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WOODCRAFT MATTERS

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MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING

The guest speaker this month will be Reuben Rich. Reuben has recently returned from Turkey and Italy. There he had a scholarship to study framing, gilding, and carving. He has written a comprehensive report of his studies which is available on the Internet. This promises to give us insight into what is being done in countries and cultures quite different from our own.

START TIME IS: 7PM

DATE: TUESDAY 4th of OCTOBER

Don't forget your name badges.

Presidents report

Melbourne show woodwork results
Congratulations to the following

Relief carving	Thanh Duong	First prize
Lizard	Ken Reid	First prize
Ballerina	Phillip Lind	Commendation

A Combined Committee meeting held the night with group leaders.

Some points were:

Australia day bird box making in the city preparations are going ahead.

Club rooms booking calendar is located on the notice board showing groups on. If you would like to add something a request through the committee is required.

Out of order tags" are in use now for machines, but if repairs are needed on the building fix/place one near the problem, they can also show what action is required or has been taken.

The box making group will be making/buying a new router table & fence, this will be stored where the black tall stools are now. They will be placed on the shelf above.

We still have an opening for an extra committee person.
Bring along Show & Tell for monthly club meeting. This is always a highlight for me as it is always interesting what other people are doing.

Groups that still have vacancies. Can you spread the word. This is an approximate number of spaces available as of September 2016 (refer table in following page)

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Group	Leader	Available Places
Turners 4th Thursday (Evening)	Allan Way	3
Turners 1st Thursday (Evening)	Sturat Watson	3
Turners Every Wednesday (AM)	Herb Hardidge	Full
Turners Every Wednesday (PM)	John Tarry	Full
Turners 1st Monday (AM)	Allan Payne	4
Carvers - Thurs AM Every Thursday (AM)	Bryan Thompson	Full
Carvers - Thurs PM Every Thursday (PM)	Bryan Thompson	1
Carvers - Fri AM Every Friday (AM)	Bruce Hensell	3
Carvers - Every Monday (Evening)	Ernie	4
Box Makers 1st & 3rd Friday (PM)	Richard Fyffe	Full
Box Makers 2nd & 4th Tuesday (Evening)	Ron Bentley	4
Toy Making Tuesdays	Ken Morrison	Full
Scroll Sawing/Pyrography 2nd & 4th Friday (PM)	Bruce Hensell	6



People in above photo from right to left.

Pat Burder, Herbert Gmehling, Greg Williams, Manningham mayor Councillor Bretton, Bryan Thompson, Judy Wheeler, Humbit Bitten, Ernie Gmehling with daughter Sarah, Ben Rasalam and last is Ian Elliot.

Dear friends

I am honoured to invite you to the opening of the SACRED EXHIBITION in where they have included eight of my works together with the works of other seven artists.

The theme of this exhibition is that “artist from all over the world will be playing with your expectations of what is sacred”

I hope to see you at the inauguration where the Wyndham Council will take care of you with good wine and finger food or non-alcoholic drinks if you prefer.

Kind regards

Ricardo Pereyra

Wyndham Art Gallery

SAKRID


Artists from all over the world play with our expectations of what is sacred.
Anindita Banerjee, Behnam Khamisi, Brian Martin, Fono McCarthy, Safwan Muyeen, Julie Tippen O'Toole, Ricardo Pereyra, Mami Yamanaka.

Opening

Wednesday 7 September 2016 - 6:30pm to 8:30pm

Exhibition Dates

Until Sunday 6 November 2016

 wyndham.vic.gov.au/arts

Wyndham Cultural Centre
 177 Watton Street, Werribee



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Powered Dust Mask

Carbatec is advertising a powered dust mast at \$116. I am interested to how effective the mask is, i.e. how comfortable and how it keeps the dust out. Bryan Thompson 9459 4176

Australia day bird box drilling.

The bird box team met in September and cut up material for 305 bird box's. We had 15 kits left over from last year so this meets our quota of 320.

The components now need to be drilled and cut out. You will find them near the sign on book, they are hard to miss, your help in finishing of this Australia day preparation is greatly appreciated. If you take material home for drilling etc., please note the box you took them from (e.g. Sides, 160/80 sets, 3 of 4) and return them to that box when finished. Bruce will store then for us, and the team will check and bag the kits in January before the day. As they do clutter up the club room your early action on this would be appreciated.

Enquiries Allan Way 9459 9049.

WOODCRAFT MANNINGHAM
ANNUAL CLUB CHRISTMAS LUNCH

We are pleased to announce that this year's Christmas lunch will be held on:

26th November, 2015 from 12.00 noon

**Box Hill Golf Club
202 Station Road
Box Hill, VIC 3128**

The charge will be \$50 per person, plus drinks

Make this a great day and come and support the clubs family outing.

We would like all members to attend.

**REMEMBER TO BRING ALONG SHOW 'N TELL. WE ALSO INVITE YOUR PARTNERS
TO BRING ANY OF THEIR CRAFTWORK ALONG FOR DISPLAY**

If you require transport or any further information, please call Bruce on 0419519191

Please make cheques payable to Woodcraft Manningham and sent to

Bill Wood

9 Stiggant Street, Warrandyte 3113

OR by bank transfer BSB 633000 ACC 130774896

please mark payment as being for Christmas lunch and your surname

PLEASE ACT QUICKLY AS WE NEED TO CONFIRM NUMBERS TO THE VENUE

I/we would like to attend Woodcraft Manningham's Christmas lunch

Name/s _____

Members Group _____

Nos. Attending _____ @ \$50 per head. Total \$ _____

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!!

DOWN UNDER TURN AROUND

The 20th Down under turn around was held over the weekend of the 9th to the 11th of September. It was a celebration of twenty years of woodturning at the Cowes, Philip Island venue.

Congratulations to Bruce and Caroline Yalbot and Guilio Marcolongo for their dedication and organisation of this marvellous event. It is a major event in the Australian woodturning calendar, which attracted 106 turners from around Australia and New Zealand. Some of Australia's top turners were there including Vic Wood, Richard Raffan, Ken Wraight and of course Guilio. Our club was represented by five members; you may recognise them in the photos. I have included some of the "experts" and check out Alan McNaught's laminated vase, it has 90 levels and 3200 individual pieces.

photos attached, Vic Wood is in the Yellow jacket, Ken Wraight is in the orange with Ron and Saadie, Richard Raffan the grey and Guilio the green with yellow arms.

Allan Way



Health & Safety Report

All Members please note

Recently we installed beside the Maintenance Book a Box Containing "Out of Order Tag"

These Tags are to be attached to any equipment that is thought to be unsafe or in need of Maintenance and noted in the Maintenance Book. This equipment is then deemed to be out of Service until it is checked and the tag removed by the Maintenance Officer (Charles Hooi) likewise any new Electrical Equipment brought into the Club should also be tagged as "Out of Order" until tested and passed as Safe by the Electrical Officer (Alan Way). Only Alan or Charles should remove these Tags.

Please note on the tags the reason for isolating this equipment and also fill details in the Maintenance Book don't forget to advise Alan or Charles

Cheers David Cretney

H & S Chair



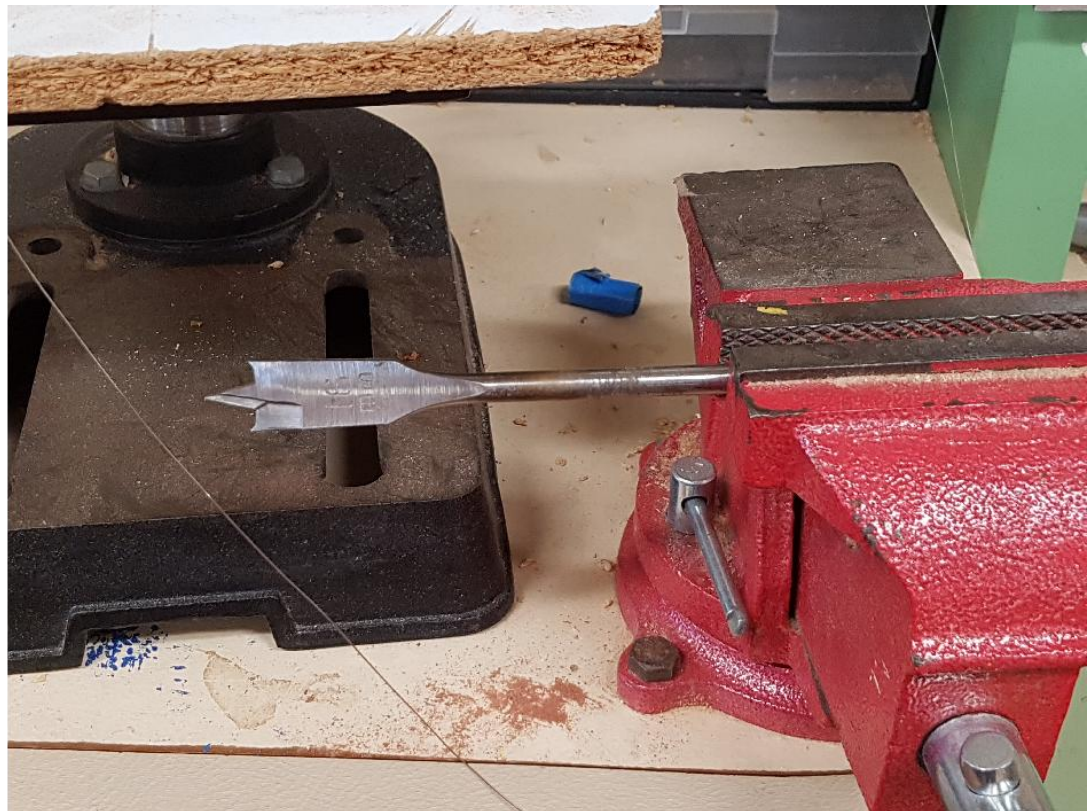
While we're on the subject of health and safety.

Recently I was helping with bee hive making and had to constantly turn around to my right to pick up more wire to wire up the frames and it wasn't till we were half way through that I noticed this spade bit sticking out from a vice as per the photo on the right.

I would have only been missing this bit with my elbo by only inches.

I'm sure it was put there for a good reason, but should have been removed when finished as I reckon stiches would have been involved if my body connected with it.

Also on the right a photo of a Stanley knife with a retractable blade, unretracted. That's why they made them like that.



We all have lapses in concentration.

Just please be as aware as possible when creating a possible hazard.



CLUB ROOM CLEANING ROSTER

For 18 months from JUNE 2016 to DECEMBER 21017.

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	September	4th Thursday turners
	October	2nd Friday scroll saw etc.
	November	Day turners, Wednesday am
	December	Thursday PM carvers

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.

Our Woodwork Calender

Club Night First Tuesday of each month except January.

Committee Meeting Third Wednesday in the month.

OCTOBER: Wood carving weekend 8th and 9th near club rooms.

NOVEMBER: Club Christmas party 25th November, Box Hill golf club 12 noon.

Looking for good home.

I have been contacted by John Malvon who is helping a friend to find a new home for a display case about 1800 high 500 wide with glass door. This will also come with the wood turnings inside. If your are interested for more details call John (9735 5019).

Monday night Carvers

There is currently room available if anyone would like to join the Monday night Carvers headed by Ernie Gmehling.

Contact Ernie on 0401 924 205

Friday morning Carvers

As per the above there is currently room available if anyone would like to join the Friday morning Carvers headed by Bruce Hensell

Contact Bruce on 0419 519 191



HEALTH AND SAFETY FIRST AID TRAINING 10 October 2016

The Committee has decided Woodcraft Manningham needs more people from as many different groups as possible trained in First Aid.

To achieve this aim, the club is subsidising participation by club members in a First Aid course. Details of the course are below. To register please list your name and details on the sheet which is displayed on the club's noticeboard.

If paying by EFT please include your surname as reference. Registration and payment required by 30 September 2016.

Course to be run by Onsite First Aid Trainers

Date: 10 October 2016

Time: 9.30-12noon. Lunch. 12.30pm-3.00pm.

Cost: \$25.00 Club Members

Numbers: Minimum 10. Maximum 15.

A light lunch will be provided by the club.

Registration and payment required by 30 September 2016.

(Initially the course is aimed at club members, however if there is not a minimum number of 10 members registration will be opened to partners, wives etc. However extras will have to meet the full cost of \$100).

Austin Polley
Safety Committee

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.

WOODCRAFT MANNINGHAM INC

Dear Friends,

You are invited to join us for a Wood Carving Weekend to be held at our Clubrooms and the adjoining Basket Ball Centre on the corner of Anderson and Parker Streets Templestowe.

ON SATURDAY 8TH AND SUNDAY 9TH OCTOBER 2016 AT 9.00 AM

Bookings are essential for both members and visitors by AUGUST 31st, as workspaces are limited. It is suggested you book as soon as possible.

A Registration Fee of \$30 covers lunch, morning and afternoon teas on both days and the hire of additional space in the Basket Ball Centre. Payment may be made by cheque made out to Woodcraft Manningham Inc, or by electronic transfer to BSB 633108 Acc. no 130774896, please mark reference as "WC and your surname". Saturday night dinner is at your own cost.

Attendees will work on their Carving or Pyrography projects and it would be advantageous if you could bring any special needs and work stations.

PLEASE RETURN YOUR COMPLETED FORMS TO ME AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. These are needed regardless of payment method.

Doug Ogden 39 Johansons Road Warrandyte 3113 or email superog@bigpond.com
Phone 03 9844 1355.

Accommodation is available nearby. Please ask Doug Ogden.

Name.....Club.....

Address.....

Ph.....Mobile.....email.....

Saturday Night Dinner. No.....(for reservation)

Are you an manual or machine carver? Machine carvers will use the Club Rooms

Do you have any special dietary requirements?

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FOR OFFICE USE: PAID: DINNER:

DETAILS OF ORGANISATION HAVE BEEN BLANKED OUT. FOR SECURITY REASONS.

2-9-2016.



Dear Rob,

Many thanks for posting the roof of the 'Treasure Chest' model home. Shoni-lee my mentee completed the model on Thursday & proudly showed it to her school teacher before taking it home protected in a nice box.

We have all enjoyed making models with the children, by reading the instructions one week & putting all the pieces together the following week.

Keep up the good work!
With grateful thanks & best wishes from Christina Ward.

SMOOTH AND POLISHED CLUB NIGHT

It was good to have another good attendance of about 40 members at the first Tuesday in September Club evening where after a tribute to deceased carving instructor, Richard Salva-do, president John brought us up to date with Club happenings. Austin and David followed touching on the toy group happenings and safety matters respectively.

The guest speaker was Rita from SANDPA- PER PLUS [Shop 184 Grange Rd Fairfield] who set out to describe the many uses of the stock she had on display ranging from every grade of abrasives through to wood finishes. It soon became obvious that at least two of our members were regular customers and had a more practical knowledge of sanding and finishes with Rita just having to quote prices. One loud voice from the back raised a laugh by suggesting that both Doug and Bill might use one of the products as a hair restorer. Rita was thanked for donating some of the finishing oils to the Club and quite a few members bought items from her at the end of the evening.

At Show'n'Tell time Bill Wood described his 3 drawer stand from a range of timbers;

Graeme Lovell showed 2 turned pine bowls.

Yen Ip explained his use of some ex builder's timber to make book ends featuring horses' heads.

Derek Borrell's display showed 5 frogs in different styles, most of which would be for the Club's next Australia Day stall.

Alan Way brought along a 3000 year [or so] old piece of NZ swamp Kauri and an interesting story of how it had been delivered to him by a Kiwi friend.

The evening ended with much chatting and the usual sumptuous supper with particular thanks to Rachael.



COMMITTEE MEMBERS

President:	John Paine	0411 451 234
Vice President:	TBA.	
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
Richard Fyffe	0431 091 108
Austin Polley	9844 3086

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

WOOD TURNING DAY TIME

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

CARVING DAY TIME

Every Thursday 8.30am & 1pm	John Paine 0411 451 234
Every Friday 8.30am	Bruce Hensell 0419 519 191
2nd Friday 1pm	Bruce Hensell 0419 519 191

CARVING EVENING

[Every Monday 6.30pm](#) Ernie Gmehling.0401924205

N.B. any queries Re: Carving contact John Paine ONLY

WOOD TURNING EVENING

1st Thursday 6.30pm	Stuart Watson 9886 1893
4th Thursday 6.30pm	Allan Way 9459 9049

SCROLL SAWING, PYROGRAPHY & INTARSIA DAY TIME

[2nd & 4th Friday 1pm](#) Bruce Hensell 0419 519 191

BOX MAKING DAY

[1st & 3rd Friday 1pm](#) Richard Fyffe 0431 091 108

TOY GROUP DAY TIME

[Every Tuesday 9am](#) Ken Morrison 9723 5030

BOX MAKING EVENING

[2nd & 4th Tuesday 6.30pm](#) Ron Bentley 9710 1686

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