

Steering Committee Meetings
Central Florida Woodturners
Casselberry Denny's February 21, 2008

The meeting was called to order by Bob Walker at 5:30. In attendance were Dave McNeely, Bill Wohlfart, Rick Coffman, Gene Gross, Bob Walker, Jim Donovan, John Russell, Dave Barriger, Bob Miller, and Stuart Lilie.

Bob Walker announced the April 1st deadline to enter a turning in the Craft & Hobby division of the Central Florida Fair.

It was agreed that we would auction Tom Talbert's tools at 1:00 PM at the Barriger Bash on February 23rd. The tool auction proceeds would go to his widow. We will also auction off the wood she donated; the proceeds of which would go the CFW.

It was moved and passed that the CFW would reimburse Mike Allen \$150 for his expenses in getting to the Barriger Bash to do the welding for club members.

Woodcraft is having a Super Sale on Saturday March 1. Turners are needed.

Stuart Lilie mentioned that he had sent the first Thursday article he wrote to Karl Voss. Mary Lacer confirmed receipt.

Rick Coffman led a discussion about having Johannes Michelsen demonstrate at the club meeting and hold a day long class as well. The committee directed Rick to investigate further.

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Bob Walker called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. Fifty-one people attended. Steven Bacallao from Winter Park and Ronnie Ranscome from Clermont were guests.

Dave McNeely gave the treasurer's report. Dave mentioned that several members had yet to pay their dues. He indicated if dues were not paid soon, members would be dropped.

Harvey Driver presented a check for \$1000 to The Central Florida Woodturners for the club's participation in the Florida Symposium. The money is to be used for educational purposes. Bob Walker expressed the club's appreciation to Harvey and the Florida symposium. Special mention was also made of the extraordinary efforts that Harvey does in arranging machinery for the Symposium.

Rick Coffman asked for a show of hands for interest in a Johannes Michelsen all day

demo and for a hands on event. Thirteen showed an interest in an all day demo, but only two people were interested in a hands on class.

Dave Barriger invited everyone to attend the annual bash at his house on February 23rd. Lunch will be potluck combined with venison stew.

Richard Ellenberger announced he has 8 gallons of Anchor Seal available to members.

Bob Walker announced the Super Sale for March 1st. People interested in doing demonstrations should talk to Scott.

Bob Walker announced the April 1st deadline for entering turnings to the Central Florida Fair. Also demonstrators will be needed for the Fair April 18, 19, 20, 25, 26, and 27th. A signup sheet will be presented at the next meeting.

The wood auction raised \$142 for the club. Twelve members were successful bidders.

Gene Gross gave an excellent demonstration on the bottom hollowing of tall vessels and how to disguise the bottom access hole.