

B.W.C Brandon Wood Working Club January 2014 Newsletter

Greetings Fellow Woodworkers,

President Bruce opened the meeting at 7:00 PM. We had 5 guests tonight. We would like to welcome Ed Allen, Kent Akselsen, Stroud Curran, Hernani Cauling, Larry Supcheck to our meeting.

Membership

Membership stands at 18 paid members as of the January meeting. Dues are just \$25.00 for a family membership. 2014 dues are now due.

See Frank with your dues.

Library Report

Terry reports all is well with the library, nothing new to report.

Our members can use the library from month to month to check out plans and "how to" books.

Treasurer's Report

Treasurers report for January:

Beginning balance		\$ 209.90
Dues		\$ 0.00
Income:	50/50	\$ 0.00

Total Income:	\$ 0.00
Expenses: Rent 2 months Refreshments Gift Cards Web site Name Badges	\$20.00 0.00 0.00 \$45.00 \$ 0.00
Total Expense:	\$ 65.00
Checking Petty Cash	\$ 87.00 \$ 57.90
Ending balance	\$ 144.90

Toy Report

Rick reports that Lloyd has brought in 139 toys for January. This brings our year to date toy count to 139 toys.

We received letters of thanks from the following organizations for our toy donations in 2013:

All Children's Hospital

Danielle Barth BS, CCLS

Certified Child Life Specialist

All Children's Specialty Care of Tampa

ECHO

Stacey Efaw
Executive Director

Fraternal Order of Eagles Ladies Auxiliary #3566 Raynell Baird Secretary

News Letter:

Your Newsletter editor recently changed jobs and as of February 17th 2014, I will be working nights. I will be unable to attend meetings unless I can get Tuesday as one of my nights off. I will have to see what happens.

50/50

Art sold 52 tickets tonight and the drawing was won by Jack Besavitch . He got \$26.00 and the club got \$26.00.

Show and Tell:

Dave Harrison, Jim Moorehead, Bill Dixon, Bill Brocksmith, Rick Ward, Lloyd Hart, and Bruce Woody had things for show n tell tonight. Please use the link supplied in the email delivering this newsletter to see the pictures of the show-n-tell.

Web Site:

We have another example of the benefit of our website. I got an email from <u>Finishing Technologies</u> <u>Inc.</u> requesting a link to their website

from our website. I was able to get a large assortment of sandpaper including drum sander rolls for the club member's use. We handed them out at the January meeting. The web site is up to date and can be accessed from the link below.

http://www.brandonwoodworking.com

Fair Report:

Art tells us the fair is just around the corner. We are assigned 2 days to cover the Fine furniture exhibits. Our club has been assigned Sunday and Monday 2/9 and 2/10. We provide support by answering questions from the public and security for the exhibits.

Art has mailed your tickets to get in the fair by now. If you are working a shift one of these days and have not received your tickets please get in touch with Art.

Old Business:

Charlie asked about the lactation stools. There was discussion about if we as a club was going to continue making them. The hospital's supply of wood was getting depleted. There was also discussion of the storage cabinet rebuild for our library books and cd's.

Nothing was decided as of yet.

New Business

The officers for 2014 are as follows: Bruce Woody- President Art Falcone -vice president John Jardin- Programs Bill Dixon -newsletter/web site Rick Ward -toy chairman Frank McMullinsecretary/Treasurer

Refreshments

John Shelton, again, provided a great selection of goodies.

BUY/SELL/TRADE

Tim will sell his multi tool Shop Smith.

Wood working Tips Website:

Index of Tips by E-mail

Program Notes:

Carl Johnson Co-owner Franklin Street Woodworking gave the program for the January meeting. Kate Swan his pardoner is the Fine Furniture judge for the fair this year.

Carl gave a great and informative lecture of what judges look for in fine furniture. He went over form and function and gave us a very detailed explanation on how to get the most from your level of expertise. All in all a great program.

Pictures from the Meeting:

To see the pictures please click on the link in the email that delivered this newsletter. You can also access the pictures by clicking on the month link at the web page "Members Projects"