



ERW Jun 5, 2019 Meeting Minutes

30 members & Guests present.

Welcome New Members: Betsy & Rick Eckardt, Holden Wilbanks, Richard Selby

Business meeting started promptly at 6:30

ERW will be participating in the Beads of Courage Program again this year. Bowls will be collected at the September meeting. Larry will be sending out details regarding dimensions etc. in a separate email. Beds of Courage Boxes are due at the September meeting so that we can have them on display for the September ERW show at CCAC.

CCAC will be hosting their Mid-Summer Art Show open to all Members of CCAC, If you would like to display up to 3 of your pieces, you can bring them to the July meeting or drop them off on either the 8th or 9th. All items must be for sale and you must be a Member of CCAC to participate in this show. Show dates are July 12 thru July 24.

The September ERW Show is open to ALL members of ERW, drop off dates are Sept 3 and Sept 4th (meeting night) Setup is Sep 5th, Reception and First Friday on Sep 6th, Show runs Sep 6 thru Sep 25th, pick up Sep 26th & 27th.

We will once again be participating in the Pens for Vets program, pens are due at the October Meeting. See Ron Comtois for details.

ERW will also be participating in the "Wig Stands for Cancer Patients". If you want to get a head start on the August President's Challenge, work on your wig stand! Plans for the wig stand are on the AAW website

The "George Starsmeare Scholarship Fund" is "Unofficially" at our goal of \$630.00. Contributions to the 50/50 drawing last night put us over the top. Once Becky gets back from vacation she will verify the \$\$\$. Thanks to everyone who participates in the 50/50 drawing every month! We will draw one lucky Member's name for the Scholarship to John C Campbell Folk School at the Christmas Party in December.

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. I will be sending out an updated Mentors List with the June Minutes.

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. Please let Ron know if you would like to have your pieces displayed in the future if you haven't already done so. **July/Sept Members on display: Tony Boling, Ron Comtois, David Heckelmoser, Jim Elrod, Tim Mehling.**

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 July Challenge is to “**Make a hollow form vase, taller than wide**”

Amanda Hice won the 50/50 drawing and donated her winnings back to the Scholarship fund.

Ron Comtois won the Bring Back Box that contained a beautiful lidded hollow form.

Next ERW General Meeting/ July 3, 2019

Next ERW BOD Meeting Aug, 2019 date and location TBD

Our demonstrator tonight was our own Allen Quandee. Allen showed us how to make a hollow form through a tiny opening. Good job Allen!

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 Spohn Natural edged vessels
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

Jan	Larry McClish & Michael Dupuis
Feb	Bill Hayes & Sharon Stewart
Mar	Joe Penn & Ron Carrabotta
Apr	Kevin McDonald & Dan & Amanda
May	Dan Leslie & Nancy & Doug
Jun	Peg Schmid & Jim Elrod
Jul	Becky Fowler & Monty & Bev Knight
Aug	Allen Quandee & Amanda & Dan Hice
Sep	Doug Nicholson & Ron Contois
Oct	Becky Fowler & Tom Beatty
Nov	Matt Jones & Ron & Kat
Dec	Christmas Party/Pot Luck



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