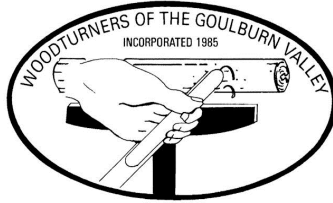


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PRESIDENTS PAGE

We are now in the midst of a busy month: the Melbourne Wood Show will be at Caulfield Racecourse on the 11th, 12th and 13th and '*KidsFest*' is at Kidstown, on the 19th and 20th of September. The Ballarat Wood show is on the 26th and 27th of September.

If you can help out at '*KidsFest*' please let me know as it will be 'all hands on deck' for load up and set up on Friday the 16th.

The change of month for the Melbourne wood show seems to have thrown everything out of sequence. It also clashes with Phillip Island 'turn about' as I write this page the small number of members going to the Melbourne wood show are car pooling.

Thank you to the members who worked on the updating of the machinery room and extension, it is now close to completion; on second thoughts we will probably continue to update and improve. With the new storage rack completed, we will be able to stock some descent timber which will be available for members to purchase.

We need to fit up our third security camera and sort out the recording section of the above, so we all know how to check the footage.

Toy working bees are now concentrated on Christmas toys so there will be plenty to do: finish sanding, painting, assembling and on to the next batch of toys.

Thanks to the eight members who endured the cold night at the Bunnings Father's day demo on Thursday the 6th September. Lathe and scroll work was on display, and 68 names were burnt onto rolling pins.

Can we have some members do a bit of gardening? As the weeds are making the area look untidy.

The Shepparton Agricultural show will be on the 9th and 10th of October. Spring is here. Enjoy it!

WOODTURNERS OF THE GOULBURN VALLEY INC. 3352K

GENERAL MEETING

To be held at the Clubrooms, 96 Packham Street, Shepparton
Monday 21st September, 2015 at 7.30 p.m.

Apologies
Correspondence
Treasurer's Report
Committee Business
General Business

Door & Raffle – Ray McDonald, Colin Brock
Show & Tell Chairman – Geoff Baker

If you are unable to attend and do your turn, please arrange prior to the meeting for someone else to take your place.

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

Held in the clubrooms, 96 Packham Street, Shepparton, 17/8/2015

OPENING: Meeting opened by President Len at 7.30 p.m. with 24 members in attendance.

APOLOGIES: 17. **Moved:** Willis Mundy that the apologies be accepted, **seconded,** Ray McDonald. Carried.

MINUTES: Minutes of the previous meeting held 20/07/15 as circulated in the newsletter were accepted. **Moved:** Alf Hayes **Seconded:** Alex Trotter. Carried

BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES: Nil.

CORRESPONDENCE: Since the last general meeting 14 Newsletters have been received from various clubs and organisations.

Promotional. Red back – Promo. BSC – Shepparton are now stocking Makita tools.

GENERAL:

1. Helen Taylor has offered to organise the emailing of Newsletters. After a three month trial members will be able to opt out of getting a printed version if they are happy with the email service.

2. Bendigo bank statement.

3. Paid invoice from Carbatec for the out feed roller.

4. Invite to Toolamba twilight festival Sat 28/11/15, 5-9pm- make sure it doesn't clash with our Christmas function.

5. CWC re upcoming wood shows – Melbourne- 11th to 13th September, Ballarat - 26th& 27th September, and Eildon – 10th October..

6. Ballarat wood show flyers from Owen & Helen Harris 26th& 27th September.

7. Wood Clearing Sale flyer at Kyabram-27th September.

Out: 1. Application for Roadside billboards. 2. Notice of wood show to Aust. Wood Worker, & Aust. Wood review. 3. Vern has made contact with the Tourism Co-Ordinator about broadening the Wood show advertising – Len to follow up.

Accounts: Tom Pedretti Electrical for 3 phase and 15 amp switch \$675.60. Integra locks \$380.00. W.B. Hunter sink fittings \$58.69 & steel for wood rack \$154.20. Solar City Office Equip, \$21.88, Ray McDonald \$127.40 for Search & Rescue lectern.

Moved: Jim Harrison that the correspondence as read be accepted, **Seconded:** Rob Blamey. Carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Balance Chq Acc. 1/07/15	\$11189.13
Receipts	<u>\$2898.21</u>
	\$14078.34
Less Expenditure	<u>\$3934.12</u>
Balance 31/07/15	\$10153.22

Chris informed members that to date only 21 subs have been paid. Members are reminded that subs are due and must be paid by the October General meeting. The financial statements for the 2014/15 financial year have been audited, receiving a favourable report. **Moved:** Max Gillard **Seconded:** Helene Meddings that the Treasurer's report be accepted. **Carried.**

COMMITTEE GENERAL BUSINESS:

1. Defib course is pending - awaiting suitable dates from Gary Lovell.
2. The stolen Gazebo is to be replaced along with the sides for both gazebos.
3. Toolamba Twilight Festival 28/11/15 will not clash with our Christmas function which is tentatively set down for the 13/12/15.
4. Ryobi battery drill to be replaced with an 18 volt, 12mm capacity chuck drill, as it is not charging and a new drill is only slightly dearer than replacing the battery.
5. Melbourne wood show – 12th or 13th September. Numbers required by end of August in order to organise the tickets.
6. Accreditation of 14 members has been completed. Any members require wishing to be accredited please complete the forms.
7. Kidsfest 20th-21st September. More helpers required, please put names up on white board if you are able to assist. Shepp News has done an article on Kidsfest, including information on our participation.
8. Orrvale Primary School has asked if anyone is interested in building some book shelves, 2500mm wide, 800mm high, and 300mm deep. See Len for more information if interested.
9. For safety reasons members are asked that during toy work shop days the area between the band saws and the sanders is avoided. Please use the toy area to access the sink and rear door to the machine room.
10. Toy workshop on 22/08/15 names required for catering purposes.
11. Father's Day Demo at Bunnings on 3/09/15 if available to help please place names on board.
12. Raffle prizes for the 2016 wood show are, Miners Couch, Cheval Mirror, Small Mirror and Hall Stand, Blanket Box, eclectic collection of small gifts, Bread Board, Segmented items, BBQ, and Vouchers. (Value of the miners couch thought to be about \$1000) It was suggested that the eclectic collection of gifts be replaced with a collection of kids toys.
13. A wood show preparation program has been drawn up and is available to any members.

GENERAL BUSINESS

Members accredited to use machinery to be displayed in the workshop area.

Geoff Baker informed members that Carrolls would not be at the Melbourne wood show, but would be at Phillip Island instead. If any members want to order from Carrolls, Geoff is willing to pick them up from Phillip Island.

Willis informed members that the machine room alterations are still progressing with further electrical work, timber shelving and ducting to be completed.

At the April general meeting a motion was passed that the entry to the 2016 wood show be set at \$8.00 per Adult with children under 16 admitted free, and a family ticket for \$20.00; at a recent Wood show committee meeting it was felt that the family ticket was unnecessary.

Jim Harrison moved a motion to rescind the motion, relating to the wood show entry fee, passed at the April meeting, seconded – Geoff Baker. Carried. Len

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SHOW AND TELL



Peter Meddings: Cutting boards



Len

Rob Blamey



Helen Taylor



Alf Hayes

Taylor moved a motion to set the 2016 Wood show entry price at \$8.00 per adult with children under 16 admitted free of charge, seconded Geoff Baker. Carried.
Bunnings BBQ – forms available 1/09/15. All members present indicated a desire to apply to run another BBQ.

Members required for pyrography at kidsfest. Please let Len or Chris know if you are able to help.

Club Competition:

Small lidded box won by Peter Meddings. Congratulations Peter.

Raffle:

1st prize – Ray McDonald, bud vase inserts.

2nd prize – Col Brock, Vitex Block.

3rd prize – Geoff Baker, Mustard spoon.

4th prize - Alex Trotter, 50 year calendar

5th prize – Frank Matthews, stain

6th prize – Len Taylor, stain.

Meeting closed at: 8.45 pm

CLUB COMPETITION – SMALL BOX



**Peter Meddings
winner**



Helen Taylor



Colin Brock

Jim and Greg – Wooden
for the 2015 raffle.

segmented vase made by Greg



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TOY WORKSHOP - 22/08/15:

While the majority of the Kidsfest kits are ready for the 19th & 20th September, with Christmas fast approaching! It was heartening to have 22 members attend our latest toy work shop on Saturday 22nd August, 2015. Being able to concentrate Christmas toys enable us to boost the number of toys in stock for our Christmas Toy donation. There was a great deal of cutting, sanding, drilling, turning, gluing and painting going on from 9am to 2.30 pm. Of course we had a break for lunch which was prepared by Jan Taylor and served up with the assistance of Glenda. The 17 members who stayed for lunch enjoyed a plate of tasty meatballs and penne followed by fruit salad and ice cream. I cannot forget to mention the beautiful scones (covered in jam and cream) made by Helene Meddings and the fabulous cream sponges provided by Greg Thorne, which we all enjoyed for morning tea.

A big thanks to those members who provided the beautiful food and to all those who turned up to participate in the toy making process, don't forget we still have a couple of workshops to go the next one being on the 26th September, 2015, there is still plenty left to do and remember 'many hands make light work'.

Chris Harvey, Secretary

EMAILING OF CLUB NEWSLETTERS TRIAL

With the ever increasing cost of postage we are looking to email as many newsletters as possible, and to this end we are running a three (3) month trial whereby you will get an emailed version as well as your printed version of the club newsletter. At the end of the three months trial you will be able to opt out of the email service, if you are not happy with it, or continue to receive the email copy only.

If you would like to have your Newsletter emailed to you please send an email to

gvwoodturners@hotmail.com

Please put your name in the subject line.

DEFIBRILLATION COURSE:

We have organised a Defibrillation Course for the Tuesday 15th September, 2015, at 7 pm. The course is to be held at the club room and will take about 1.5 – 2 hours. As many members as possible are encouraged to attend especially supervisors.

IN MEMORY OF VALE ROY MOSS

01/10/1919 - 24/08/2015



The club was well represented at Roy's funeral. The service was at Scotts Church and the church was at capacity. Roy joined the club in September, 1995. With his ability to make something from nothing he was soon respected by many members.

Roy made many of his own tools, jigs and adapted items to his own needs. He became a prolific tog maker along the way. With his Grandkids and Great Grandkids he made many and varied items for them but continued to support the club. He had a couple of changes of workshops along the way, but still managed to make four or five dining settings and other 'bits and pieces' well into his 90s.

Roy always said it was my fault that he got into woodwork. It was when Jan and myself took over the Tallygaroopna Post Office. Roy lived across the road and he asked me what I did in my spare time (if I had any), and when I told him I was in the Wood Turners club, he checked out what equipment I had. It wasn't long before he sent the shavings and sawdust flying.

Thanks to Roy and his family for their support of the club.

Len Taylor, President.

COMING EVENTS

Monday 14th September – Committee meeting
Tuesday 15th September – Woodshow committee
Sat. & Sun 19,20th – Kidsfest
Monday 21st September – General meeting
Saturday 26th September – Toy workshop all day
Saturday 12th December – Christmas dinner

WORKSHOP SUPERVISOR ROSTER

Tues	Thurs.	Sat.
15/9 Perrie	17/9 Lindsay	19/9 Rob
22/9 Peter	24/9 David	26/9 Don
29/9 Carl	1/10 Len	3/9 Perrie
6/10 Peter	8/10 David	10/10 Carl

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Thursdays p.m. Len plus supervisors

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