



**SUNFLOWER WOODWORKERS' GUILD**

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**"building of woodworking skills thru the sharing of knowledge"**

THE NEXT MEETING **Tuesday, August 27** AT  
**Downtown Senior Services Center**  
 200 South Walnut

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**Social Gathering @ 6:30 PM**  
**Meeting Starts @ 7:00 PM**

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**This months meeting**

We will have a representative from Allen Millwork to discuss various sheet good materials, methods to work with them, jointing, gluing and appropriate mechanical fasteners. They will also discuss various types of hardware that they use in the production of custom grade architectural cabinetry.

**From The President's Corner – August 2013**

Christmas is Coming

Every child soon learns where their parents have hidden the Christmas presents. Often those presents are already wrapped in colorful paper. I will not admit to ever unwrapping and rewrapping, however I would squeeze and shake

every present in the stack. By Christmas morning I would have chosen the present that I would open first. The first present would not be the big squeeze package from our aunt. It always had clothes. The first might be the one that rattled because I didn't know what was inside.

Now to the Woodworking message: Think about what you will make and give away at Christmas. Our underground TOY PROGRAM goes on. On my bench is a stack of eight little jewelry boxes and parts for small wooden biplanes. Also on my "to do list" is the start for an end table for my daughter and a box for my son. The grandchildren are not on the cut list yet. Emphasis on the word yet.

I know that it is August but start now making toys and gifts for Christmas.

**Minutes July 23, 2013**

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John Rhodes welcomed guests and new members; Mark Burlison, Bob Hambright, Tony Ferraro, and Jack Wings.

Bob Ziegfeld was taking photos for the member directory. Along with their photo, it will include name, phone, and e-mail addresses for the member. It will be distributed only to members and not put on our web site.

John announced availability of wood at the club's storage shed. This is especially good for those members making toys. Eg., 2" x 2" x 3' Philippine Mahogany and ½" x 3" x 4' white oak. Slim Gieser gave out his phone number as the contact person with a key to the shed. It is located at 4340 S. West St. in the "A Box 4 U" grounds.

Members were reminded to get their projects done for the October Sale Event at The Big Tool Store, 4640 E 63rd St S. in Derby. It is usually the 3rd weekend in October. If you have a demo you can do, please contact John Rhodes.

The Fall 2013 meeting of MID-WEST TOOL COLLECTORS ASSOCIATION will be held September 25-28 at the Ramada Plaza Hotel & Oasis Convention Center in Springfield, MO. Located in south central Missouri, there are a number of interesting things to see and do in the Springfield area. Branson, MO some 60 mile south of Springfield will be the destination of a tour planned for Thursday. The men's program on Thursday evening will feature a presentation of Ozark ingenuity in tool making by Jim Price. On Friday the Trade and Display room will open at 8:30 AM beginning with the displays followed by tool trading at 10 AM. With the first trade table priced at \$5, expect the trade room to be packed with a wide variety of items for trade or purchase. On Friday afternoon Don McConnell will present a program on the evolution of wooden planes from a plane maker's perspective. The popular tool auction will be Friday evening. You must be a member to attend. Membership is available at <http://www.mwtca.org>

Bob Ziegfeld reminded members of the Guild library located at 251 N. Cleveland.

Burt Unruh reminded members of the monthly hands on experience at his shop on the Saturday morning after each meeting. His shop is located behind his house at 2506 W 15th St. North (W 15th N and Meridian.) Mike Hutton will continue some more lessons about veneering. Burt will

discuss possible future projects for member to build. He suggested a traditional tool box as featured in Fine Woodworking Magazine.

Dan Hagenbuch is the one to thank for the tasty assorted snacks that were available. Having them located centrally in the room seemed to increase the number of members that took advantage of them.

Members were reminded of the tour of the Frank Lloyd Wright Allen-Lamb House scheduled for the group. It is located at 255 N Roosevelt. We will meet Oct 5 @ 9:30 am. Fee for the tour is \$10.00 per person. The tour will last about 60 to 90 mins. Photography is prohibited inside the house. The house was constructed beginning in 1915. Frank Lloyd Wright (FLW) considered the house among his best, and it is the last of the Prairie Houses. The furniture builders in our group will appreciate the 23 pieces of original furniture created by FLW and George M Niedecken.

SHOW--N—TELL:

John Rhodes showed a couple of adjusting marking gauges he made. One marked with a pencil lead and the other marked with a sharp point taken from a drafting compass.



Bill Tumbleson showed a fence he made to fit his bandsaw table. He also showed the 21" vise he added to the table top bench he made from plans he downloaded free from the Fine Woodworking Website.

Bob Ziegfeld showed a stool, for his daughter's vanity make up table, that he created from the pieces of a 50 year old chair. His wife upholstered it.



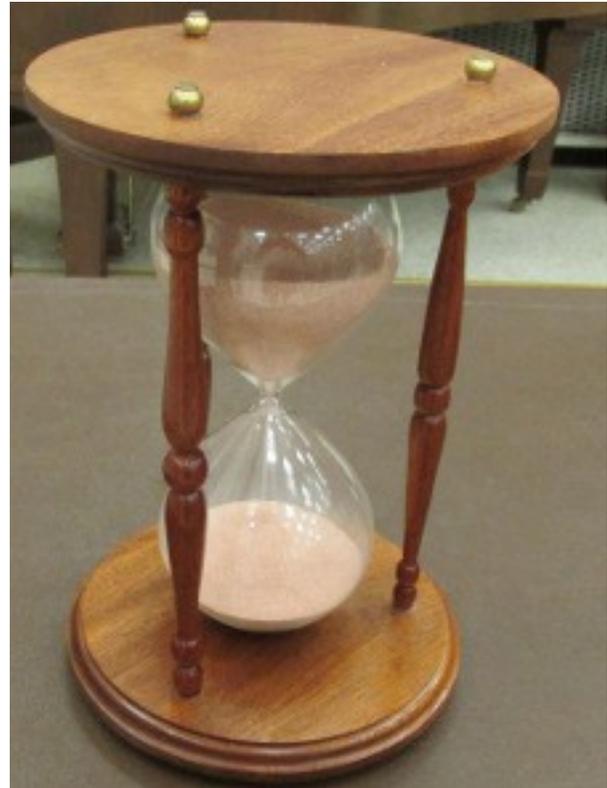
Jerry Keen showed a beautifully made model car based on plans from a 1994 magazine.



A phone number was given to reach John Tschetter about some equipment he has for sale.

1. Delta 8 inch jointer
2. DeWalt Planer with conveyor system.
3. Radial Arm Saw.
4. Unisaw and fence.

Larry Jesseph showed a chalk holder he turned out of Rosewood. He also showed a very nice sand filled hourglass that measures out one hour. He was able to turn the parts and the spindles on his lathe.



Mike Hutton showed how he practiced registering the shank of the Dremel bit against a pattern to make grooves for inlay stringing. He said even with the 1/32" bit that it did not flex enough to cause trouble.



Tony Ferraro of Logan St. Mill Co, Belle Plaine, KS. was introduced. He presented a series of beautiful slides showing examples of the kind of work he and his group produce. He discussed how technology changes are causing significant changes in his business. He lamented the passing of the “handshake deal” replaced by the need for highly detailed contracts. No longer can he just draw on the walls and then build it. He told anecdotes about some of the jobs he has done. For example, hand digging a basement room, accessed by a hidden trap door in a closet and entered by way of a unique narrow staircase. He called it a “Speak Easy” bar. As a type of business card he gave out a very nice multi page color brochure showing examples of his work.

The date for the December meeting will be Dec 17 instead of Dec 24

Meeting adjourned.

### **Frank Loyd Wright House Tour**

'There will be a tour of Wright's Allen-Lambe House at the southwest corner of Roosevelt and Second Streets in the College Hill neighborhood

on Saturday, the 5th of October, 2013. This is the first Saturday in October, which is the Saturday after the September Burt's Barn Saturday of September 28, 2013 (which is the Saturday after September's Tuesday 24th Guild Meeting).

The tour is scheduled to begin at 9:30 am. The person I talked to said it's about an hour long tour that many times stretches to 90 minutes and if there's a lot of interest shown by the attendees; may be extended to 2 hours. So we should be out of there in time for everyone to get home for a noon lunch.

This house and the Wright designed furniture inside are in the Prairie School 'style' dating back to the nineteen teens. I'm told there are about 22 pieces of original Wright designed, oak furniture which is closely described as in the 'Arts and Crafts' genre.

There are no photos allowed to be taken inside the building, but they are permitted around the exterior. Hopefully the enclosed garden on the north side of the house will be shown on the tour. You can bring along sketch paper and pen/pencils if you think you'll be interested in sketching some interior or furniture details, this is allowed.

The house is primarily two-stories, the main 'Living Room' area being the single-story only area of the house. The front door entrance is on Roosevelt, facing south, under the covered driveway. If I remember correctly, the entrance is on grade level, with a two or three step up once inside, to the main level. As far as I know, there isn't an elevator or lift to the second floor, but there is plenty to see on the first floor. The tour does include the second floor, it's just that it isn't accessible to people who are unable to take the stairs.

The cost is \$10.00 per person. You are welcomed to bring along a spouse or other family member (at the same cost per person). You are on your own for parking, so car-pool if possible. As far as I know there is no parking on the house property

itself, just street parking along Roosevelt and Second Streets. It is all residential neighborhood, so be respectful of the resident's driveways and their properties.'

### **The Book Nook**

Let's review another series in the guild library this month.

Popular Science is indeed a "popular" magazine and even though it covers a wide variety of projects the editors took the woodworking ones for each year and put them into a book. There are no breakdown by types, but there are projects for the kitchen, the living room, the dining room, bedroom, the home office, etc. The plans are pretty good, adjusting for the difficulty of each project. For example, the plans for a roll-top desk are eight pages, but just two for a child's toy. Though the pictures are black-and-white, measurements, diagrams, and materials lists are included.

Each volume includes a "Techniques" section designed to show woodworkers how to preform specific tasks. Some of these may be old hat to our members (how to use a feather-board?), but each book covers some helpful shop advice.

We have nine years of these volumes, from 1985 to 1993, but surprisingly we have 22 copies. We have decided to keep the hardback copies and offer the softcover copies to the members of the guild. If you would like one or more of these books, then please make a donation (a \$1.00) per book to the guild.

Have fun in your shop . . .

Bob Ziegfeld

### **BURT'S BARN**

Mike Hutton showed us some fine points of veneering. We also did some practice dovetails. The group included Mike Hutton, Burt Unruh,

Jim Huntley, Ron Jackson, Bob Johnston and John Rhoads

### **TOMB RADERS**

Technically we went into the storage container with flash lights to retrieve some lumber. The group included Bob Johnston, Burt Unruh, Mike Hutton, Slim Gieser, Galen Cassidy, Lucus Christopher, Larry Jesseph and John Rhoads Thanks to Slim Gieser for opening the door to the container.

### **TWO EVENTS FOR EVERYONE TO PARTICIPATE IN**

September 15th at Richard Wolf's in Kechi  
October 19th at the Big Tool Store in Derby

We will put up a tent with our banner. There will be tables to display all the projects made by Guild members.

These two events will be great ways to show what the Wichita Sunflower Woodworkers Guild is all about. Plan to make something to display.

### **Classified Ad**

Delta DJ20 8" Jointer on Delta mobile base, used once \$1000.

DeWalt 7770 10" Radial Arm Saw on modified Delta mobile base, 230 V \$300.

DeWalt DW733 12 1/2" Planer mounted to 17' mobile conveyer, \$400.

Thank you very much,

John Tschetter [316-943-1543](tel:316-943-1543)

Guild Members,

I received a windfall of tools and nails this past spring and would like to pass along to all of you the almost 20 pounds of nails. I would be best if each person take one pound of something, but leave the rest for others. If there are any packages left at the close of the meeting, then take all you want. I don't want to take any home. Here is a list of items:

<i>Size</i>	<i>Item</i>	<i>Volume</i>
	1/2" Furniture Tacks	6 vials
3d	1 1/4 " Ring Shank nails	3 lbs
4d	1 1/2 " Roofing Nails	4 lbs
5d	1 3/4 " Nails	2 lbs
6d	2 " Nails	2 lbs
8d	2 1/2 " Nails	7 lbs

box of four 30 amp breakers (screw type)

1 large jar of roofing tins (2 lbs ?)

1 container of old cabinet hardware

one small can of misc. screws

Bob Ziegfeld

## Sunflower Woodworking Guild

### *Library Rules*

#### **Books**

We recommend that members check out just one book at a time. Our purpose here is to keep as many books in our library as we can so that if any other member wants a book, it is available to him/her. So, borrow just one book, but be diligent to return it when you are finished.

#### **Magazines**

There are three recommendations for the use or access to the magazines:

- Do not take any magazine home.
- Copy the plans you want, but leave the magazine.
- If you have searched the internet and found a plan in *Wood Magazine* (or any other magazine that we have in our library) but don't want to

spend \$5.95 for it, contact the librarian and he can make a copy it and bring it to the next meeting.

[Note: Depending upon technology, those plans may be sent directly to a member via the internet.]

#### **Other Media**

There are other media available besides books and magazines. We have DVD's and VCR's. Our policy here is the same as with the books, borrow just one item. Again, our purpose is to keep as many of these resources in the library available to our members as we can. [Note: It is our desire to upgrade some of these materials, so if we can get it done we would like to convert the VCR's to DVD's since few people have a tape player any more.] As we mentioned at the June meeting, we also have a domino jig but it is currently checked out.

#### **Donated Materials**

If any of the members have woodworking books, magazines, or DVD's that you no longer use or want, please consider the guild as a place to pass them on to.

#### **Library List**

It is our desire to make a list of the books, magazines, and other media available to the members. The

librarian is currently entering these items into a giant Excel file to create a "master list." The challenge

we have is getting that list to the members.

Printing copies is not practical, so we will be examining various options and one of those is to include that list on the guild website. Please bear with us, for that will take several months to set up.

Thanks much.

Bob Ziegfeld

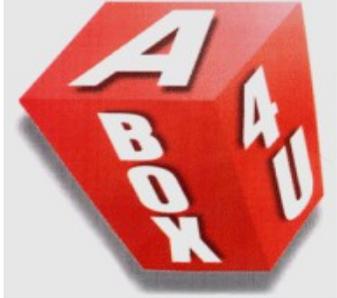
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