

Cedar Valley Woodworkers

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Rod Lair

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Presidents Corner



February is a short month.

That means there are both good and bad about February.

On the good side, the days are getting longer and warmer.....meaning spring is getting closer. On the bad side, there's less time to get things done in the month....like write newsletter articles for the March newsletter.

with prosthetics designed by his company.

We also tried out a new sound system at the meeting. Based on some feedback (pun intended), the system worked well. We are currently borrowing some microphones from the Waterloo Tech Society, but want to be able to buy microphones in the near future. The board agreed to ask members to contribute towards the cost. We'll have a bucket near the check-in table at the next meeting so you can help with the cost.

All for now. Happy Woodworking.

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We had our board meeting recently and 2023 is taking shape. We have most of the programs for the regular meetings planned. We have tours in the planning stages and the September picnic/shop tour and the Christmas party are being planned too.

A new thing in the mix is a tool sale planned for 09 and 10 June at Dave Turner's garage (430 Prospect Blvd, Waterloo). Be looking around in your shop for gently used items that you don't use and gather them up for the sale. At the same time, make a shopping list for tools you need. I bet you'll find a few things that you can add to your shop to enhance your shop time.

The program at the meeting on 14 Feb was presented by Dennis Clark. It was very interesting to hear about some of the patients he and his associates have helped

President CVWA

Rod Lair

Calendar

March

Next Club Meeting **Tuesday March 14, 2023** AT The Waterloo Center for the ARTS 220 COMMERCIAL ST .

Speaker for this month Ryan Bonjour he will discuss his lathe turnings

The next Executive Board meeting **Tuesday 21 February . 2023** at 7 PM at Dave Turner's home 430 Prospect Waterloo

Next Corridor Wood turners meeting **Thursday March 16 2023** at 6:30 at the Marion High School Wood Shop

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NEXT Club Meeting **Tuesday April 11, 2023** AT The Waterloo Center for the ARTS 220 COMMERCIAL ST at 6:30 .

Speaker for the month Larry Davis discussing his unique cabanes

The next Executive Board meeting **Tuesday 18 April 2023** at 7 PM at Dave Turner's home 430 Prospect Waterloo

Corridor Wood turners meeting **Thursday April 13, 2023** at 6:30 at the Marion High School Wood Shop

May

NEXT Club Meeting **Tuesday May 9, 2023** AT The Waterloo Center for the ARTS 220 COMMERCIAL ST at 6:30

This Months speaker TBD

The next Executive Board meeting **Tuesday 16 May 2023** at 7 PM at Dave Turner's home 430 Prospect Waterloo

Corridor Wood turners meeting **Thursday May 11 2023** at 6:30 at the Marion High School Wood Shop

Editors Corner

Notes of Interest

We Have a New Sound System for the February Meeting

June Tool Sale at Dave Turner's Shop

June 9 & 10

Advertising Facebook Marketplace, flyers and yard signs

Be Thinking What You Want to Sell

The Club needs volunteers for Second Vice President . Volunteer for a club office or come to a board meeting

2023 we need speakers they do not need to be directly involved in wood working just a topic the club would be interested in if you have any ideas bring them to the board meeting or talk to a board member

CVWA Club Meeting Minutes 14 February 2023

President Rod Lair called the meeting to order promptly at 6:30 PM.

49 Members 2 new members and 11 (5+6) guests were present:

New Members: Mark Herbst & James Burkhardt

Guest: Char & Tom Strub, Joseph Yoder, Matt Mulnix & son and 8 wives & significant others

Thank you to:

Jason Edgington, Carol Robinson, John Gilbert, Terry Duckworth & Reed Craft for providing treats.

Milo Mead for making the coffee.

See the 'Sign-Up Sheet,' on the refreshment table, to sign up to bring treats.

Announcements:

Steve Crouse – Explained the features of the speaker he had purchased from 'Sam's Club. He then described the 4-channel wireless system, that includes the 4 mics, he borrowed from WTS and costs \$350.00.

Rod Lair:

Still needing a 2nd Vice-President – Please see me after the meeting if you're interested.

Membership cards for 2023 are in the nametag box – make sure you pick yours up.

Pictorial directories are now available, if you haven't already picked up your copy yet, be sure to get with Steve Robb.

Next General Membership Meeting is March 14th.

Dave Turner has lined up On woodturning.

Jerry Krug – said he had received a call from a lady that is wanting to sell 8' pieces of cherry and oak that are unplanned. If anyone is interested, they should contact him for her information.

Warren Brecheisen – informed the members that he is part of the set crew of the 'Cedar Falls Community Theater' and they are looking for additional people to help build sets. He has placed a signup sheet on the front table for anyone who is interested in additional information.

Winners of Monthly Raffle:

Tool 1: Jason Edgington – Kreg's Drill Guide Quick Fit

Tape 2: Kevin Gade – Folding Utility Knife

Show and Tell Items included:

John Hix – CNC Cribbage board and a topographical map of Iowa

Jason Edgington – 3D cutting board and a turned segmented bowl

Mark Herbst – Cutting board and charcutier board

Rod Lair – Bunk board w/ ladder for an 18" doll

Dave Turner – a card holder and a turntable for the

'Ticket to Ride' game

Thomas James – Picture of floating shelves and custom decorations for a friend

The program was presented by: Dennis Clark of 'Clark and Associates'

With no other business, the meeting adjourned: 8:10 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Steve Robb, Secretary

Cedar Valley Woodworkers Executive Board Meeting Minutes 21 February 2023

Meeting called to order by President Rod Lair at 6:55 P.M. at Dave Turner's home.

Members Present:

Stephen Crouse, Reed Craft, Dennis Gilroy, Gene Knief, Rod Lair, Milo Mead, Steve Robb, Dave Turner, Mark Widdel & Jim Wikle

Treasurer's Report: Reed Craft presented the monthly Treasurer's Report. Reed also reported that the 2022 Income Tax Return has been filed electronically. Motion to approve was made by Steve Robb. 2nd by Dave Turner. Approved.

Secretary's Report: Steve Robb presented the monthly Secretary's Report. Reed said that the IRS return is the 990-N, not the 990-EZ as stated in the minutes. The January minutes will be corrected. Motion to approve was made by Jim Wikle. 2nd by Reed Craft. Approved.

Agenda:

2nd Vice-President – Discussion on possible people.

February meeting recap; Attendance - 49 Members 2 new members and 11 (5+6) guests Drawing - \$98.

Very good response from those who attended.

Christmas 2023 gifts – Rod brought in 3 projects.

Picnic for 2023 – Where: Island Park; Date: Sept 10th;

Meat: Mark agreed to smoke pork loin, as he did this year; Tours: Discussed several potential shops.

Next General Meeting date: March 14th at 6:30 PM.

Presenter is Ryan Bonjour – Turning.

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Next Executive Board Meeting date: March 21st at 7 PM at Dave Turner's shop

Cattle Congress – Reed Craft is coordinator. Discussion on signage, projects, demonstrations, and manning the booth.

Motion to reimburse Steve Robb for the photo directory cost. Dave Turner Approved. Discussion on members wanting additional directories. A motion was made by Dave Turner, 2nd by Dennis Gilroy that there is a \$5.00 fee for any additional directory. Motion Approved.

After discussion on the purchase of a speaker, a motion by Reed Craft, 2nd by Gene Knief to reimburse Stephen Crouse for the purchase of the speaker, from Sam's and Bluetooth adapter from Best Buy. Motion approved.

Discussion on purchasing microphones / projector. Bucket placed at upcoming meetings for donations o offset the price of the speaker.

Future Meeting Programs:

Apr – Larry Davis – Oelwein re. Cabinets

May – Open

Jun – Dale Taylor – Split-bamboo flyrods.

Jul – Susan Kennicutt – Artist

Aug – Debra Schmidt – Turns logs puts faces in the logs.

Oct – American Pattern tour

Nov – Open

Future Meeting Tours:

Pella:

Pella Windows – Pending

Windmill – Pending

Clark & Associates – Pending

Oct 10th to American Pattern

Spring Tool Sale:

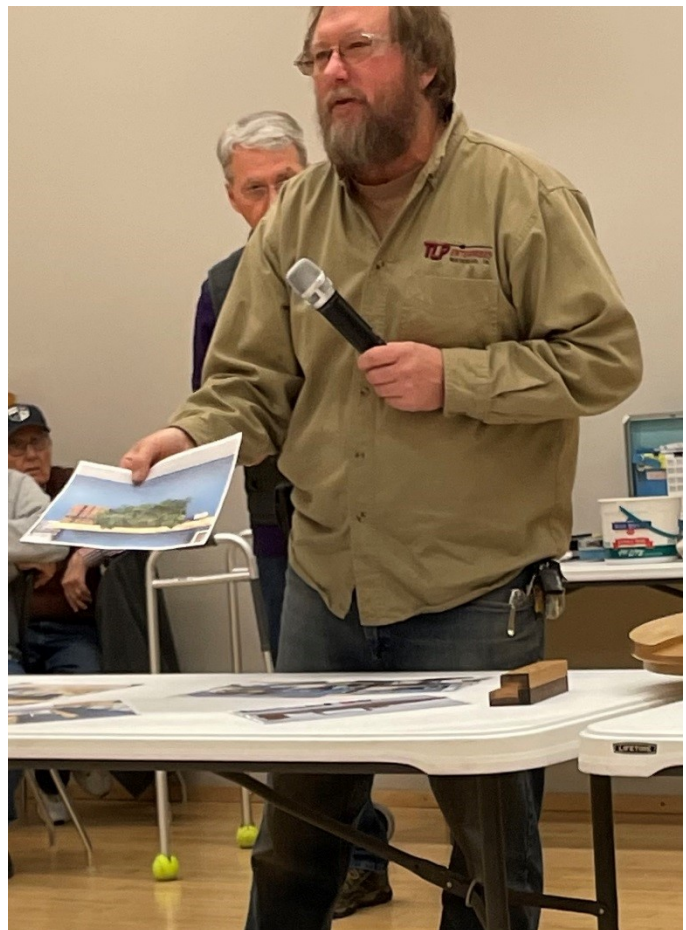
Dates – June 9th & 10th

Where – Dave Turner's Drive / Garage

Advertising – Facebook marketplace, flyers, yard signs. Mark Widdel coordinating

Send items that you're wanting to sell to either Steve Crouse or Mark Widdel

Show and Tell



Above: Floating Shelves Pictured by Tom James

Newsletter Deadline: Feb 22nd

Motion to Adjourn: 8:17 PM

Respectfully Submitted,

Steve Robb, Secretary

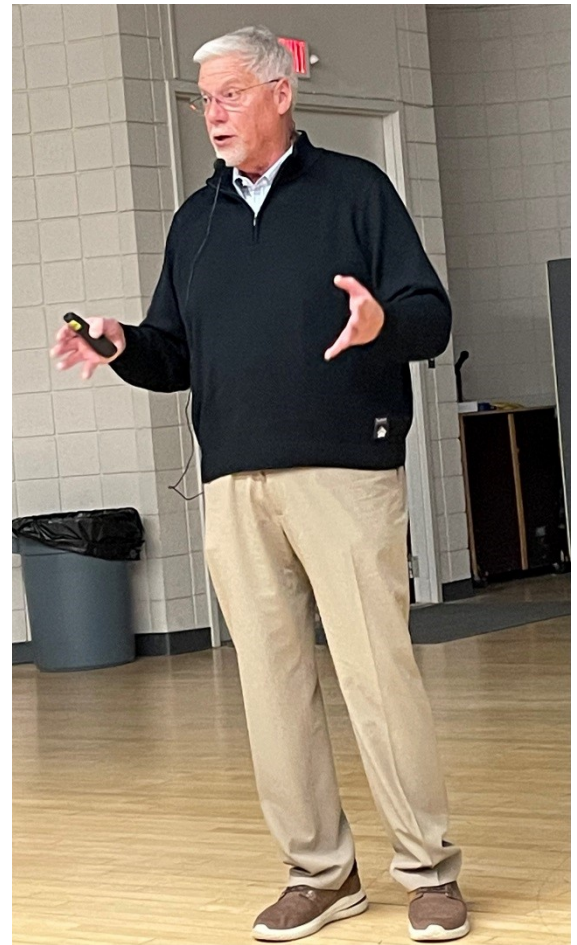
Show and Tell



Above: CNC Cribbage board & Topographical Map of Iowa by Jon Hix
Center: Cutting Board & Charcutier Board by Mark Herbsgt
Below: 3D Cutting Board & Turned Segmented Bowl by Jason Edgington



Show and Tell



Above: Bunk Bed & Ladder for 18" Doll by Rod Lair
Center: Dennis Clark from Clark & Associates this months Speaker
Below: Game board Holder with Turntable by Dave Turner



List of Mentors for Club Members. I believe the mentor's time is free, but the person being mentored is expected to cover any material costs.

Canoe/Kayak construction, Chip Schmidt, 277-8504, cschmidt@cfu.net

Has the Ability to figure MOST problems out—Dick Buchanan, 277-2477, rbuchanan@cfu.net

Fretwork, Garylee Thurm, 279-3219, flytying4u@hotmail.com

Furniture and Cabinet Building, Jerry Krug, 475-2391, jandjkrug@gmail.com

Equipment Maintenance and Repair, Bob Colby, 319-268-0883

Classes and Services for Pay by Fellow Club Members

Sharpening Stone Sales Gary Lee Thurm 319-231-4577

Larry Miller 319-239-4059 Sharpening Service

Carl Leavell 319-233-4491 Sharpening Service

NEW PATTERN TEMPLATE LIBRARY

Your executive board has developed a new loaner program that might be of interest to each of you. Though the contribution of several different individuals the following full size templates are available for check-out by club members:

Nativity sets: Rocking horse: Two different doll cradles
 Mission Wall Clock #49586. Size-21 1/8" H X 14 1/2" W X 6 1/4" D
 Mission Mantel Clock #49584. Size 16 5/8" H X 12 3/4" H X 5 3/4" D
 Mirrored Mantel Clock #49606. Size 16" H X 10" W X 7" D
 Atkins Mantel Clock #49643. Size 34" H X 12" W X 6 7/8" D
 Carrington Mantel Clock # 49673. Size 12 1/4" H X 9 1/2" W X 5" D
 Bedford II Mantel Clock #49004. Size 10 1/2" H X 18" W X 7 3/8" D
 Key Cabinet Wall Clock # 49028. Size 14 1/2" H X 10" W X 4 1/2" D
 Dearborn Regulator Wall Clock #49604. Size 18 1/8" H X 11 3/8" W X 4 1/2" D
 Mirror & Coat Rack #49199. Size 48 3/4" H X 26 1/4" W X 8" D
 Colonial Desk #435. 48" Wide- 8 drawers
 Assorted Bird Houses

Should any of you have a pattern template set that your willing to share, call a board member

Please remember to patronize our Sponsors!**

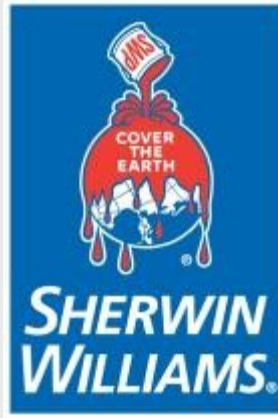
Member ID required for discounts



Hartville TOOL By HARTVILLE HARDWARE

Woodsmith Store**

10320 Hickman Road
Clive, IA 50235
515-254-9494 or
1-800-835-5084



****501 West 1st Avenue
Durant, Iowa 52747-9729
800-344-6657**

**Acme Tools **
1943 Blair's Ferry Rd.
Cedar Rapids, Ia.
319-363-2211**

**Sherwin Williams
Waterloo Cedar Falls
And 2
Nation wide**

**Pittsburgh Paints
528 West 5th St.
Waterloo, IA 50701
319-234-1739**

Officers and Committee Members

Elected Committee Members

President	Steve Crouse
1st Vice President	Rod Lair
2nd Vice President	Mark Widdel
Secretary	Steve Robb
Treasurer	Reed Craft

Committee Member

Gene Knief

Committee Member

Membership

Dave Turner

Club photographer

Jim Wikle (Temporary)

Refreshment Chairman

Milo Mead

Newsletter

Jim Wikle

Appointed Committee Members

Committee Members

<i>Committee Member</i>	Milo Mead
<i>Committee Member</i>	Dennis Gilroy