



North County Woodworking Club

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November 2006 Newsletter

NO MEETINGS IN NOVEMBER OR DECEMBER!

Next Meeting Thursday January 18, 2007

Doors open at 6:00 pm, Meeting starts at 7:00 pm

MEETING LOCATION

Joslyn Senior Center, Auditorium, 210 Park Avenue, Escondido, Ca 92025

The Joslyn Center is off Broadway between Mission and Washington Avenues. Thomas Guide Map code 1129 J-2. Park Avenue is in the upper left corner of block J-2

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Well, it sure feels like fall tonight. The air is cool and it looks like it might rain. That is not really a good thing for me since my roof is currently being fixed. This is a nice time of year to get something done in the shop, maybe even a few presents for whatever holidays you might celebrate. Personally, I like to celebrate them all.

Our last meeting of the year was another great one. Russ Filbeck is a terrific presenter and a great asset to our woodworking community as a Palomar College professor. I had never seen Russ's special finishing technique so I found it especially informative.

Even while there are no regular meetings for the club in November and December we are still having board meetings to ensure that our next year's meetings will be even better than this year's. It's hard work as another president says. Jerry Moors is busy doing the budget for this year and next year. Dave Neblett is busy lining up the guest speakers. Butch Baskins is busy with setting up shop tours and keeping me in line. Roni Elsberry is busy working out details of a new club logo, getting more brochures and tracking our membership roles. Bill Carpenter is taste testing cookies and coffee to make sure our members don't go hungry at

the meetings. Bob Fisher is busy lining up new approved vendors and doing vendor relations. And Robynne Hanus is making sure that the newsletter is readable.

I look forward to seeing you all again next year on January 18th. Be sure and use those guards, splitters, push sticks, safety glasses, hearing protection and dust masks!

Joe Dusel, President

This Month's Program

There are no meetings in November or December.

Upcoming Programs

At the January meeting we will be introduced to the fine art of guitar making by Ken Minasian. Ken started his interest in woodworking in a Whittier California, junior high school program in the late 60's. After getting a degree in marketing, he returned to woodworking via an adult education at Torrey Pines High School where he built an acoustic guitar. In 1996 he entered the Palomar Cabinet & Furniture Technology program where he earned the 3 certificates in furniture, cabinet, and millwork. He has received numerous awards with entries in the Palomar and the Design in Wood show at the Del Mar Fair. Ken was featured on the back cover of fine woodworking #165 with a Greene and Greene style chair about 3 years ago, and for the last several years he has received awards for the best guitars in Design in Wood. It should be added that Ken's background in marketing shows in his presentations; he is an entertaining communicator with a topic about which he is very knowledgeable.

Dave Neblett, Program Chairman

SPECIAL PROJECTS 2007

As Special Projects Chairman for 2007 I would like to ask all of you to open up your shops for club shop tours. If you would like to sponsor a shop tour please let me know by e-mailing me @ sawdustvc@aol.com.

The tours would take place on a Saturday morning and would probably last for about three hours. Keep in mind that overflow parking must be available.

If you have other ideas for venues for tours or events that might interest the club let me know and we'll see if we can arrange something.

I have a couple of tours in the works that I'll let you know about when they are firmed up a little more.

Thanks for your help.

Butch Baskins, Special Projects

We Currently Have 144 Paid Members!

NCWC MEMBERSHIP !!!

The annual dues of \$20.00 are collected at the club meetings or you can mail them to Ray Brooks at the Club Post Office Box. Year 2007 dues can be paid anytime.

Remember, only paid members may participate in the fabulous raffles, plus the longer you wait to renew your membership, the less time you have to take advantage of the great offers and discounts from our vendors.

YOUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR 2007 - 2008:

President: Joe Dusel joe@woodistry.com
Vice President: Robynne Hanus Robynne@cts.com
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Bill Carpenter (Refreshments) bjcarpenter1@cox.net
Joe Dusel (Newsletter Editor, Web Site) joe@woodistry.com
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SHOW AND TELL

Do you have a project to show off? How about a favorite jig, a special technique or time saving hint to make our woodworking easier? Attendees should bring in projects and present them with a short 2-minute talk. More time can be devoted to questions about your projects at the end of the meeting. Thanks for sharing your ideas!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Member News:

This section is for members who have news about themselves, other members, or other good stuff they would like to pass along to the rest of the membership. Information to be included in the newsletter should be E-mailed to Joe Dusel at joe@woodistry.com at least 2 weeks before the scheduled meeting.

STUDIO 38 IN SPANISH VILLAGE IN BALBOA PARK IS LOOKING FOR CARVERS AND WOODWORKERS WHO WOULD LIKE TO SELL THEIR WORK, PAY A SMALL MONTHLY FEE, PAY ONLY A 3% COMMISSION ON SALES AND WOULD BE WILLING TO VOLUNTEER TO WORK 1 DAY A WEEK.

THOSE INTERESTED - PLEASE CONTACT:

KEN HAINES 760-432-0563 or NAN BUSHLEY 760-728-0591

Interested in selling your creations online?

Joe Dusel and his wife Katsuyo have their new web site <http://www.Aikomei.com> set up for selling not only Joe's work, but also the work of anyone else who is interested. The theme of the site is Asian Inspired Furniture and Accessories, so just about anything with an Asian flare from turnings to jewelry boxes to furniture will work fine. Aikomei even features watercolor artwork. If you are interested give Joe or Kat a call at 760-758-3254 or email at joe@woodistry.com.

FOR SALE or PURCHASE

Apollo 800 3 stage HVLP turbine and gun unit. \$495. Excellent condition. Includes A5308 access kit and A5309 nozzle kit. Illness forces sale. Paid \$800 in 2002. Mitch Retmier 760-722-0568

Robland/Laguna Tools Mortiser, w/ mobile base and 3hp variable speed, Ryobi plunge router, excellent condition. **\$500.00**

Shop Smith Pin router w/ stand, used for one job, like new. Fits most routers. **\$300.00**

Delta 12" Disc sander w/stand, excellent condition. **\$75.00**

Delta 6" belt x 9" disc sander w/ stand includes over 50 belts!!! 60-400 grit. **\$125.00**

WoodWorker Supply 95-200 Match Maker w/ Freud VS plunge router, stand w/ assorted templates. **\$600.00**

Call Butch Baskins @ 760-751-1227 Email sawdustvc@aol.com

Mini-lathe is a Jet JML-1014 – never been used, \$200, call Robynne (760)803-2801

Anyone who has wants or disposals, send them to **Roni Elsberry** remuinc@pacbell.net and she will email the info to the members.

MENTOR PROGRAM

Members interested in assisting other members can participate in the Mentor Program. It is as easy as sending your name, skills, and E-mail address to Joe Dusel. Joe will place your name, skills and e-mail address on a portion of the web page devoted to the Mentor Program. Remember, your name will be "on the web" so only your E-mail address will be made available. Anyone wishing to contact you will have to E-mail you with his or her contact information.

OTHER TIDBITS:

We would like to make woodworking or related articles, written by our members, available on the web site. Can you write? Do you have a special tidbit that you would willingly pass along to the membership? Please contact Joe Dusel (joe@woodistry.com) with your input. Joe will assist in editing if you provide a starting text. Pictures work too, especially if you would like to have your very own gallery page!

Refreshments:

This is a big job and Bill Carpenter has graciously agreed to chair this committee. Thanks Bill.

Programs:

Butch Baskins, Programs Committee Chair, is always looking for ideas from the membership as to prospective speakers, demonstrations, tours etc. If you have speaker ideas or topic desires, please see Butch at the meeting or contact him via e-mail.

The Next Board Meeting:

The next Board meeting will be held at 7:00 pm, Thursday December 7th in the Joslyn Senior Center library. The library is located just to the left of the main lobby. Members are encouraged to attend any board meeting.

NCWC APPROVED VENDORS

Thanks to the efforts of Tom Lightner, Bob Fisher and some other club members, we have lots of great Approved Vendors for our club. They are as follows; with specifics as to the discounts available and persons to contact. Please frequent these vendors when you can. **Show your NCWC membership card and request your discount.** From time to time you may see one of their representatives at our meetings. Check the web site for the current list of vendors.

We hope to see you at the meeting. Remember that we meet on the third Thursday of each month except November and December.

To those of you who were e-mailed this notice, should you desire to have your name removed from our list or if you received this in error, please respond to Roni Elsberry with your request and we'll take you off the list.

If you are not on the E-mail list and wish to save the club some money, please send me your E-mail address and we'll switch you.

Roni Elsberry, newsletter circulation chair. E-mail remuinc@pacbell.net