



From The Shop

The newsletter of the Lehigh Valley Woodworker's Guild



Issue 2018-02

Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 20th, 2018 at 7:00 (6:30 if you can make by then)

Location: Woodcraft of Allentown

Speaker:

Topic: Working meeting: Assemble wood trains from parts donated to the club. Start Time 6:30.

The January meeting was an open forum discussion on getting some new members involved in the steering committee and discussing projects that we may want to work on this year.



STEERING COMMITTEE NOTES.

The Steering Committee again will be urging members to make blocks. Wood will be available at meetings for the "Block of the Month" program. Complete sets are now being suggested. Also starting this year we will be making as a group Rocking Horses and Toy Cars. More info to follow.

Also, we are looking at ways to encourage more "Drag and Brag" participation.

Scholarship fund. Remember that LVWWG members will receive \$10 from the Woodcraft of Allentown.

Dan Manturi has put together a short history of the Guild. If you have anything to add please let the Steering Committee know.

Shirts are still available—talk to Andy.

Hats are now available to those who ordered them. Also some extra were ordered—price \$11.00.

Nice thank you from St. Luke's University Health Network

January 15, 2018

Mr. Lou Supina
Lehigh Valley Woodworkers Guild
3111 Elizabeth Lane
Macungie, PA 18062-8969

Dear Mr. Supina,

Thank you for Lehigh Valley Woodworkers Guild your generous support of St. Luke's University Health Network during the past calendar year. You have truly made a difference in the lives of your friends, neighbors and family members – anyone who relies on our hospital to provide the best possible care when they are injured or ill. Caring for someone when they are sick is perhaps one of the most selfless and compassionate acts we do as members of our community and society as a whole.

Our records indicate that during the calendar year of 2017, your gift in kind donation(s) were as follows: 19 sets of blocks, 9 race cars, 4 rocking horses, cradle with blanket & pillow set and a tic tac toe board.

Again, thank you for all you do for St. Luke's and the community we serve. We could not do what we do each and every day without your faithful support. If your records do not match or you need additional information, please do not hesitate to call our office at 484-526-3067.

Sincerely,



Patrick J. Bower
Vice President, Development

*Your woodworking
is outstanding!
The children will love
those blocks for
those years.*

P.S. - Please retain this receipt as documentation and confirmation for tax purposes that St. Luke's University Health Network has provided no goods or services in consideration of this gift.

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OTHER COMMITTEE NOTES

Woodcraft will be sponsoring a chisel sharpening session on the first Saturday of the month. For the sum of \$1.00 they will sharpen any one chisel.

SPEAKERS AND PRESENTERS

We are ALWAYS looking for speakers, writers and articles to share with the members. If you hear of someone who can give a presentation or talk about something they have done that would be of interest, please let the committee know and we will contact them.

Website

The Guild website can be found <http://www.lvwwg.com/>.

WOOD SPECIALS

Woodcraft
PkwY Shopping Ctr.
1534 Lehigh St.
Allentown, PA 18103
610-351-2966

SHADY LANE TREE FARM
Louise & Mike Peters
5220 Shimersville Road
Emmaus, PA
610 965-5612 Please call

FLEETWOOD LUMBER & FLOORING
BRIAN BURKERT
27 Rapp Rd.
Fleetwood, PA
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Member discount 5%

Bailey Wood Products, Inc.
441 Mountain Rd.
RD#2 Box 38
Kempton, PA
610 756-6827

Leonard Rohrbach
Bernville, PA
610-488-6436
He has a woodmizer, and stocks poplar, red oak, walnut, sassafras, sycamore, pine, locust, and hemlock. Good prices.

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Coming Events

"Block of the Month" – More info at the meeting.
We now need complete sets of blocks.

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(3RD Tuesday!) - 7:00 P.M. (6:30 if you can)
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Month	Topic	Speaker
Feb 20, 2018	Assembling Trains	from wooden parts
Mar 20, 2018		
Apr 17, 2018		

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MEMBER'S MART

If any member has anything to sell, trade or wants, please contact Paul Bunting at 610-746-9901 or e-mail at paulbunting@mail.com. We will include it in the next newsletter. DEADLINE FOR INSERTING ITEM IS THE FIRST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH!!

- Wood River Mortising machine for sale. Machine has never been used. Asking \$150 or B/O. Includes the stand. Call Allen at (610) 419-4864. The machine is located in Bethlehem Township - about 20 minutes from the Woodcraft store.



- Stanley Model 45 in original box with extra blades. See Andy Anderson.
- Norm Bachman has wood he would like to sell, contact him at 610-657-3124.

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

- All shirts will be available for purchase at the meetings for \$10.00 (XXL—\$12.00). We have new hats for \$11.00.
- Please bring Drag and Brag items. We have all made things we are proud of.
- Consider writing a short article for the newsletter - some project you have done that is too big to bring in, a jig you made, any tips or tricks you found useful.

OTHER NEWS

Paul was made aware by a neighbor of a club in NJ - CRAFTS (Collectors of Rare And Familiar Tools Society) of NJ. Go to there website (<http://craftsofny.org>) for more info.

The Woodworking Shows will be at Secaucus this year on March 2-4. For more info, see: <http://www.thewoodworkingshows.com/new-jersey.html>. There are many seminars—some you have to pay but many are free—including Wood Turning, Dovetails, CNC—Basics and Advanced, Pen Making, Chainsaw Tuneup, Finishing and Tool Sharpening. See http://www.thewoodworkingshows.com/assets/seminar-list-2018_5.pdf for more info on the seminars.

WOODCRAFT WINNER



Congratulations to George Baxter
— our winner for January!

Drag and Brag.

Michael Moody with a nice set of bowls that he turned.

