

COLORADO Woodworkers GUILD

February 2005

Encouraging all woodworkers in self-expression, craftsmanship and knowledge

Upcoming meetings

February 15-Paxton: Perry Baurbor- Safety in The shop!

March 15- Red Rocks: History of the Arts and Crafts Movement 6:00pm to 8:00pm

Guild Show –Opening night on March 11th and following two weekends at Rockler.

April 19 - Red Rocks: Rich Gady Marquetry Shaker Box classes critique.

May 17- Paxton: Marvin Benson- Intarsia

June 21-Rockler: John Hammer and Chris Pine Pen turning Demo with cy finish.

Scrapers in January—A Resounding Success!

In case you missed our January meeting, we're not talking about snow scrapers! Thanks to Steve Shapland, we were treated to an informative education about scrapers as tools—their origins and many uses. Samplings of scraper types include the box (so named because they were used to remove labels from shipping crates and boxes for re-use), hand scrapers, scraper planes and scratch stock. Scratch stock can be purchased or easily made and is used to scrape or scratch a shape—such as a cove or bead into wood.

Steve not only covered the history of these devices, but demonstrated how to use them. We also learned how to sharpen various scrapers. The technique varies, depending on whether a scraper is being used for fine or rough work. The evening included a discussion on the how, when and why you would use a scraper or other hand tools versus other methods. Thanks Steve.

February Meeting

Tuesday, Feb 15th, 7:00pm - 9pm

Paxtons
4837 Jackson St.,
Denver, CO.

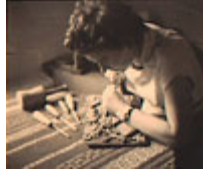
“Safety in the Shop and on the Job Site”

Anyone that had the opportunity to join us when Perri was in charge of the shop at the Denver Art Museum had a opportunity to understand the importance and value that Perri places on a safe organized shop.

This month Perri is going to give us a presentation that none of us should miss. A safe shop and site is a joy to work in but also doing things in a safe way goes a long way to enjoying the profession or hobby we all enjoy so much. Join us a Paxtons for the informative and enjoyable discussion.



European Master Carver at Rockler Woodworking & Hardware in April.



European master woodcarver, Nora Hall will be at Rockler Woodworking & Hardware Friday, April 22 through Monday April 25th. Friday will feature a slide show presentation highlighting her work. Nora Hall will conduct classes on Saturday, April 23 for beginners, on Sunday April 24, for intermediates and Monday April 25, for Advanced. Check Rockler for times and availability.



New location for Sears Trostel Lumber in Ft. Collins

Matt with Sears Trostel asked that we let everyone know they have just completed a move to a newer, bigger, brighter facility. Their new address is 1500 Riverside Avenue, Fort Collins, CO, 80524

In the Market for Some Great Bargains?

Andy Zartman has the following equipment for sale:

- § Delta 18" Q-3 scroll saw with stand and magnifying light - \$350 (or best offer)
- § Jet 1236 wood lathe with several face plates and a one-way stronghold chuck with 3 set of jaws (1, 2, and MegaJumbo) - \$675 (or best offer)
- § Dewalt Biscuit Jointer, used once - \$110 (or best offer)

3RD ANNUAL CRAFTSMAN EXHIBIT IS UPON US

The Guild's 3rd Annual Craftsman Exhibit is almost here. The dates for this popular 5-day event are—Friday, March 11 through Sunday, March 13 and Friday, March 18 through Saturday, March 19.

All members are encouraged to display their projects at Rockler Woodworking & Hardware lower level gallery. We'll begin this exciting event with a *Snacks & Finger Food Reception* on Friday, March 11 at 6:00 p.m.

There will be two groups, Judged and Display Only. Ribbons and prizes will be awarded in the Judged group. Each item entered in the Judged category will be reviewed by three judges on Thursday, March 10. We'll announce the results on Friday. There are three judged categories: **Furniture**, (large items); **Small Items**, (including marquetry and intarsia); and **Turnings**. The entry fee is \$10.00 per judged item. All entries must be delivered to Rocklers by 12:00 noon, Tuesday, March 8.

The Display Only group will have an area to proudly display work for all to see. There is **no** entry fee for this group. Due to space limitations, only **two** items per member will be accepted in the Display Only section. Your items must be delivered to Rocklers by 6:00 p.m., Thursday, March 10th.

Hope to see a gallery full of wonderful projects at this exciting event!

Guild Business - Board Member Elections February 15, 2005

The positions that are up for election are Treasurer, Secretary and Committees at large. See below for the descriptions of these positions.

This is a great opportunity to help support your guild.

If you are not sure you want to run for a board position we always need help with various other aspects of the guild. Web site support, newsletters are the largest monthly items the board generates each month. We also could use help organizing and working on various community projects and outings for guild members.

Board position job descriptions up for election

Secretary. The Secretary shall:

- a) Keep the minutes of the meetings in books provided for that purpose.
- b) See that the minutes and all notices are given to the Administrative Committee for disbursement.
- c) See that the records of the Guild are properly kept and filed.
- d) In general, perform all duties incident to the office of Secretary and such other duties as, from time-to-time, may be assigned by the Board of Directors or by the President.

Treasurer. The Treasurer shall:

- a) Have charge and custody of, and be responsible for, all funds and securities of the Guild.
- b) From time-to-time render a statement of the condition of the finances of the Guild at the request of the Board of Directors.
- c) Receive and give receipt for moneys due and payable to the Guild from any source.
- d) Keep records of the membership and, in general, perform all duties incident to the office of Treasurer, and such other duties as from time-to-time may be assigned by the Board of Directors or by the President.

Committees at Large. The Committees at Large Officer shall be in charge of all committees. This Officer shall be reasonable for forming committees at the direction of the Board of Directors. This Officer shall monitor and report all progress to the Board of Directors.

Process

Nominations for any of the board positions will be accepted at the February 15th meeting.

The board meets the Tuesday following the monthly meeting. Our purpose is to ensure that the business of the Guild is kept in compliance with regulations, to manage the membership funds we receive and to satisfy the guilds charter for its members and the community. We do this by organizing monthly meetings and setting up special events and programs.

On the night of February 15 we will have available or bring this page from your newsletter to cast your vote for the positions up for election. The ballots will be counted by a couple of volunteers attending the meeting. We will announce the results at the end of the meeting unless there are exceptional circumstances that will require further time to address.

Incumbents for reelection

Treasurer - Chris Pine. Chris has served on the board for 1 two year period in the capacity of treasurer.

Secretary - John Hammer. John was appointed to secretary position to complete the remaining term vacated by Ron Rose during last years president election.

Committees at Large - vacant.

**Colorado Woodworkers Guild Ballot
2005 Election of Board Members**

Treasurer – Chris Pine

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Secretary – John Hammer

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Guild Member Discounts

20% off of purchases at

The Hardwood Emporium

16043 W. 4th Ave., Golden CO. 80401,
303-277-1488

10% off at:

Abilene Awards & Logos

1730 S Abilene, Aurora, CO. 80012,
303-755-0337

Austin Hardwoods

975 W. Mississippi, Denver, CO. ,
303-733-1292

Centennial Wood Co.

985 S. Logan, Denver, CO.
303-778-6209

Charlie's Secondhand Store

2227 Larimer St., Denver, CO.
303-295-1781

Paxton

4837 Jackson St., Denver, CO.
303-399-6047

Rockler Woodworking and Hardware

2553 S. Colorado Blvd., Denver, CO.
303-782-0588

TC Wood

9776 Arapahoe Rd, Lafayette, CO.

Woodcraft

4403 S. Tamarac Parkway, Denver, CO.
303-290-0007

5% off reconditioned tools and

10% off accessories at

Pentair Sales & Service Co.

(Delta/Porter-Cable reconditioned tools)
8175 Sheridan Blvd., Unit S, Arvada, CO
303-487-1809

Woods of the Month

Paxtons has White Ash on special 35% off.

Centennial has some Aromatic Cedar on special this month.

Hardwood Emporium, Jay could not get through to me because I was out of town, but he always has some great deals, go see him.

Not yet a member of the Colorado Woodworkers Guild?

We invite you to join now. Here are some of the benefits of becoming a member:

Monthly guild meetings where woodworkers, from novices to highly skilled craftsmen, meet, network, solicit advice, share ideas, and learn

Annual Craftsman Show -- the woodworkers' showcase! A world-class exhibit featuring pieces created by our diverse and talented guild members

Toys for Tikes Campaign -- a great opportunity for novices to work side by side with and learn from experienced craftsmen, and in the process create fabulous toys for underprivileged children

Field Trips to local lumber yards, mills and workshops

Monthly Newsletter with meeting announcements, free classified ads and more...

Membership in the Colorado Woodworkers Guild is \$30 per year.

To join, provide the information requested below and return with your \$30 check to:

Colorado Woodworkers Guild
P.O. Box 480561
Denver, CO 80248

Name _____

Company _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

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Toys for Tykes
**WE NEED SOME
HELP**

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Board Meeting Minutes

To conserve space in the newsletter for articles of interest to our Guild members, we'll no longer publish the Board Meeting Minutes each month. Copies of the minutes are available upon request by contacting a Guild officer.

Visit our web site for the latest information and late breaking announcements

www.coloradowoodworkersguild.org