



ERW April 7, 2021 Meeting Minutes

Zoom Meeting 22 members and guests on line.

Business meeting started earlier at 7:00 PM.

Treasurer's Report At the end of March we had \$2017.81 in the bank.

Since the founding of ERW the Board has emphasized the benefits of joining AAW. Aside from the bi-monthly magazine, the website offers a myriad of educational opportunities. Currently AAW has a new 3 month trial called an Affiliate Member. Go to AAW's site and register for this free trial membership. Available to people who have never been AAW Members. See link below.

<https://www.woodturner.org/Woodturner/Join-Pages/Affiliate-Membership.aspx>

The Next Coffee & Chips meeting is scheduled for April 21 ___ at 9AM. Larry will be sending out Zoom info.

Members are encouraged to participate in the Presidents Challenge to sharpen and improve their skills by trying something new. The May President's Challenge will be to turn a vase with wooden flowers. As with the 2020 President's Challenge, everyone who participates will have a ticket placed in a jar for a drawing to be held at the Christmas Party for a chance at a \$100 gift certificate. The more you participate, the better your chances.

12 members participated in the April Challenge, the picture can be seen on the ERW Website

Please E-MAIL your show and tell and President's Challenge photos to Allen Quandt, on or before May 4th. Allen will collate and format the photos for discussion during the meeting. Maximum three photos per person, please. Please indicate **CLEARLY**, your name and whether the piece(s) are for the President's Challenge or Show & Tell.

Larry is looking into the possibility of holding an outdoor meeting at the City Park in downtown Canton in June. Details will be forthcoming.

We do not anticipate holding in person meeting during the first or second quarter of 2021.

Tonight's demo was by our own Allen Quandee. After a brief shop tour, Allen showed us how to turn a simple Pepper Mill. Great job Allen!

May shop tour and or demo is looking for a volunteer, please contact Larry

We encourage you to have questions regarding any "challenges" that you might encounter while turning ready to ask the group at the next Meeting.

The next scheduled Zoom meeting will be Wednesday May 5th at 7:00pm.