; I guess that meant I had the office for another year.

We have a new toy chairman-

Bill Reasoner

We also have a new Librarian- John Sheldon We also have a new Program chairman- John Jardin

The officers staying on are Ruth East, Pres
Frank McMullen Treasure
Holly Bentley Secretary
John Sheldon Snack
Committee \*\*\*Note he
volunteered for 2 jobs.
Bill Dixon newsletter and
Website
50/50 Drawings & Fair
chairman Art Falcone

So we didn't have an election we had volunteers. Whatever works!

## Membership:

We have 3 paid members. Dues are \$25.00 per year family membership. See Frank to join. New members are David Wright, Marnie Stevens

## Library:

Terry Sanchez reported we had one new book added to the library.

# Newsletter/web site:

Bill Dixon reported nothing new with the newsletter.

To view the web site hold down your control key on the

key board and left click the following link.

www.brandonwoodworking.c om

# Fair Report:

Art Falcone passed a signup sheet for the Fair attendees the 2 days we have are Sunday and Monday the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>.

Jim reported that the stringed instruments display will be close by the fine furniture display and separately judged.

# Treasurer's Report

Treasurer's Report For January, 2016 Beginning balance. \$693.52 Income: 50/50 Dues \$50.00 T-Shirts \$15.00 **Expenses** Rent \$20.00 Refreshments Gift Card Show & Tell Gift Cards Contest \$25.00 \$45.00 Web site quarterly **Ending Balance** \$668.52

#### 50/50 winner:

John Sheldon won the 50/50 drawing \$35.00 for him and \$35.00 for the club.

# Toy Report:

Rick Ward reported 624 toys were distributed to several places for the children before Christmas. The toys were distributed to First Baptist of Brandon, Marine Core Toys for Tots, All Children's Hospital and ECHO. Thank you notes for donated toys were received as well.

#### Old Business:

Art Falcone reported there won't be an Art & Crafts show in Plant City this year, maybe 2017.

#### **New Business:**

Florida Woodturners Convention in Leesburg Feb. 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup>.

Attending: Trade Show with 30-50 vendors.

Frank McMullen's workshop on knife making went well. \$20.00 for knife, scales, and pin. Lunch was included. He will be doing another one soon.

New Wood Working show \$50 for a booth. March 19<sup>th</sup>

Will be at the fair grounds. More on this at February's meeting.

## Buy Sell or Trade:

Contact Tim Humberson for details on these items for sale:

Floor Drill Press

Craftsman 10" band saw

Compressor

Lots of pen kits

Double grinder

Turning tools

#### Refreshments:

As usual John did an awesome job supplying refreshments for the break.

## Programs:

The program for February will be put on by John and will feature hand cut dovetail joinery.

### Show and Tell

Show & Tell winner's were-Bruce Woody for \$15. & Jason Borthwick \$10. We had 9 People bring in projects.

Jim Ethington—Top for a quilt cabinet. Various types of white and red oak



Andre Corriveam — floating shelf for WII game box, pine



Bill Dixon—first attempt at turning a box, spalled maple; segmented box



Terry Sanchez—cookie jar, yellow heart, red cedar, aspen, ipe



Jason Borthwick—knife, diamond wood; antler back scratcher, alder; and a game box (holds dominos), cherry and 50-year-old-pine



For the rest of the pictures go to the web site.