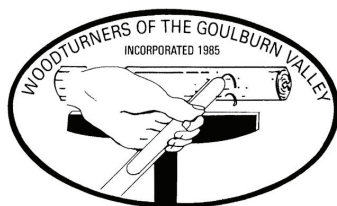


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PRESIDENT'S REPORT JANUARY 2013

Welcome back. I hope the break was enjoyed by all. Did the “big boy in red” treat you well on the night and left plenty of goodies under the tree..

Our Christmas break up was another great night enjoyed by all 71 who attended the evening in the company of friends, with plenty of stories being told.

A big thank you to all those who assisted with the organisation before and during the night.

2013 is with us and our Wood Show will be with us before we know it. Raffle books and rosters have been delivered or posted out. Please check the roster and if you are unable to do a particular shift, arrange a swap or let Greg know. This is our major fundraiser for the year, helping with the running of the club.

Also, the Wood Show duty roster is also with this information. Please check and keep in mind your particular job. A couple of demos have been held since the Christmas break up night. These were at Riverside Plaza and the Queens Gardens.

Apparently, at Queens Gardens there were signs of The Witches of Eastwick. Further investigation found it was the “**Witch of 96**” flying her broom around the gardens.

Thanks to Len and Jan, Greg & Glenda and their helpers on these days.

The November meeting saw our annual presentation of toys to selected charities. Some 750 toys were presented to 5 charities. Again, thank you to all who took part during the year making toys or assisting in some way.

As Bev and I were in Lakes Entrance, or heading that way, thanks to Don Mac for filling in for me on the night.

2012 was a sad year for the club with the passing of a number of prominent members, the most recent being Mike Egan. Our condolences and thoughts are with Ella and her family at this time. A talented man taken much too soon.

Clarky.

WOODTURNERS OF THE GOULBURN VALLEY INC. 3352K
NOTICE OF GENERAL MEETING
TO BE HELD AT THE WANGANUI SITE
96 PACKHAM STREET, SHEPPARTON
7.30 p.m. 21st JANUARY, 2013

Welcome – Apologies –
Minutes – Correspondence –
Treasurer's Report – Committee Business – General Business

Door & Raffle – Ron Hayes, Perrie Bullock

Show & Tell Chairman – Colin Brock

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MINUTES OF GENERAL MEETING OF WOODTURNERS OF THE GOULBURN VALLEY INC.

Held in the clubrooms, 96 Packham Street, Shepparton 19/11/12

OPENING: Vice President Don McCrabb declared the meeting open at 7.34 pm with 38 members in attendance. Representatives from the Charities receiving toys were welcomed to the meeting.

APOLOGIES: Rob & Pam Henry, Marg Brock, Nina Slade, Mel Swan, Rupe Brown, Jenny Hayes, Roy Eliason, Cyril & Val Bedford, Viv Parry, Rob Orrman, Bill & Bev Clark, Trish Pedrotti, Helen Smith, Rhonda & Ross Crozier, Col Berry, Bryan Finlayson, Graham Roberts, Jeanette Powell. Moved Gloria Woods that the apologies are accepted seconded Neil Armstrong, carried.

VISITORS: Bernadette Nichols – St. Vinnies Mooroopna, Chris Halpin – St. Vinnies St. Mels apologies from Frank Purcell and Leo Walsh, Maree & Alarnha – Marion Community, Kim Daldy & Wayne Harris – Family Care, Jenny McPhee & Frank Nogare – St. Vinnies St. Brendans.

TOY PRESENTATION: Ian Powell addressed the meeting and introduced the representatives from the 5 charities, who having viewed their toys, all responded with thanks and informed members of what they mean to those who will receive them. Over 700 toys were presented to the various charities.

MINUTES: Minutes of the previous meeting as circulated in the newsletter were accepted. Moved Vern Marven, seconded Jim Harrison, carried.

Business Arising: Plastic containers for the toys have been purchased. Air compressor has been purchased. A quantity of Blackwood has been purchased from Taggerty for \$250.00. Trip to Corowa Bush Furniture is to be arranged next year in conjunction with the Benalla Woodies. The donated copies of the English Woodworker magazine are now in the library. Tasman Meats are unable to sponsor the Woodshow BBQ.

CORRESPONDENCE: 16 newsletters from various clubs and organisations.

Promotional: United Tools Catalogue Nov/Dec specials. Shepp City Bearings, Wide span Sheds, Dorset Hardware, All Storage systems, Carbatec Catalogue.

General: Merrigum Historical Society – thanks for the Glory Box. Hand Tool Preservation Society re sale. Copoulos Group confirming raffle dates. Acceptance of invite from Jeanette Powell re Woodshow Raffle draw. Bunnings confirming the date of the BBQ as Saturday 19th January, 2013 and the need for some members to attend info sessions on 22.11.12 – Trish Pedrotti and Brian O'Meara to attend. COGS re raffle permit – Len to attend to this. 9 replies from Woodshow invites. Request from Julie Villani for 3 Hat Racks to be made – available to individual members. SPC/Ardmona gift vouchers for Woodshow. Further info re defibrillators with the subsidy for purchase extended – see committee business.

Outgoing: COGS re sign for corner of Packham & Parkside Drive. Northern Rivers re receiving their newsletter electronically – Chris Harvey's email supplied.

Invitation to Jeanette Powell re tonight and the Woodshow raffle. Shepparton & District Parkinsons Support Group re any donations to be considered next year. Moved Wal Read that the correspondence be accepted, seconded Ian Smith, carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT:	Balance b/f	\$5997.24
	Receipts	<u>\$4188.94</u>
		\$10186.18
	Less Expenses	<u>\$3498.10</u>
	Balance c/f	\$6688.08

The Treasurer's report was accepted, moved John Wright, seconded Ron Hayes.

GENERAL BUSINESS COMMITTEE: New style shirts were presented to the meeting by Neil Armstrong. One off cost to the club for setting up the Logo and shirts to cost \$30.00 including the Logo. Notice to be put up for members to indicate if they want new style shirt. A new portable drill has been purchased for the toy area. Volunteers required to place Woodshow sandwich boards – Dick Syer and Ray McDonald volunteered. Logs required for Lucas Mills to cut at the Woodshow. Volunteer required to paint new Bobbin Sander Bench. Helen Mullins volunteered. 40 Invites have been sent out to Demo at the Woodshow. The \$200 gift voucher from Mooropna M10 has been approved. Member cards for WB Hunters are being chased up. The blue Woodfast lathe is for sale via tender, there is no chuck with this lathe. Raffle at Queens Gardens 6/01/13 and 3/3/13. Workshop alterations are to be completed in the new year. Tallygaropna School Demo is set for 4/12/12. All members watched a St. Johns video presentation about defibrillators. At the conclusion of the video John Wright moved that the club proceed with the purchase of a defibrillator, seconded by Frank Matthews, carried.

GENERAL BUSINESS – MEMBERS: Names for the Christmas party to be placed on the board by 8/12/12 for catering purposes. Tony Bovalino has a lathe for sale – Len has the details. Old Pianos wanted, see Len for details.

WOODSHOW REPORT: We have a permit for selling raffle tickets at Mooropna and Tatura News. Invites have been sent out to 7 Councillors and 4 local Parliamentarians. It was suggested by Ian Powell that an invite be sent to COGS CEO Gavin Cator. Tag testing for the Woodshow is being looked into by Ray McDonald. Core flute notices dates need to be changed. Woodshow Sponsorship from GMCU has been approved.

Meeting closed at 9.03 p.m.

RAFFLE DRAW: 1st Ron Hayes – S&P Grinder. 2nd Col Brock – Lazy Susan. 3rd Ron Hayes – Magnetic Hex Drive. 4th Perrie Bullock – Letter Opener.

SHOW & TELL – NOVEMBER 2012

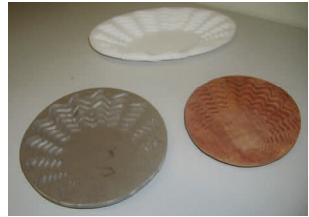
GREG THORNE Salt & Pepper Grinders, European Plane, finished with Ultragloss.

DON McCRABB Segmented Vase, various timbers, finished with Marine Clear.
Document Box, unknown timber, finished with Marine Clear.

JIM HARRISON 3 more Pens, and no more information supplied.

MAX GILLARD 2 Rolling Pins, 2 Cutting Boards, mixed timbers, finished with vegetable oil.

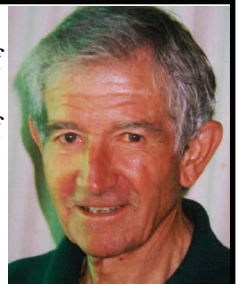
COLIN BROCK Platter and 2 Bowls, Scroll sawn, bowls, incomplete .**PERRIE BULLOCK** Platter, Cedar, Oil finish.



VALE ~ MIKE EGAN

The Club was saddened to learn of the death of Mike Egan who had joined the Woodturners in February 2001. Due to ill health over the last few years we did not see much of Mike.

Condolences have been passed on to his family.



CHRISTMAS DINNER – 15/12/12

It was good to see 71 members attend as numbers were low at the start of December. “Mums Kitchen” provided the meal and it was another great meal served on time at 7 p.m. so by the time we all got to have sweets it was after 8 and time to get on with the formal part of the evening. President Bill was MC for the night.

The Tom Tacey award was received by a very stunned Alf Hayes, congratulations Alf.

The Les Baldwin encouragement award was next, the recipient Gloria Woods had other commitments on the night and was presented at a later date. Len gave a run down on the background of the award, the significance of the train on the shield and the engraved pen.

While all this was going on we had our thinking caps on trying to work out Norma’s jumbled letters of town names and Pam Henry’s famous faces. The best effort with Norma’s towns was 14/20 and Pam’s famous faces 14/15, congratulations to those members.

A Raffle was run on the night which raised \$178, thanks to those who donated prizes. Winners were: Noel Ryan – Hamper. Helen Smith – Pyrographed Trinket Box. Michael Gould – Bottle of Wine. Roy Eliason – Box of Christmas Jubes. Glenda Thorne – Box of Christmas Jubes. Aiden Muntz – Christmas Cake. Julie Anne Watt – SPC Voucher. Ros Wright – Bath Soap Set. Win Eliason – Peaches Café Voucher. John Wright – Box of Christmas Jubes. Norma Harrison – Peaches Café Voucher. Julie Anne Watt – Bottle of Wine. Thanks to Greg Thorne for running the raffle.

With all the things that Norma does for us in the office besides the newsletter each month, the committee felt that some recognition of her efforts be known in the form of a sign on the office door. A figured piece of Redgum with lettering from “Willsigns” reads “Norma’s Corner” thanks again Norma.

The last item for the night was the Wood Auction with Gary Gray as the Auctioneer, the successful bidders were: Blackwood Bowl Blank, Aiden Muntz. Lombardy Poplar Bowl Blank, Helen Mullins. Selection of Pen Blanks, Chris Harvey. Blackwood Blank – Brian O’Meara. Selection of Pen Blanks – Julie Anne Watt. Red Gum Burl Blank – Brian O’Meara. Selection of Pen Blanks – Jim Harrison. Silky Oak Blank – Joe Pennisi. English Oak Bowl Blank – David Doyle. Silky Oak Block – Ian Smith. Banksia Block – Chris Harvey. Red Gum Flitch – Aiden Muntz.

Thanks to Gary Gray as an Auctioneer I think you have missed your calling, \$163 raised for the Club.

Thanks to Bill Clark as M.C

Len Taylor

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WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

Welcome new members Clinton, Lesley and Ray Matthews of Shepparton.
We hope you enjoy your time with the Woodies.

THE LIBRARY

The Library is now operational and appears to be working well. We have just received a bundle of books donated by Isobel Fairmaid, these books expanded our library with only one book being already in the library. We also had a donation of some magazines. "The English Woodworker" dated Dec. 1936 through to June 1937, these would have to be the oldest magazines in our library, these were donated by Helen Smith.

When using the library please don't forget to sign the book when taking the books out and signing them back in when you return them. If you are not sure what to do please ask Don Mc for help.

Any more books or magazines anyone would like to donate please contact Don Mc or leave them in the W.T.G.V. Office.

Don McCrabb, Librarian

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WOODSHOW CATERING COMMITTEE

Any persons (members or partners) interested in being on Catering
Committee for 2013 Woodshow, please contact:

Julie Keillor ~ Phone 0428118167

2013 WOODSHOW RAFFLE BOOKS

Attention Members: Could you please return your raffle
books with money when sold.

All raffle books and money must be returned by the end of
February for book keeping purposes, unless prior arrangements
have been made with Bev Clark or myself.

Bev & Greggie ☺

If any members could fill the vacant positions on the raffle
roster which is on the White Board, it would be greatly
appreciated. For further information
please contact me. *Greg Thorne*

CHRISTMAS DINNER PARTY – SATURDAY 15/12/12





COMING EVENTS

7/1/13 Woodshow C'tee. Meeting
14/1/13 WTGV C'tee. Meeting
Bunnings BBQ – sat. 19th January
Monday 21/1/13 General Meeting

Raffle Sales Roster for members as per issued and
on display at clubrooms.

WORKSHOP SUPERVISOR ROSTER

Tues	Thurs.	Sat.
15/1 Bill	17/1 Lindsay	19/1 Ian
22/1 Vern	24/1 David	26/1 Carl
29/1 Willis	31/1 Bill	2/2 Lindsay
5/2 Greg	7/2 Willis	9/2 Neil
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