

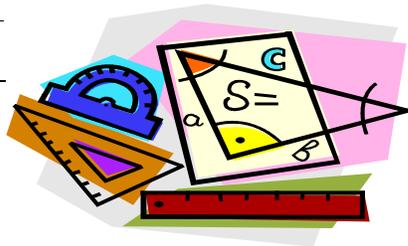
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The President's Angle

Coming soon is the Christmas Party and the plans seem to be all in order. Looking forward to a grand celebration with good music, friends, and loads of woodworking projects to admire and some to take home as well.

The Timonium Wood Show is right after the New Year and before our next regular meeting so keep in touch to have your work shown there.

There is another Santa carving class scheduled already and if the demand is there we could ask for more. Watch the schedule for classes this spring on more topics of interest.

Fred

The next AWG Guild meeting will be January 8, 2015 at 7PM at:

Davidsonville United
Methodist Church
819 Rt. 214
Davidsonville Md

The next AWG Board meeting will be December 18th at 7PM at:

Champion Realty
541A Baltimore
Annapolis Blvd
Severna Park, MD

More info at page 20



EXPERIENCED SAWDUST

By Andy Borland



PAT APPLGATE

Pat tell us about yourself, hometown, background, education, profession and other interest?

I was born in Kansas City MO but we moved to Baltimore at age three so you may as well say I am a Baltimoron. Grew up nearby Memorial Stadium in the fifties-fabulous place for a kid wanting autographs. My undergrad degree in accounting started me off as a Hospital Auditor and launched a 30+ year career in hospital finance-daunting task these days. I am notorious for far too many hobbies including golf, gardening, music, cooking, photography and oenophile in addition to woodworking.

How long have you been interested in woodworking?

Most of my life I guess but I got much more serious about it when Fine Woodworking magazine arrived on the scene and I acquired one of James Krenov's books that really opened my eyes to it in the 1970s. Making a living with a couple of kids definitely cramped my style on finances devoted to tools so I only had a makeshift shop until the 90's came along.

Tell us how you became a member of our Guild?

I had noticed the booth at the Woodworking Show in the late 90s but did not consider joining until I was accosted by a big old brute named Borland in 2000-the rest, as they say, is history.

What and who got you interested in woodworking?

In a way my Dad did although he was never handy with tools. He became the Scoutmaster in our neighborhood and as a Cub I participated in the Pinewood derby and made a pretty good replica of a 1950s Indy Car in Blue and Gold with a coping saw, rasps and sandpaper.

What are your favorite woodworking projects?

Those that allow me to work with special woods and utilize a combination of machine and hand work and elicit smiles and nice comments from those who receive them.

Have you received any awards or recognition for any of your projects and if so for what and by whom?

Actually the aforementioned Pinewood Derby car won Best Looking car in my Cub Pack in the 1950s. I have been recognized several times by AWG; one Christmas contest but mostly for organizational work I have done over the years. By design beginning in 2003 I began serving on the Board of Directors starting with two years as Secretary, two as Treasurer, one each as 1st VP, President and 2nd VP. Since then I have remained active as Education Co-Chair.



What or who influenced woodworking interest?

Numerous people and books/periodicals. Within the guild I have been most influenced by Don Ames, Ed Stone, Jim Luck, Harlan Ray and George Swisher.

What publications do read and use for reference?

The Books of James Krenov, Tage Frid and Garrett Hack have the most relevance for me. Krenov for design and philosophy, Frid for the most comprehensive techniques details and Hack for the finest combination of sensibilities leading to exceptionally elegant furniture. I have read a few different periodicals but far and away I find Fine Woodworking the most useful.



Describe your workshop?

It is in a state of transition right now and even though most of us who have shops would tend to say that at any given point in time mine is a major transition. I am preparing to move my large primary milling machinery out of my basement and into a newly built detached garage that will serve dual purpose. Pieces include Table saw, Jointer, Planer, Bandsaw, Shopsmith, Shaper and Cyclone Dust Collector. All except the dust collector will be on casters allowing me to use it both as garage and shop. My basement will house my Bench and Wall Mounted hand tool cabinet as well as multiple power hand tools joinery gear and finishing supplies.

You are now the Education Chair and you really seem to enjoy doing it. Why is that so important to you?

I do enjoy it and I will go back to my initial reason for joining AWG. In 2000 after seeing the members work on display in Timonium for a few years I said to myself, "I can learn from these guys!". Well, I have and continue to learn every year that goes by. Many people who seek education seem to delight in getting cheated- they do not come prepared, often don't pay enough attention and seem happy when class ends early. Not me, I bring everything I can that I tend to struggle with, I hang on the teacher's every word and am delighted to stay late with more questions. I'm gonna get my moneys' worth and bring that same attitude to all our educational efforts. I am convinced that the more we teach the more members we will retain and develop and isn't that really the bottom line of who we are and to what we aspire?

Are you doing anything special now that gives you great joy?

I've always enjoyed teaching woodworking skills and techniques and, through presentations, stimulating an interest in others, in woodworking.

Guild Interests

The Arnold Senior Center contacted the Annapolis Woodworkers Guild to see if we would make an 8 foot bench for their center. Bill Carbin was the lead and Andy Borland was his assistant. As you can see two old men are enjoying themselves as they lounge on the bench they just made. The Senior Center was delighted with the project.

Andy Borland



We need to locate the member that has the Worksharp. Please contact any AWG officer. See page 18.



Baltimore Woodworking Show

Show is set for January 2, 3, & 4, 2015. Vicki Kunde and Paul Dodson will be the points of contact for the show. We have volunteers for set-up, tear-down and for all show shifts. What is needed are items for display. We are looking for items that show the wide range of abilities of our members from the simple to the sublime.

HELP

The Guild is now recording our guest speakers with a digital video camera. What we need help with is editing the video to produce highlight videos of the monthly presentations. These highlight videos would be available for members to watch on our annapoliswoodworkers.org web page. We would also show these videos at the AWG exhibit during the Timonium Woodworking Show. Do you know how to edit digital video? Do you want to learn a new skill?? Email me at progchair@AnnapolisWoodworkers.org if you can help.

Rich Ellery



Mentor List

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Applegate	Patrick	410-426-8287	papple@jhmi.edu	Finishing with Shellac (brushed and padded)
Arndt	Michael	410-551-8588	MarylandWoodPro@gmail.com	General wood finishing and finish restoration/repair
Ashby	Bob	410-969-2910	toolsrus58@comcast.net	Shapers, router tables and tooling for same
Borland	Andy	410-647-1242	AHBorland@aol.com	Boxmaking
Chavez	Harry	410-863-5940	harry.chavez@gmail.com	Intarsia
Dodson	Paul	410-760-5382	pdwoodcrafts@verizon.net	Scroll saws and scrolling
Hirrlinger	Jack	410-798-1339	tjihirr@verizon.net	Toys, tricks and puzzles
Luck	Jim	410-647-6622	jfl39@verizon.net	Inlay and shaker boxes

The Toy Corner

By Andy Borland

Photos by Andy Borland

2014 TOYS FOR CHARITY

THE TOY WORKSHOP THAT MEETS AT ANDY BORLAND'S HOUSE (DON AMES, BILL CARBIN, WILL HOTTLE, BARRY FRANKEL, PAUL DODSON, JIM JORDAN AND MYSELF) PLUS CHRIS MCDONALD, LLOYD GLEASON, JACK HIRRLINGER AND A CAST OF OTHERS HAVE MADE SOMEWHERE NEARLY 1000 TOYS. WE CONTRIBUTE TO: BROOKLN PARK ELEMENTARY, CISCO HOUSE, SARAH'S HOUSE, SPAN, SALVATION ARMY, RICHARD HENRY LEE ELEMENTARY, OAKWOOD ELEMENTARY, PASADENA ELEMENTARY, TYLER HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY, MARLEY SPECIAL SCHOOL, ROLLING KNOLLS ELEMENTARY, SEVERNA PARK COMMUNITY CENTER, WOODS MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, VICKIES'S CHARITY, BALTIMORES NEEDY AND A FEW OTHERS. FOR ALL OF YOU WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED YOUR TIME AND ENERGY TO CREATE THESE WONDERFUL TOYS TO MAKE A CHILD HAPPY.

THANK YOU.



The Toy Corner continued

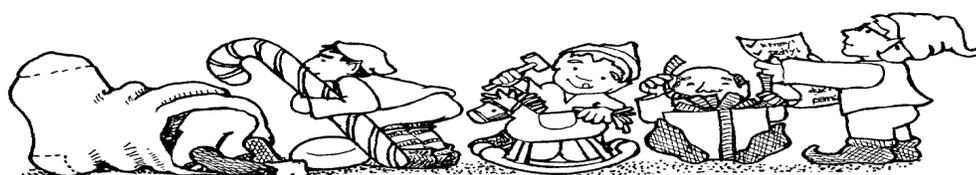


QUILTS AND DOLLS DONATED BY A HOST OF WONDERFUL WOMEN FROM ALL OVER THIS COUNTY.

THANK YOU



Toy Corner continued



Show & Tell



Bill Carbin and a selection of his turned pens.



Karl Hoke with his restored clock.



Bob Bridgers and his repaired "Last Supper" rendered in marquetry. Adam Schmitt assisting.

Show & Tell

continued

Jim Francis talks
about his curved glass
sconce.



Jack Hirrlinger and his cat-playing-with-ball pull toy.



Bernie Lammers displays his pie crust table.

More Show & Tell



Bill Carbin serves up his tray.



Lloyd Gleason and his push-pull oven stick.

Ed Stone cradles his gun stock.



An Andy Borland box.



**SHOW & TELL PHOTOS
BY ANDY BORLAND.**

The Santa Carving Class



Bill Kovalick

Dave Tate

Rich Ellery



Vicki Kunde

Paul Dodson

Bob Ashby

Fred Oakes

Harold Gooding





Photos: Bob Ashby & Rich Ellery



November Raffle Results



Vince Antoineli and the \$50.00 Lowe's gift card.



Ed Stone won the A-Line-System.

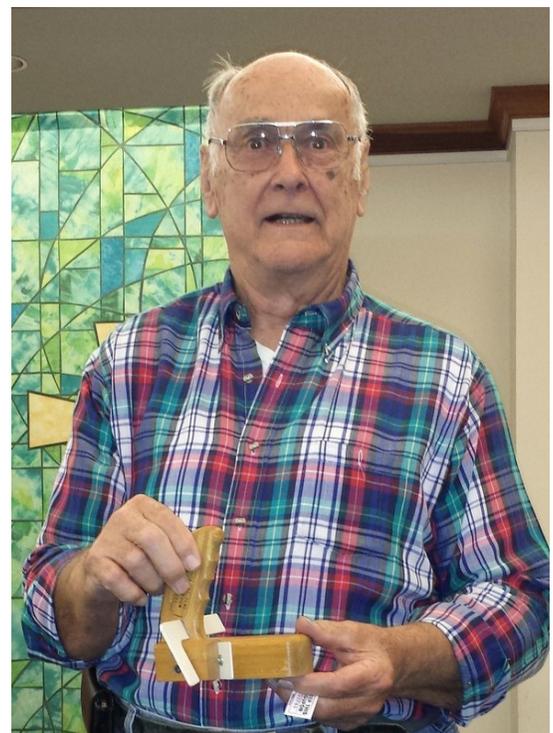


Sean Crowley with a set of clamps.

Wayne Dunlap of Dunlap Woodcrafts located in Chantilly, Virginia was November's guest speaker. He generously donated boards of various species, lengths, widths, and thickness for the raffle.

Paul Hanson, Bernie Lammers, Abe Lister, Pat Applegate and your newsletter editor went home with one of these donated pieces.

Thanks & appreciation to Wayne Dunlap.



Adam Schmitt and his magnetic featherboard.

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The Shellac Class



Pat Applegate shares his shellac expertise in this ever popular and informative class.



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THE ANNAPOLIS WOODWORKERS GUILD IS OPEN TO ALL WOODWORKERS FROM
NOVICE TO EXPERT

General Membership Meetings:

2nd Thursday of each month 7 PM

Davidsonville United Methodist Church

#819, Route 214, Davidsonville, MD

Executive Board Meetings:

4th Thursday of each month 7PM

Champion Realty

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Severna Park, MD

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