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The December Meeting

by Jan Smith

The December meeting was held on Wednesday, Dec. 3rd and was a Christmas or Holiday party for the members and their spouses. Prizes were provided by members.

I am sorry that I don't have any details to share about the party but I had to work and did not receive any info. I assume a good time was had by all who attended!

Welcome New President!!!

We welcome Paul Goff as our new President of the Club and look forward to his leadership. I am sure any help or suggestions would be appreciated by him. Those of you who have been officers know all the work and time involved. If anyone has ideas for programs or ways to make our Club better, make these ideas known to Paul or another officer or bring them up at a meeting.

Notice!!!

I don't know if Norm Koerner's friend ever found a wood lathe yet or not. Chuck sent an e-mail regarding this before Christmas. If he is still looking and you have or know of a good wood lathe someone wants to sell or get rid of, then call Norm at 787-8795. They want to look at it together and would set up a time with you.

An Apology

I would like to apologize for the lack of information in the newsletter the past few months. I work Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and therefore cannot attend on those nights unless I take off work. (Also, Don and I were out of the country from Dec. 10th-23rd and then out of state from Dec. 26th-29th.) I do not mind continuing with the newsletter but am asking if anyone wants to either record the meetings or take notes so that I can put more into the newsletter as before. Some time ago Mike Robertson took notes on parts of the meetings like Show and Tell, Tips, etc. and e-mailed these to me. Then the Club bought a digital recorder so that I could record the meetings. However, since I am unable to attend some of them, this no longer works. Someone could borrow the recorder, I guess, and then I'd have to get it to listen to and get the information for the newsletter. Any volunteers or suggestions?

Upcoming January Meeting

Our January meeting is scheduled for Monday, Jan. 5th at 5:30pm at MCL. This will be the first meeting for our new President, Paul Goff. The program will be on Shop Safety and is being presented by our own Ken Hopper

Officer's Meeting

The Officer's meeting will be held at Gene Shutt's house on **Mon., Jan. 12th at 7pm.** (I assume this because it is usually the Monday following the monthly meeting.) Any interested member may join them if they have something to bring up.

Upcoming Meetings

We have arranged a few meetings for this new year. We are always looking for ideas and presenters.

February 3rd Lumber Drying by Norm Koerner
(tentatively)

March 11th* Veneers by Dan Harris
This date is a week later in order to accomodate the presenter's travel schedule.

April or May Greene and Greene Design by
Mike McGrath

Open Shops

There will be a sign-up sheet to pass around at the Jan. meeting. Think of which month would be good for you to host an Open Shop. It is a great way to clean your shop by getting it ready for one! Or you could share an Open Shop with another member, too!

Is anyone interested for January? It could be announced at the Monday meeting and also posted on the website with info and directions to your shop.

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