



CAPITAL AREA WOODWORKERS

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Upcoming Meetings

August 3, 2010 Meeting

(Social Time and dinner 5:15 to 6:30)

Meeting starts promptly at 6:30

MCL Cafeteria

2151 Wabash Ave

Springfield, IL

Program

From Log to Furnia

Norm Koerner

August Open Shop

Ralph Winch to demonstrate sawing of logs, Sat 8/7 at 9 AM.

Special Event

Saturday August 28, 2010, An all day workshop with Jeff Miller.

The cost for CAW members is \$25, needed to cover the cost of the catered lunch and help defray the cost of the speaker.

To reserve a place at the special event to be held at Jim Cooper's home, CAW members must sign up for the event at the August meeting or send an email to Dick Metcalf ASAP.



July Meeting Notes

By Dick Metcalf

The annual CAW picnic was held on Saturday, July 17, at the Rochester Community Park. For the first time in many years the weather was a factor in holding down the attendance. But for those present, a very good time was had and the big fan brought in by Gary Smith seemed to lessen the distress of high temperature and humidity. Roland and his wife, Hazen, seemed very accustomed to the weather; it must have brought back fond memories of south Texas where they were born and raised. Dick and Frances Metcalf, having taken a vacation in Galveston this year, were accustomed to the heat and humidity. Chuck Frank has played golf so many times at the golf course under similar weather conditions that he felt no effect. Dan Schmoker often works at his tree farm during hot spells and felt good about the weather. And so many others seemed not concerned at all with the effects of the weather.

The noon meal was fried chicken provided by the club and a variety of dishes brought in by the members. Following the meal there was the silent auction and the items most bid on were a small pancake compressor, and a Stanley no.78 rabbit plane.

There were some fine woodworking projects on display such as a side table by Roland, a marquetry of inlaid leaves by Dianna Copper, turned bowls by Dan Schmoker, and a chip carved plate by Dick.

It was a fun day captured in pictures shown on the following page.



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Club Web Site

The address is: <http://www.cawspi.org/>. You will find meeting notes, the monthly portrait, and pictures of show-and-tell items, as well as meeting and open shop schedules.



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Last Minute Information

We were informed by the Jacksonville woodworking Club that 15 members of their club will attend our August 3 meeting.



Final words

We need to know now who is planning to go to the Special Event with Jeff Miller. Please send an email to Dick Metcalf at: <http://www.metcalfs@mchsi.com> to reserve a seat.