



## ERW February 6, 2019 Meeting Minutes

46 members & Guests.

Welcome New Members: Michael Leonard, Gary Beasley & Ken Slaughter

Welcome Guests: Martin Keller, David Poss, Bill Leonard, Harry Robinson & Warren Richardson

Business meeting started promptly at 6:30

Discussion regarding the benefits of joining AAW

The “George Starsmeare Scholarship Fund” has \$376. 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.

AAW Insurance was paid in Feb @ \$310.00,

Cherokee County Schools will once again be touring the CCAC during the months of Mar/Apr. Elementary Schools will be visiting Mar 7<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>, from 6 - \* PM. 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.

A signup sheet was passed around for anyone wanting to put items in the display case located at the entrance to the CCAC. Secretary, (RC1) will coordinate and notify members which quarter of the year they will be on display. **Apr-June display case Members: Monty Knight, Matt Jones, Gary Beasley, Dan Hice & Amanda Hice.**

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 April Challenge is to **“Color all or part of a turned item of your choice”**

New Member Nancy Mezick won the 50/50 drawing.

Kevin McDonald won the Bring Back Box that had beautiful goblet.

Next ERW General Meeting/ April 3 2019

Next ERW BOD Meeting May 21st, 2019

Our demonstrator for tonight was Frank Bowers. Frank showed us how to go from a freshly cut log to a rough turned bowl.

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 – Hollowing through a small opening
Jul	Members “Home made tools”
Aug	Tim Mehling Economy Bowl
Sep	Peg Schmid TBD
Oct	Larry NcClish Ornaments
Nov	Ron Comtois (RC2) – Slide Whistle
Dec	Christmas Holiday Party



## ERW Meeting Treats

*Coffee and Water provided by ERW*

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

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](http://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**