



# B.W.C Brandon Wood Working Club

## April Newsletter

### Greetings Fellow Woodworkers,

President Bruce Woody opened the meeting at 7:00 PM. This meeting was at Charlie Seitz shop.

There were many guests and our attendance totaled 41!

Guests included George and Kirstin, who do turning, Richard Sessions who found us thru the web site, David Jones, Chris Hater (who has a CNC Router) and Charlie's Granddaughter Christina and Grandson Emilio, who also helped us park cars and set up the shop.

### New Members

Our new members are Lewis Rainone, Richard Wolfram, Christopher Hayter and Steve Sheffield.

### Library Report

Terry reported that the library now includes a dovetail jig from Peachtree that he obtained at the Woodworker's Show. This goes along with the drawer slide jig that we got last year!

### Treasurer's Report

Brady gave the Treasurer's Report and we have a total of 29 paid members to date.

Beginning balance 947.17

Income		
Dues	75.00	
50/50	17.00	
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		92.00

Expenses		
Name badges	11.81	
Website	45.00	
Gift card	10.00	
Refreshments	20.00	
Rent	20.00	
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		106.81

Ending balance \$932.36

### Toy Report

Chuck has made some contacts in other area clubs regarding painting and finishing. I have sent email to them asking if they can participate in a program for us, but I have not heard back, yet.

### News Letter

Frank is taking over the newsletter again and will send everyone a full one over email, but will "snail mail" a text version only. Pictures will always be available on the web site

### 50/50

Unfortunately, I did not note the 50/50 winner last month, but as noted in the Treasurers Report, he won

\$17.00 and if memory serves me right, it was John Sheldon

### **Old Business**

We discussed next year's Wood Worker's Show and agreed to explore combining with other area clubs to man a large demo booth next year. The clubs would do different demos and would only be responsible for 2 – 3 demos each during the show.

### **New Business**

A change in the format and location of next year's Holiday Party was discussed. It was thought that we could find a location with food prep and serving capability that would allow us to have a Pot Luck Dinner. The possibility of catering part of the menu such as the meat was also discussed. We will bring this up for final disposition at a later date.

### **Fair Report**

Art reported that it was a "little too early to have news of the Fair, but NEVER too early to start on next year's project!"

### **Refreshments**

John Shelton, again, provided a great selection of goodies for the break – thanks, again, John!

### **Program**

The program for April was a demonstration at Charlie's shop by Dusty Yaxley, a retired Civil Engineer who created a second career as a custom sign maker. During this time he taught himself the very necessary skills of chisel creation and sharpening and, also, the application

of gold leaf! His demo was interesting, entertaining and informative. Can't ask for anything more than that!!

I want to thank Charlie Seitz for the use of his shop. It went very well and I know how much work he did to get it ready for us! All of the backgrounds in the Show and Tell pictures give a good indication of how well that shop is equipped for actual work!!

This month's program will be a presentation by Andrew Gibson who espouses the use of hand tools over power! He won four ribbons at this year's State Fair, a Best of Show, two First Place and a Second Place. He will be giving us a demo of Hand Planing and shaping. Andrews work can be viewed at ...

<http://gibsonwoodworking.com/>

And he has some videos at his blog...

<http://www.sawmillcreek.org/blog.php?46204-Andrew-Gibson>

I'm looking forward to a great demo!!

### **Buy, Sell and Trade**

Dr. Norman Basiglia from the Tampa Club has an 18" by 36" Delta Drum Sander. He is asking \$500.00.

Art Falcone has a Jet 10" Cabinet Table Saw and is asking \$750.00

### **Website:**

See Above!!!

<http://www.brandonwoodworking.com>

Click on the link below to go to an index of all kinds of woodworking tips.  
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### Show and Tell

We had six participants in Show and Tell and Tim Humberson was this month's winner!

### Show-N-Tell Pictures



Bruce showed a small goblet he turned and his first bottle stopper!



Charles made this intarsia rooster – a great likeness and Charles does his “crowing” for him! Ron likes it, too!



Ruth scrolled this beautiful cross out of walnut and cedar. Very nice!



Another example of Tim's amazing scrolled plaques!



Tim doesn't appear too sure that Grandpa CAN fix it!!



Tim made a number of tiny bird houses and challenged the skill of the photographer!



Lloyd also did these small plaques.



Lloyd scrolled this kitty out of plywood and then applied color! Looks great!



Lloyd also had a neat plaque extolling the virtue of "family". Unfortunately, he did not show his head!