

WESTERN NEW YORK WOODTURNERS II

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Meetings on Second Thursdays at 7 p.m.

Hamburg Middle School 360 Division Street Hamburg, NY 14075

MEETING MINUTES for JUNE 8, 2017 Issue# 176

Vice President Rusty Ellis called the meeting to order at 7 p.m.

Visitors: Valerie Palmer was welcomed as visitor.

Vice President Report:

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE IN MEETING LOCATIONThe July Meeting will be hosted by our Demonstrator, Pat Delmonte at his home==9950 Zahm Rd Forestville, NY==. Pat provides a wonderful presentation on turning Bowls, one you will not want to miss!

August is the picnic and meeting at the ST Nickademous picnic shelter in Marilla at 4 pm. Bring a dish to share. Hotdogs, hamburgers and drinks will be provided! Be sure to signup at the June meeting-to please call Pat Bogan.

Rusty is still looking for demonstrators for the October and December meetings. Please consider volunteering for a demo and sharing your talents

Secretary Report: Please contact Linda Bennett at kevin@kochs.us or 288-9159 if there are any email updates.

Treasurers' Report for May, 2017

Income: 50/50 \$19.00

Dues: \$60.00

Petty Cash Balance: \$210.16

Total Club Balance: \$4,704.21

There was a profit of \$184.27 on the Beth Ireland Demo. We split the profits with Club 1 who was a co-sponsor with us.

Librarian: John reports that the library is setup. You are welcome to sign-out a book or DVD.

Old Business: AAW is still offering a membership incentive for people who have never been members-your first year of membership is 50% off if you join by June 30th. Go online to the 'American Association for Wood Turners' to learn more.

have to Club I who setup and manned the cameras.

Rudy Lopez will be presenting a demo from 9-4 in Lancaster on October 14th \$25.00 is the cost for the all day demonstration and John Lilley has tickets. Rudy Lopez will also provide hands-on workshops on Sunday and Monday at Barb's Barn for \$70.00 each day --but space is limited. Contact Joe Wiesnet at 570-8474 for workshop information. This demo is sponsored by Club I and we are a co-sponsor.

The Eire County Fair is August 9th –August 20th. This is your opportunity to contribute back to our community through Make a Wish. Club members are asked to please bring in your wood item donations. The sign up sheet to volunteers for 4 hour shifts as a seller or as a demonstrator is at our meeting tonight and in July, or online. If you volunteer for a shift you will receive free admission and parking. Pepper will have these tickets available at the meeting next month. We need 100 workers as demonstrators and salespeople to cover all the shifts from our WNY clubs.... Spouses are welcome to volunteer with you. Please see organizers-John Lilley, Rich Mialki, Gary Jones or Joe Wiesnet for additional information.

There is a new competitive class for Woodturning at the Fair this year. Pepper explained the new categories and divisions. These rules are attached. All entries are due by July 21st. We thank Pepper for his advocacy in getting woodturning as a competitive judged exhibit this year!

New Business:

Gary Jones has volunteered to teach a beginners turning class at Barb's barn in September. There are still openings available-please call Barb Berger for additional information if you (or a friend) would like to participate. This is a free class.

Member news:

Welcome back to Stu Wiesmore!

Brian Defoe has been experiencing cardiac problems. Please keep him in your prayers.

Show and Tell:

Gary Jones- 3 cherry bowls

Rich Mialki-maple and mahogany clock

Paul Boland-spaulted maple chip and dip Bowl; Bird House ornament

David Hall-Cherry bowl

Craig Eckert-Walnut Bowl

Kathy Eckert- Bottle openers

Ron Hudson-Walnut lidded box

Jay Ferrand Maple/Canary Rolling Pin

Congratulations to Tonight's Drawing Winners:

50/50- Stu Wiesmore

Show and Tell- Rockler Card – Jay Ferrand Buffalo Woodturning Supply-Dave Hall

We also voted on the items donated from show and tell to Hamburg School Administration for our use of the shop as our meeting room at no cost to us! The top 3 items were voted on and the \$35.00 prizes went to Dave Hall, Craig Ekhart and Rich Malecki. Thank you to everyone who donated products as a thank you to the school.

Tonight's Demonstration:

Gary Jones provided tonight's entertaining demonstration on turning wedding goblets with rings. There were many laughs as we learned new techniques! Thank you Gary!

Our next meeting will be held on July 13th 2017 at Pat Delmonte's home. See you then!

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Bennett, Secretary