

OCTOBER 2019

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WOODCRAFT MATTERS

Opposite 8 Anderson St.,

Behind the

Manningham Templestowe Leisure Centre

www.woodcraft-manningham.org.au

IF AN AMBULANCE IS CALLED QUOTE ABOVE ADDRESS, AND MAKE SURE SOMEONE IS WAITING AT THE ENTRANCE TO GUIDE THE AMBULANCE IN AS THEY MAY MISS THE ENTRANCE. THIS IS A MATTER OF LIFE AND DEATH.

MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING

Dear Members there will not be a monthly meeting for October as we do not have a guest speaker, nor will there be a November monthly meeting as it clashes with Melbourne Cub day.

START TIME IS: 7PM

DATE: TUESDAY 1st October

Don't forget your name badges.

PRESIDENTS REPORT

President John is on extended leave so there will be no Presidents report this month, but I'm sure there will be plenty of photos to show when he returns. Hopefully he'd have brought me back a piece of Woollybutt to see what all the thus was about. Put my dog at rest also.

Our Woodwork Calendar

Club Night: First Tuesday of each month except January.

Committee Meeting: Third Wednesday in the month.

OCTOBER: WOOD CARVING WEEKEND AT CLUB 5-6 OCTOBER REF MEL FORBES

OCT/NOV PIANO TRANSFORMATION CHALLENGE AT THE MEAT MARKET, VIC WOOD WORKERS ASSOCIATION

DECEMBER: CLUB CHRISTMAS LUNCH Contact David Cretney 13th December

JANUARY: AUSTRALIA DAY BIRD BOX MAKING Contact John Paine 26th 2020

MARCH: TURNFEST WOOD TURNING GOLDCOAST 27-29th 2020 <http://www.turnfest.com.au/>

JUNE: ROYAL MELB SHOW WOODWORK COMPETITION ENTRY CLOSING DATE

JUNE: WOODCARVERS VISIT TO WODONGA 1-2 JUNE REF CHARLES CASTLE

EXCESS TOOLS

My clearing out has coincided with acquiring some items from a deceased estate. I am hoping that some of these items might be useful for a group member or members;

- 1 Triton router/jig saw table top. Unused, in excellent condition, see pics. Free, or make an offering if you like.
- 2 235 mm/9 ¼ " saw blades. Qty 4
 - 2.1 Irwin twin pack, both used. 20 tooth blade, 1 tooth broken. 30 tooth blade, all teeth intact. Both blades used.
 - Hitachi 20 tooth blade, 6 teeth missing. Very used!
 - 2.3 Vermont Dyanite 60 tooth blade. Unused, but has some surface rust (it seems water somehow got into the packaging).

You might feel some of these blades have value ie the Vermont blade, but the Irwin blades look ok too. Free, or make an offering if you like.
- 3 Tool box (red and blue) with miscellaneous items, some in good condition, but mostly not. See pics for contents. Free.
- 4 Assorted nails, bolts, rivets and a few screws. Free.
- 5 Metal cabinet (green) 880 x 300 x 210 mm. Some rust on the bottom, more than superficial surface rust, but not rusted through. Free.
- 6 Red tool cabinet in pretty good condition. Free.

I have included what photos I felt words alone would not do justice to. (editor)

Contact Cass in Donvale 0419 19 76 70 if you are interested in any of these.



OCTOBER CARVE-IN

Dear Carver

This is a reminder about the WM Wood Carving Weekend to be held at our Clubrooms and the adjoining Basketball Centre on the corner of Anderson and Parker Streets Templestowe.

ON SATURDAY 5 AND SUNDAY 6 OCTOBER 2019 AT 9.00 AM

Since space is limited I suggest you book and pay as soon as possible.

If you are the person who paid anonymously online from a bank named "Bank First", please let me know who you are!

The Registration Fee of \$30 covers lunch, morning and afternoon teas on both days and the hire of space in the Basket Ball Centre. Payment may be made by: cash direct to me on a Thursday morning cheque made out to Woodcraft Manningham Inc, posted in the mailbox at the Club or to me at the address below

direct deposit (to BSB 633 000 Acc. no 1307 74896, please mark reference as "CI" and your surname)

Attendees will work on their own Carving or Pyrography projects. Bring your tools along, and if possible also your own work station.

A Saturday night group dinner will be held at a local hotel and is at your own cost.

Please reply ASAP, indicating whether you will attend, whether you'll be bringing a partner, and whether you have any dietary restrictions. No need for any paperwork.

Regards

Mel Forbes

Phone 0417 104197

29 Ferdinand Ave, Balwyn North, VIC 3104

Cancellation/Refund Policy: Full refund up to 48 hours before the workshop. 50% refund if cancellation less than 48 hours before.

MORE FROM THE WEB

WEB LINK

CONTENT

<https://mvflaim.com/2011/07/24/re-japanning-a-plane/>

HOW TO JAPAN A HAND PLANE

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vVcf6tEmkNs#action=share>

HOW TO SHARPEN A RIP SAW

https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=336&v=3EdQq5iAGYs&has_verified=1

Accident on a lathe due to long sleeves

https://www.popularwoodworking.com/tools/understanding_bench_planes/

Understanding bench planes

VALE JIM WALKER

Last weekend whilst at Downunder Turnaround we were advised Jim Walker had passed away the previous week.

Jim was head of department at RMIT where Central Woodturners were formed which then became Woodcraft Manningham.

As a patternmaker Jim's skills were far beyond the attempts us mere mortals.

I remember Jack Jones would issue a drawing for a project & when it was presented the following month Jim's was always "spot on" to the millimetre.

As he lived in Aspendale when we moved to Templestowe he decided to join Peninsula Woodturners Guild where he became a very valued member.

RIP Jim Walker.

John Wheeler

VACUUM SYSTEM FOR SALE

I have just upgraded my dust extractor and have my old system for sale.

The system includes a Carbatec DC-1200P 2 HP dust extractor, cartridge filter, Oneida Dust Deputy steel cyclone separator fitted to a quality 200 litre drum and a remote on/off system.

Various hoses and fittings are included.

The total new value is over \$1,200. I am looking for about \$350 or make me an offer.

I prefer to sell it as a system but could separate the dust extractor and cyclone if necessary.

Note that with the cyclone, almost no dust or chips get into the filter or bag. I empty the drum on the garden as mulch.

Email or call me on 0403 329 577 if you are interested.

I am happy to deliver and help set up if needed.

Thanks

Bill Wood



New in the Library

New issues of Australian Woodworker and Carving Illustrated have recently been added to the library. Of particular interest is an article in Carving Illustrated #88, on Hand Exercises for Carvers. To help in developing flexibility and strength for when you put in long hours with the hand tools.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

The Christmas Lunch is booked for Friday 6th December at 12.00 for 12.30 Start.

Venue Templestowe RSL

NEW CATERERS !!!

Estimated Cost -- approximately the same as last year

Similar format to last year with the inevitable tweaks to make it a Grander Event than Last Years Members and Partners display.

David Cretney

Library

We've received the latest issue of Wood Carving magazine.

A book has been added to the library: Carving Gargoyles, by Shawn Cipa, accession number 1205.

A reminder that, if you want to find a book on any given subject, just use the pdf catalog file that's on our website and search by keyword.

CLUB ROOM CLEANING ROSTER

Note: Each group cleans once in 18 months with the exception of those that meet weekly, they clean twice as they create more dust etc.

GROUP LEADERS PLEASE CHECK THE SIGN IN BOOK AS THE CLEANING RESPONSIBILITY FOR EACH MONTH IS NOTED IN RED.

Any enquiries to Allan Way. 9459 9049.

2019	October	Friday AM carvers
	November	1 st Thursday turners
	December	4 th Friday scroll saw etc.
2020	January	Day turners Wednesday am
	February	Thursday PM carvers

DOWN UNDER TURNAROUND 2019

On page 6 are attached a few photos of this years DUTA.

The attendance was down a bit this year, about 95 attending, but well worth the visit. Three from our club attended Ron , Leon and I from the Thursday night group, and past member Ian Hansford.

Next year it will be on again, dates are **11th to 13th September 2020**. More info and booking details a bit closer to the date.

Regards

Allan Way



Below Ken Reed with a relief carving he brought into 'Show and Tell' last Friday, I think the photo and the smile says it all.



COMMITTEE MEMBERS

President:	John Paine	0411 451 234
Vice President:	TBA.	
Secretary:	Bob Edwards	9853 1795
Treasurer:	Bill Wood	9844 2459
Membership Secretary:	Bill Wood	9844 2459
Safety:	David Cretney	9486 2736
Club Publicity Officer:	TBA	
<u>Committee members:</u>		
Trevor Jenkins	0407 825 474	
Allan Way	9459 9049	
David Cretney	9486 2736	

Contacts at Woodcraft Manningham including **days** and **times**.

WOOD TURNING DAY TIME



<u>1st Monday 9am</u>	Don MacDonald 9830 1174
<u>Every Wednesday 8.30 am</u>	Bert Lopes 0419 591 490
<u>Every Wednesday 1.00pm</u>	Bert Lopes 0419 591 490

CARVING DAY TIME



<u>Every Thursday 8.30am & 1pm</u>	Trevor Jenkins 0407 825 474
<u>Every Friday 8.30am</u>	Geoff Francis 0414 485 949
<u>2nd Friday 1pm</u>	TBA

CARVING EVENING



<u>Every Monday 6.30pm</u>	Ernie Gmehling.0401924205
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N.B. any queries Re: Carving contact John Paine ONLY

WOOD TURNING EVENING



<u>1st Thursday 6.30pm</u>	Stuart Watson 9886 1893
<u>4th Thursday 6.30pm</u>	Allan Way 9459 9049

SCROLL SAWING, PYROGRAPHY & INTARSIA DAY TIME



<u>2nd & 4th Friday 1pm</u>	N/A
<u>Every Friday AM</u>	Geoff Francis 0414 485 949

BOX MAKING DAY



<u>1st & 3rd Friday 1pm</u>	Richard Fyffe 0431 091 108
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TOY GROUP DAY TIME



<u>Every Tuesday 9am</u>	Ken Morrison 9723 5030
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BOX MAKING EVENING



<u>2nd & 4th Tuesday 6.30pm</u>	Ron Bentley 0466 604 120
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Remember

If you miss your normal meeting you are welcome to do a "make up" by attending another group that month. Just give the group leader a call to let them know you will be coming along.

CLUB ROOM PHONE NUMBER 9846 8148