

# From The Shop



The newsletter of the Lehigh Valley Woodworker's Guild

Issue 2018-04

Next Meeting: Tuesday, April 17th, 2018 at 6:30 (note new starting time so the store can close at 8:30)

**Location:** Woodcraft of Allentown

Speaker: Topic:



Tim with box made with the Convex Curve Cutter (see http://www.convexcurve.com/). Expect him do demo the jig soon!



Andy brought in a "Boot Saver" walking stick / cane. No one figured out how to use it until "demonstrated".



# **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 <a href="http://www.lvwwg.com/">http://www.lvwwg.com/</a>.

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# 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 610 944-8364 Please call 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.

Next Meeting: April 17, 2018 (3RD Tuesday!) - 6:30 P.M.

Location: WoodCraft Store, Allentown

Topic:

Month	Topic	Speaker
Apr 17, 2018		
May 15, 2018		
Jun 19, 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!!

Norm Bachman has wood he would like to sell, contact him at 610-657-3124.

#### We have Shirts for sale!!

They will be available at the meetings and are \$10 for M/L/XL and \$12 for XXL.

#### We have Hats for sale!!

They will be available at the meetings and are \$11. One size fits all.

2018 Annual Membership Dues are again \$36.00. Please give to Paul Bunting or Bob Lindenmuth at the meeting. We are accepting cash, checks and now credit cards.

#### 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**

If you have completed any Blocks or Trains or other Toys, please bring to the meeting so they can all be stored in one place.

# **WOODCRAFT WINNER**



Congratulations to Tim Enot — our winner for March!

**Drag and Brag.** 

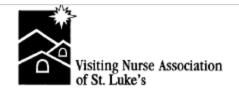
None this month.

New club starting at WoodCraft—Woodworking CNC Club.





Tim is looking to order thin sheets of Silicon Rubber—perfect to cover your workbench when gluing or painting. See http://www.rubbercal.com for more info





April 2, 2018

Lou Supina Lehigh Valley Woodworking Guild 3111 Elizabeth Lane Macungie, PA 18062

Dear Mr. Supina and the woodworkers of the Lehigh Valley Woodworking Guild:

I hope this letter finds you all healthy and weathering the inundations of snow we have had recently. I am very ready for Spring weather!

I have enclosed a thank you card for you. It was written by a client of ours whose daughter received the baby cradle that your organization so generously donated for one of our families. This energetic little girl loves to play with dolls and she was so excited to receive a bed just for her "dolly"! She immediately covered the doll with the beautiful blanket that came with the cradle. I hope you enjoy the photos that are included with the card!

We continue to be so extremely grateful for the items that your talented hands created. As I had told you before, the timelessness of these wooden creations remain a staple for these children and the development trajectories. We are honored that you have chosen to support the learning of these youngsters!

Thank you again! Please send our gratitude to the whole woodworkers guild and convey our heartfelt appreciation for their time and talent.

Sincerely,

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Tina Wida, RN, BSN

Program Manager, Nurse-Family Partnership

St. Luke's Visiting Nurse Association



# **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 Trains, Rocking Horses and Toy Cars. More info to follow.

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.