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WOODCRAFT MATTERS

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MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING

The guest speaker for June will be David Cretney. David is a Bag Pipe player he will be talking about the great highland, the Irish, the Scottish small pipes and the Northumbrian and Cornish pipes. He will be particularly talking about he wooden reeds used to produce the sound although these day some of the reeds are made of plastic these days

START TIME IS: 7PM

DATE: TUESDAY 7th of JUNE



Presidents Report

The club's financial year is drawing to an end, with our Annual Meeting to be held prior to our July Club Night on July 5th at 7.00pm.

All positions in the committee are open, so we ask all Leaders to discuss this in detail, with their groups, as we want nominations to get the best people on the Committee to lead our club into the future. Nomination forms are on the Club Notice Board and ask for nominations, to be placed in the Committee box on the sign in Table.

We ask you all to make an effort to be in attendance at the Annual meeting, to thank you outgoing committee and to welcome your new Committee.

Last month I announced we had applied for a grant from Council for the Toy Group to buy raw materials for 2017. I apologise for wrongly informing you, due to a miss understanding on my part. This did not occur, however we will be making application later in the year.

I am very disappointed to have to report, that we believe items are being stolen from our club rooms.

- a. Some time ago we had a digital Protractor vanish from the Box Making Group.
- b. Over the last 4 weeks, our Club Rechargeable Drill and Charger have vanished.
- c. The Hitachi Drop Saw stored on the front Shelves is missing.
- d. The Coffee Money Jar has disappeared, then replaced with Sale of Timber Jar, and monies from that, appeared to have vanished.
- e. As well as a few sundry items.

If anyone has any of these items, return them immediately.

I ask all of our members, please notify your Leader or the owner, if you want to borrow something, which is common courtesy, and the logical thing to do.

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It is beyond comprehension, that a club member would do such things. So please all be aware and keep your eyes and ears open and report to your Leader if you know something as this MUST be stopped.

In the meantime, hence forth, with any sale of our timber, we ask you to place your money in an envelope provided [near committee box]. Place your name, and what you have purchased, and the amount in the envelope, and put it in the committee box, mounted on the 'Sign in table.' In future we will only leave \$5.00 in the coffee bottle and Drink bottle.

The OH&S group have decided not to replace the Band Saw. But in future, PLEASE NOTE, you are to switch the machine off by the switch or Foot Switch, and lower the Bearing Support Mechanism, down to its lowest point, so the hand cannot grab the blade. The adjusting knob is on the right and side of the machine. Loosen clamp and lower the vertical arm to the bottom.

It had been reported that there was not enough lighting when going to the toilets at night. I investigated, and found the light on the corner of our building, two lights above the toilet doors, and a light on the corner of the basketball building nearest to our club rooms, were all not operating. This has been reported to Council and actions is being taken.

I reported that we could not have use of the Basketball Stadium for our October Carving weekend this year. We have now received a welcoming email to say, cancel what we were told, so Carve Inn Weekend, now is on as usual, in the same hall. Great News.

The planer has been sold and delivered.

Remember the Turning Exhibition is coming up soon, details in the Newsletter.

Get a group together and make the visit a real learning experience.

Pauline Castles hand operation went well and Charles is performing well as a great nurse I am told, but he says it's MUCH harder than being a Doctor.!!!

Richard Fyffe had a Hernia operation last Thursday, now home and processing well.

Our Vice President John Payne is on a 6-week overseas trip.

Hope to see you all at Club Night, on June7.

Bruce Hensell

President.

AUSTRALIAN WOOD TURNING EXIBITION

Calling all wood turners to start creating and enter the 2016 Australian Woodturning Exhibition. Conditions of entry and entry forms are now available on their website www.awtex.com.au Closing date for entries is the 20th May 2016. Best of show wins \$1200 plus the top of the range Dremel and its accessories. Come on and make Woodcraft Manningham proud. All entries will be exhibited at the Waratah Rooms, Whitehorse Centre, 397 Whitehorse Road, Nunawading from 17-19 June 2016.

New for this year \$250 prize for the best woodart in both the open/intermediate section and novice section. Plus if you have a child or grandchild who is turning, Dremel are sponsoring the best student award and will give the best student a Dremel starter kit and accessories. Woodcraft Manningham are proud sponsors of this event so please give the event as much support as possible.

If you need further information, please contact Rachele on 0416656786

NOTICE OF 2016 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

To be held on Tue 5th July 2016 at 7:00PM in the Clubrooms

Agenda

The AGM will be held before the usual monthly meeting.

Chairman: Bryan Thompson

- Confirmation of minutes of AGM held 21st July, 2015
- President's Report
- Treasurer's Report
- Election of Officers of the Association
 - ◇ President
 - ◇ Treasurer
 - ◇ Secretary
 - ◇ Five ordinary members of the Committee
 - ◇ Vice-President ; elected from the ordinary members of the Committee
- Open meeting to floor to make any comments
- Presidents acceptance speech

Nominations of candidates should be made in writing (on the forms provided) to the Secretary. They must be signed by the nominee, for and a seconder. Nomination forms are to be completed and placed in the Committee Mailbox in the clubrooms by 5:00PM by Friday 1st July 2016.

We would like to see all members attend this special night to show your appreciation of the work done by the current Committee and to welcome and encourage the new committee.

Camphor Laurel tree

Bryan Thompson received a phone call yesterday afternoon from a man wanting to get rid of a freshly cut Camphor laurel tree in his back yard in Donvale.

The tree is about 9 meters high and 450 mm at ground level.

Apparently there is plenty of dark wood in this tree.

If your are interested please call him first. He also stressed the wood needs to go by mid June.

The contact is : James. Phone # 9842 3826.

MORE ON THE WEB	
Web link	Brief description
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lqSafVpWkyc	This Video was titled "How a carpenter say I love you" but Carvers and box makes should take a look at this brilliant piece of work.
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xAsJ5yS1CD0	Homemade bar clamps
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xkmf0EkrWu0	How to Make a Water-Based Finish Look More Like An Oil-Based Finish
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OqwGg-TD3yY	Masters of the Craft - Jere Osgood
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=laqBHssy7cQ	Masters of the Craft - Curtis Buchanan Green chair maker
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x8nJcB2oav4	Curtis Buchanan - 15. Carving the Seat with the Adze and the Scorp
P.s. there are so many videos of Curtis Buchanan just do a search for his name in youtube. This guy is real good.	
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9LI3sP1lo8w	Here's Why You Should NEVER Stand Behind a Tablesaw!
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rRakH7TrE2E	How to Sharpen Metal Files
http://www.popularwoodworking.com/wp-content/uploads/78-83_JUNE07PW_ANTIQUUE-FINISH.pdf	Creating an antique barn finish.
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iD2R2_0Ej2U	Masters of the Craft - Seth Rolland

OVER DUE LIBRARY BOOKS

The library is there for everyone's use, so if you have a library book which you've had for some time now would be a good time to return it so as to give a chance to other people to borrow it too.

CLUB ROOM CLEANING ROSTER

For 18 months from JUNE 2016 to DECEMBER 21017.

Minimum cleaning requirements are...

Clean all dust extractor filters

empty dust extractor.

Blow out motors using compressor,

bench tops, remove all articles clean, throw out all junk.

window ledges.

light fittings and dust extractor ducts.

vacuum all floor area.

vacuum all machinery internally and externally.

wash kitchen floor, clean sink and bench top.

Clean out your groups allocated storage cupboard, throw out all junk.

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.

2016	June	1 st Friday box makers
	July	Thursday AM carvers
	August	2 nd Tuesday box makers
	September	4 th Thursday turners
	October	2 nd Friday scroll saw etc.
	November	Day turners, Wednesday am
	December	Thursday PM carvers
2017	January	3 rd Friday box makers
	February	Day turners Wednesday pm
	March	Friday AM carvers
	April	1 st Thursday turners
	May	4 th Friday scroll saw etc.
	June	Day turners Wednesday am
	July	Thursday PM carvers
	August	Friday AM carvers
	September	Day turners Wednesday pm
	October	4 th Tuesday box makers
	November	Thursday AM carvers
	December	1 st Monday turners.

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.



Above Photos

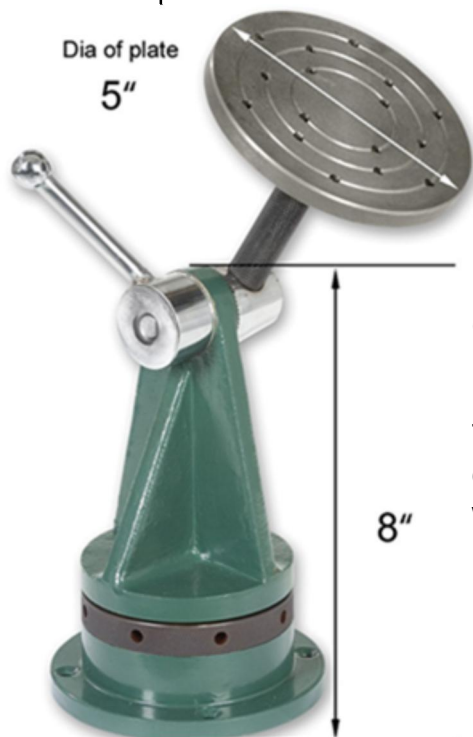
Top left – Bill Paul working on an art nouveau mirror frame.

Top Right – Neringa one of our newest carvers carving a fish in low relief.

Bottom left – David Runci carving an abstract sculpture from very dusty jarrah.

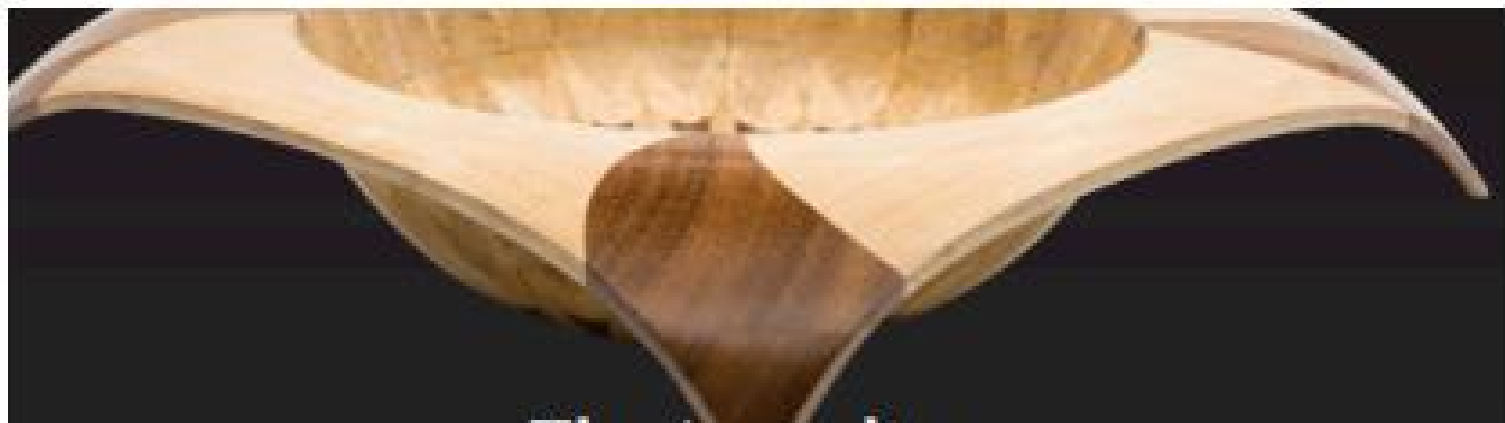
Bottom Right - Doug Ogden carving a large sea shell from silky oak.

(never seen him looking so good)



Carvers Stand - Missing.

The blue carvers stand is missing. If you find it lurking in the dark corner at the bottom of your shed please bring it back to our workshop.



The Australian Woodturning Exhibition June 2016

Waratah Room, Whitehorse Centre, Rear Council Chambers,
397 Whitehorse Road Nunawading MELB. VIC Melways Reference 48 G9



Public Showing

Friday 17th 10am to 6pm
Saturday 18th 10am to 5pm
Sunday 19th 10am to 4pm

Best of Show

\$1200 and top of the range Dremel with accessories

New for 2016 Best Student Award

Dremel Starter Kit with accessories

Total prizes in excess of \$10,000

Closing date for entries: 20th May 2016



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Pop's Shed

Entry form and conditions of entry available on website. www.awtex.com.au

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COMMITTEE MEMBERS

President:	Bruce Hensell	0419 519 191
Vice President:	John Paine	0411 451 234
Secretary:	Dereck D'Sousa	9879 9730
Treasurer:	Bill Wood	9844 2459
Membership Secretary:	Bill Wood	9844 2459
Training & Safety:	John Paine	0411 451 234
Club Publicity Officer:	Paul Williams	0411 333 050

Committee members:

John Tarry	9842 5324
Allan Way	9459 9049
John Paine	0411 451 234
Richard Fyffe	0431 091 108

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

WOOD TURNING DAY TIME



<u>1st Monday 9am</u>	Allen Payne 9878 8703
<u>Every Wednesday 8.30 am</u>	Herb Hardidge 9842 2671
<u>Every Wednesday 1.00pm</u>	John Tarry 9842 5324

CARVING DAY TIME



<u>Every Thursday 8.30am & 1pm</u>	Richard Salvado 9817 5252
<u>Every Friday 8.30am</u>	Bruce Hensell 0419 519 191
<u>2nd Friday 1pm</u>	Bruce Hensell 0419 519 191

CARVING EVENING



<u>Every Monday 6.30pm</u>	Ernie Gmehling.0401924205
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N.B. any queries Re: Carving contact Richard Salvado 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>	Bruce Hensell 0419 519 191
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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 9710 1686
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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