January 2006



Northern Rockies Woodworking Guild

Next Meeting

- The next meeting will be at the High School shop. Ken Emerson will demonstrate techniques for end grain
- Tuesday January 10, 2006 @ 7:00 P.M.
- · Guests always welcome

The Guild Web Site can be found at WWW.NRWG.ORG

If you are interested in joining the group, please contact one of the officers or come to a meeting. Guests with all levels of woodworking skills and interests are always welcome.

December 2005 Meeting Minutes

- The previous meeting was held at the Bozeman High School Woodshop on December 13th.
- More discussions were held on acquiring a new lathe for the High School. In the previous discussion the possibility of the Guild purchasing several of the Delta mini lathes to allow more kids access to a lathe was brought up. The Guild would then have access to the High School Powermatic for demonstrations. The consensus between Gary Corneer and Gordon McMullen is the Delta lathes will not stand up to the school use. Current the High School has one but it is not doing well under the daily use of kids. Gary's preference would be for another Powermatic because it will stand up to the use. The Powermatic that the school purchased has now been wired in and is running.
- Treasury is currently \$1163.20
- For the Jimmy Clewes raffle we drew 2 numbers, one for the gold center piece which Jerry Baker won and the second number went to Jim Palakovich for a sanding glove. Ken reports we received \$61 from the raffle.
- The remaining Jimmy Clewes items is the colored platter and it will be raffled off at the January meeting.
- Elections were held and offices are now filled:

Tom Robinson President

Jim Palakovich Vice President

George Stanislao Treasurer

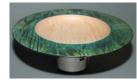
Jess Tode Secretary

Gordon McMullen Activities Coordinator



- Gordon continues to help out with teaching at the High School wood shop teaching on Tuesday and Thursday mornings. (Picture courtesy of Gary Corneer)
- Tony Huckert demonstrated miniature turnings.

The Jimmy Clewes raffle continues. There is one item remaining. This has proven to be a good fund raising event and it was very generous of Jimmy to allow us to use the pieces that he made



Colored platter to be raffled at the January meeting



- For the January meeting, Ken Emerson will demonstrate end grain vases
- Guests: Bob Green, Vic Lograsso, Robb Goodell
- If you have not paid your dues for 2006, please see our new treasurer and settle up.





Big Brothers and Sisters Charity Dinner and Auction

Tony Tye was approached by Pat McHenry 587-7289 asking if it would be possible to get some containers for their upcoming fund raising dinner. The plan is to get some bowls/vases of various construction (ceramic and wood) and they have a volunteer florist that fill them with dried bouquets and place them at the dinner for center pieces. The dinner will be held February 25th at the Grandtree Inn and some of center pieces will be sold as a silent auction item and some will be used in the live auction. Tony told me this would be a good excuse for him to get busy in the shop and make a bowl and I am sure that a few of us could donate a bowl for a good cause. They would like to get the bowls fairly soon so the florist would have time to do their magic. Perhaps you can bring a vase/bowl to the January meeting and we can get Tony to organize getting these items to the right person.

Web site

Some new sections have been added to the web site and the galleries have been updated. Resources have been added so you can download the guild logo or business card so you can print your own items.

Think about other items that you would like to see on the web site.



Demo

Tony Huckert demonstrated his techniques for miniature turnings. Some of the tools he used were homemade.

















Gallery













Lots of good show and tell items. Check out the web site for all the pictures.

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To get to the Woods Shop, get on 15th Ave either from Durston going south or from Main Street going north. The entrance to the high school is Ruth Thibault Drive which is just north of the Hastings Shopping Center entrance off of 15th Ave. Follow Ruth Thibault in between the track and the playing field past the main parking lot around to the back side of the building. Look for the big dust collector on the side of the building and the entrance is to the right of the collector. Detailed map on the web site.

Be sure to bring your show and tell items. Guests are always welcome.

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