

**WESTERN NEW YORK WOODTURNERS II**

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Hamburg Middle School 360 Division Street Hamburg, NY 14075

**MEETING MINUTES September 13, 2018 Issue# 188**

President Craig Eckert called the meeting to order at 7 p.m.

**Visitors this month:** no visitors

**Vice President Report:** In Rusty's absence, Craig reviewed the Meetings & Demonstrators schedule as follows:

October-Deb Kowen

Nov.-Club Auction

Dec.- Video and pizza party/discussion. Pepper will bring the pizza. Brian will choose the video topic!

January-Bree

**Treasurers' Report: as of August, 2018**

Income: (due to picnic) Expenses: Fair Tarp Hardware \$60.00; Picnic: \$110.00

Petty Cash Balance: \$177.20

Total Club Balance: \$5160.15

**Secretary:** Barb Berger is hosting an "intro to Woodturning Class" on Sept 23<sup>rd</sup> at THE BARN. Paul M. and Gary Jones will be the teachers. We have 5 people signed up for this class with room for 3 more. Please call Barb ASAP if you know of someone who would like to participate.

**Librarian:** Brian announced a new addition to our library entitled "30 Minute Woodturning-25 projects to make" It is available to you through our library. Brian made a motion to purchase a DVD player for the club library to enable us to view DVD's at meetings. After a brief discussion this motion was passed.

**President's Report:**

**Make-A-Wish** The Western New York Woodturners fair project was another huge success with a grand total \$21021.00! After a video presentation, Make-A-Wish volunteer Taylor announced that approximately 3 wishes will be granted as a result of our sales (the average wish cost is approximately \$ 8,100.per wish). Gary Jones thanked everyone who participated in the 2018 fundraiser making it such a success!!!!

-Craig announced that Joe Wiesnet, president of Club 1 is going to initiate a monthly “ 2019 President’s Challenge” which will include prizes if you donate items to make-a-wish. Craig will also be incorporating the “President’s Challenge” for club II. More info to follow!

-Paul Boland reports that our colored wood source in PA is no longer selling its scrap wood. It was suggested that we let the owners know what we do with the colored wood scraps.... Craig will explore options.....

-Barb Berger requested that we keep Bob & Sue Rosand in our prayers as she was recently diagnosed with Colon Cancer.

**Show and Tell:**

Paul Mazuchowski-Spalted Maple Artistic Bowl

David Hall-Spalted Beech

Rich Mialki-Bowls

Paul Boland-Maple & walnut segmented bowl; Maple natural edge Bowl

Stu Wiesmore-plywood Bowl

John Lembke-Shaker style table

Brian Defoe-Spin Top & Dish, mini Goblets, Dish, Ring Holder

**Congratulations to Tonight’ Winners:**

**50/50-** Barb Berger

**Show and Tell-**

(2)**Craft Supply** – Rich Mialki & Paul Boland

**Buffalo Woodturning Supply-** John Lembke

**Tonight’s Demonstration was presented by John Lembke** on spindle turning. John used his beautiful shaker style table as an example, and demonstrated how to turn the spindles –including measurements..... He has adapted dimensions and drawings which he will share if you contact him. Thank you John for a great demo!

**Our next meeting will be October 11, 2018. Meeting begins promptly at p.m., but please come early to ask questions and share show and tell projects with fellow turners!**

*Respectfully Submitted,*

*Linda Bennett, Secretary*