



ERW November 1, 2017 Meeting Minutes

19 Members and 6, guests present.

Welcome Guests, Hart Family and Clayborn Family

Welcome New Member, Bill Hayes.

Business meeting began at 6:30

Larry gave a brief talk on the Beads of Courage project that the Club is committed to supporting. Toney Boiling was selected via random drawing to present his BOC bowl to the Hart Family whose 2 yr old son has had 2 open heart surgeries. Matt Hart accepted the bowl on behalf of young Jacob.

A total of 16 Beads of Courage bowls have been turned in so far. The BOC project is an ongoing commitment for ERW and we encourage our members to submit a bowl whenever they choose.

Will Clayborn an Eagle Scout candidate explained his project for raising snacks and toys for Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. The Club presented Will with numerous snacks and toys donated by the Members.

ERW Members donated over 40 pens for the Pens for Vets Program. Ron Comtois will be sending the pens to the National Headquarters on behalf of ERW. Thanks to all who donated pens.

Peach State Lumber, located at 4000 Moon Station Rd, Kennesaw, is now offering ERW Members a discount on purchases. Please identify yourself as an ERW Member to obtain your discount.

CCAC is having a Members Holiday Sale in the Gallery, please submit any items that you would like to have on display to the Art Center, max price per item, \$100.

Becky Fowler's name was submitted to the AAW for their annual Scholarship drawing to either Arrowmont or John C Campbell Folk School. Winners of the scholarships will be announced in January. Good luck Becky!



The Christmas Party will be held on our regular meeting night, Dec 6, 2017. We will be having a “Pot Luck” style dinner. The Club will be providing the ham and turkey, and have we passed around a signup sheet for supplemental items and will be passing it around at tonight’s meeting. There will be a White Elephant gift exchange after the dinner, TURNED ITEMS ONLY, you must bring an item for each member or guest who wishes to participate.

ERW will be donating a decorated Christmas tree to Cameron Hall in Canton. Becky has collected over 20 ornaments for the tree so far. Be sure to bring any additional ornaments to the Christmas Party so that we can decorate the tree. We will be presenting the tree on Friday Dec 8 at 2:00. Cameron Hall will be hosting a reception. We encourage members who can, attend the reception.

Our demonstrator for the evening was our own Ron Plumley. Ron explained several different methods of mounting offset pieces from simply mounting to a board, to more elaborate commercially made systems. He then showed how to make a home built offset turning chuck.

Shirts: We have one collared shirt currently available, Men’s Med @ \$34.00, and 1 Men’s Med tee shirt @ \$17.00. Additional shirts can be ordered on an as requested basis.

Show Tell & Learn drawing: Ron Plumley won a \$10 gift certificate from Craft Supply

Becky Fowler won the 50/50 drawing

Monty Knight won the Bring Back Box

2018 Demonstrators. Allen is looking for demonstrators and /or suggestions for what you would like to see demonstrated at next year’s meetings. He already has several demonstrators lined up but is always looking for more. Please contact Allen with your ideas.

Next ERW Board Meeting December 4, 2017 time and place TBD

Next ERW General Meeting and Christmas Party December 6, 2017



Calendar and Demonstrator Schedule for 2017

December is the Christmas Party Dec. 6 at Cherokee County Art Center Gallery

January 3, 2018 – Monty Knight, “Turning Cowboy Hats”

Important ERW dates

December 6 Christmas Party Cherokee County Art Center Gallery

REGIONAL SYMPOSIUM: 2018 Tennessee Association of Woodturners 30th Annual Symposium - Franklin, TN 1/26/2018 » 1/27/2018

REGIONAL SYMPOSIUM: Florida Woodturning Symposium 2018 - Leesburg, FL 2/9/2018

ERW Meeting Treats

Coffee and Water provided by ERW

Dec. Christmas Party Pot Luck

Jan. Kat Tomiczek & Monty Knight