I had a visit with Jeff Thompson. He now has cherry and walnut available along with other local woods. Samples will be shown at the meeting.

The Dr. Seuss figures we built have been painted. They will be shown at the Head Start program held April 21 and 22 at the Cotillion. I think I will take a look at them.

More next time,

Ray

Sunflower WWG meeting minutes
March 2010

Meeting Notes from March

Last Month’s Minutes

Discussion of estate tool sale of Guy Waldo, time, place, Thursday and Friday of current week. Very good digital pictures of items, tools. Old Business: Band saw bulk order has arrived and being distributed. Total of 102 blades orders at 52% of usual price!!
Bulk order of magnetic hold downs and distribution is under way.

Book case construction report by Les Hastings---it is getting 'close to the end'
New member identification badges are coming.

SHOW and TELL:

Mike Hutton--reported on two pickup truck loads of lumber now available
Bill Tumbleson showed a 2 inch thick marble cutoff from marble table tops available for use. Reported on the sawmill in Halstead now available. He brought and demonstrated adjustable taper jig and hold downs.

Jerry Keen brought some great things from his son-in-law's hardware store--free for the taking: many different folding door parts, wheels, adjusters, springs, knobs. etc--great stuff.

John Siranko brought and presented a large, very intricate designed clock tower that took 3 months and over 120 hours to complete. He used his 20 inch DeWalt scroll saw with almost a gross (that's almost 144) of #2 and #3 blades to cut out many pieces of oak, cheery, plastic. He also brought an articulated rolling dog toy.

Cycil Donahoe brought a scroll sawed music box that won him first prize at competition!!

Wendell Parks demonstrated an old car toy and discussed making some for the toy project.

Discussion of Caldwell Lumber Co--location, travel time, good selection, good quality and reasonable prices!!
David presented a very thorough listing of many different types of glues and adhesives beginning with ancient animal glues, plant gums, fish protein glue, some naturally glue-like products—tree sap, up to current modern synthetics. There are contact glues, casein, hot melts, reactive glues and the choice varies with condition, location, weather involvement, and type and stress of joint. Natural glues have been made from egg white, rice, wheat and oat meal paste. Non reactive synthetics include hot melt varieties, EVA and PVA and resin glues—these are what most of us use. Contact cements are more for light strength applications on large flat or upright surfaces. Polyurethanes can adhere many different types of wood, cloth, plastic but are activated by moisture and foam out creating a mess for clean up!! Let it dry completely before attempting removal of excess!! Resin or urea glues are good for furniture joints but need a respirator for safety. Hot melt or plastic glues are good for temporary holding parts and for light strength applications. Tite bond has three different types of wood glue with varying water tolerance. He discussed how glue joints are tested for holding strength. He commented about the different epoxies and some fast acting two part glues and the 'super' or cyanoacrylates that can very very thin, or thickened and accelerated by additives for longer or shorter working time. The super glues are not ideal for furniture or joints with motion as they are brittle.

Thank you from Guy Waldo Family

Dear Sunflowers Woodworkers’ Guild Members,

We would like to thank the members of the Guild for all of their volunteer efforts and hard work the week of March 22, 2010. It was truly a monumental effort to price, clean and sell all of the items in our father’s, W. Guy Waldo’s, full-to-the-brim garage workshop. The enthusiasm of your members and the respect shown for our father is and always will be appreciated. Our father was extremely fortunate to have such a large group of exceptional friends and colleagues. What we thought would be an extremely sad week became something very different – an opportunity to learn more about our father from the stories the members shared with us. We found the stories to be humorous, insightful, and revealing of his personality as well. Knowing our father’s tools and hardwoods...
are in the hands of members of the Guild gives us a great pleasure. Thank you so very much for all of your time and efforts!
Warmest regards,
The Waldo Family (Doug and Laurie; Jeff and Chris; Greg and Myra.

Progress of Guild Bookcase

Classified Ads

Note: Members are encouraged to use the Knothole to list any items you may have for sale to other guild members.

Still available, rectangular phenolic blanks to make zero clearance inserts for your table saw. $5.00 each. Compare to $25 in the catalogs. Call or send me an e-mail with the dimensions of the insert you need to make. Jerry Keen 722-2735 or jmkeen118@gmail.com
Rockwell International 14" Bandsaw. Purchased it new. Asking $300 Garry Dougherty 316-722-5539

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