



ERW February 6, 2019 Meeting Minutes

35 members & Guests.

Welcome New Members: Bob Hange, Mark Diss, Nancy Mezik, Diane Jacobson

Welcome Guests: Suzi Wuth, Waylon White, Sandra Hange

Business meeting started promptly at 6:30

Discussion regarding the benefits of joining AAW

The "George Starsmeare Scholarship Fund" has \$216. These funds will be designated to the "GSSF" and when the total reaches the amount required for a class at John Campbell Folk School, an ERW Member's name will be drawn and have to opportunity to take a class at JCCFS.

ERW Books were audited and certified.

AAW Insurance is due by Feb 15, Board has opted to purchase the more comprehensive coverage @ \$450.00/yr.

ERW will be assisting at the AAW demonstration at Rockler/Kennesaw on Feb 9, Members are encouraged to drop by and participate.

Cherokee County Schools will once again be touring the CCAC during the months of Mar/Apr. Elementary Schools will be visiting Mar 7th and 21st, Jr High and HS dates will follow. Last year there were several thousand students and their parents touring the CCAC Facility and ERW was there with demonstrations and information. We will be looking for Members to volunteer again this year.

The "Mentoring Program" is working, we have had several members take advantage of it already. If you are interested in some one-on-one mentoring, please contact someone on the Mentors List.

Don't forget the "Suggestion Box" Let us know what you think regarding demonstrations, activities etc.

Members are encouraged to participate in the Presidents Challenge and garner “points” to have their name submitted to AAW for their annual scholarship drawing at the end of the year (must be AAW Member to be eligible for the scholarship). The March Challenge is to “Make a sphere(ish) item on a stand”.

Larry won the 50/50 drawing and donated his portion to the George Starsmeare Scholarship Fund.

Steve Epperson won the Bring Back Box that had a Cherry hollow form

Next ERW General Meeting/ March 6, 2019

Next ERW BOD Meeting Mar 5, 2019

Our demonstrator for tonight was Charles Jennings from Tri-State Woodturners. Charles showed numerous, SAFE, ways to mount items on the lathe

Just a reminder, 2019 dues are due. \$50.00/year/single or family. You can pay at the next meeting or go online to the website and pay via credit card.

<http://www.etowahriverwoodturners.com/index.php/clubmembership/payment>

Calendar and Demonstrator Schedule for 2019

ERW 2019 Demo Schedule

Jan	Ron Carrabotta (RC1) “Filling cracks in your projects”
Feb	Charles Jennings Chucking techniques
Mar	Frank Bowers Log to Bowl
Apr	Jared Bruckner A’Maaz”ing coin puzzle box
May	Doug Sponn TBD
Jun	Allen Quandee – Finishes
Jul	Members “Home made tools”
Aug	Tim Mehling Economy Bowl
Sep	Peg Schmid TBD
Oct	Larry NcClish Ornaments
Nov	Ron Comtois (RC2)
Dec	Christmas Holiday Party



Please see Ron Comtois (RC2) regarding volunteering to do a demo and/or make suggestions as to what you would like to see demonstrated in the coming months.

ERW Meeting Treats

Coffee and Water provided by ERW

Jan	Larry McClish & Michael Dupuis
Feb	Bill Hayes & Sharon Stewart
Mar	Joe Penn & David Dausat
Apr	Kevin McDonald & Ron Carrabotta
May	Dan Leslie & Nancy & Doug
Jun	Peg Schmid & Jim Elrod
Jul	Becky Fowler
Aug	Allen Quandee
Sep	Peg Schmid
Oct	Becky Fowler
Nov	Matt Jones
Dec	Christmas Party/Pot Luck

As you can see, we have a few blank spots so please see Becky or Ron to sign up!

If you have signed up to provide treats for the monthly meeting please notify the Secretary if you will not be in attendance for the meeting you signed up for so that another volunteer can be assigned.

We encourage any of our members who are not already members of AAW to join the National organization.

<https://www.woodturner.org>

Below is a list of vendors who generously offer discounts to ERW Members. When purchasing from these vendors, please identify yourself as an ERW Member.

Vendors:

Hartsville Tool

<https://www.hartvilletool.com/> 1- 800-345-2396

15% discount

Klingspor <http://www.woodworkingshop.com>

1-800-228-0000 10% discount

Peach State Lumber www.peachstatelumber.com

4000 Moon Station Rd NW, Kennesaw, GA 30144

770-428-3622 500 bd ft Contractor pricing

Rockler Woodworking and Hardware -

425 Ernest W Barrett Pkwy NW #1120, Kennesaw, GA 30144

Phone: (678) 383-0087 10% regular priced items, does not include sale priced items

