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Greeting woodworkers,

No band aids on my fingers yet this month, hope you are staying safe and can say the same. The feature picture this month is showing the current progress on another level of my dome clock. Will I ever get it finished? Sometimes I get discouraged but getting this far as inspired me to get it done. Although it has been difficult at times the 80 some years old reclaimed oak I got from Steve Rob's church has been a blessing, pardon the pun. It is very stable beyond belief, no cupping, twisting, bowing etc. This has greatly lessen the headaches of scrolling and especially assembly. After I finish this level of clock there is only the base level left to do and it is

not as complexed to do as this level (I think). However, I have not yet figured out how to make the last level as of yet.

In the photo there are currently 112 pieces cut and assembled and I have scrolled 1294 holes so far in this 30"X30"X11" level. Seems like a lot now that I have counted them. The hardest part is now done. But wait, there is still more to do. 16 more wood panels

being cut out go behind the walls. On the front of the windows with 12 panels. Then in the back of all panels acrylic plexiglass. Next, plywood floor on and cut out. Before gluing bottom floor panels out where the four panels go. Then I will attach the panels and do all the wiring. Then with the lamp posts to the top at the July meeting. And glue levels together.

Planning to show the dome clock, floor, at this year's Cattle Congress. Setting on a 16"X36"X36" oak display table it will still be over 5' tall. I plan to show completed clock at this year's Cedar Valley Woodworkers Christmas Party and by that time it will be over 6' tall. I am pretty sure this will be the last major project I do. I am going back to making smaller projects and rest the scroll saw for a while. Keep all your fingers and enjoying your woodworking whatever it is you enjoy making and I will see you all next time.

**Milo Mead,
President**

Editors Notes

1. There is a data base being developed of special tools that not all the members would have. The tools in the data base can either be loaned out by the member or the member needing the tool can go to the shop of the member that has the tool
Contact : Steve Crouse 319-230-3447 Milo Mead 319-240-0844

2. The club is looking for a new photographer if you or some one you now is interested have them contact Milo Mead President 319-240-0844

Cattle Congress

Take projects for display at the Cattle Congress to the fair grounds Sunday Sept 18, 2021 from 1 to 5 PM Reed Craft will be there to help setup. Projects may be picked up Sunday Sept. 26,2021 after the fair closes.

New Club Meeting Feature

SALES TABLE - There will be a sales table at each meeting. Sales will be done before each meeting and at the coffee break. We have been donated two tools by Tom Romaine. They are like new. \



For Sale
Refinished Hutch Table and Chairs by Dave Dryer: Contact Dave directly @ 319-240-6984 or e-mail davedreyer@outlook.com

The Oak Bulletin Board

THE NEXT Club meeting IS THE 19th Annual Picnic on September 12,2021 at Island Park in Cedar Falls. Picnic starts at noon see page six for mor details

The next Executive Board meeting will be on 21 August 20201 at 7 PM At Dave Turner's home 430 Prospect Waterloo

Corridor Wood turners meeting will be their annual picnic on September 11,2021 from 10 AM to 2PM at the shop of Tom and Stacy Nehl for details go to [corridorwoodturners .com](http://corridorwoodturners.com)

Members,

Those of you who have brad point bits that need sharpening two vendors have been developed

Aksarban Saw and Tool, 125 Poplar Suite 5 Springfield NE 68059, (402) 253-3021

Sharpening Shop Shupert & Son 99 Avondale DR, Dayton OH 45404 (937) 233-5144

The Editor

CVWA Club Meeting Minutes 10 August 2021

PM. President Milo Mead called the meeting to order promptly at 6:30 PM.

35 Members 0 new members and 1 guests were present: Mark Reeves

Thank you to:

Steve Robb, Mark Widdel & Stephen Crouse for providing treats.
Milo Mead for making the coffee.

Announcements:

Milo Mead:

Next General Membership Meeting is our annual picnic, September 12th at 1 PM at Island Park in Cedar Falls.

Sale Table – the siding clips on the table are ‘Free.’

Gene Knief is looking for someone to make a table for him. He is willing to pay for the cost of the material and labor. For more information about the table is here on the front table.

Thanks to Dennis Gilroy and his wife Sarah for all of the work they do in setting up annual picnic in September. They prepare the meat for it as well as organize the Christmas Party.

Dennis Gilroy – September Picnic & Tour

Date, Time & Location: September 12th at 1 PM at the Cedar Falls Island Park, Shelter #1.

Members are to bring

either a Hot or Cold dish, along with the serving utensil.
their own table service and drink.

Club will provide the meat and bun.

Tour – 2 tour this year, starting at 2 PM. They are to the shops of Rod Lair and Stephen Crouse. Maps to their shops are on the front table.

Reed Craft – National Cattle Congress

Dates: Wednesday, September 22nd to Sunday, September 26th

The Woodworkers display will be in the **Ag** building.

Small items for display, other than furniture, may be brought to the picnic on **September 12th**.

Projects may also be brought to the Ag building on **Saturday, September 18 from 1 to 5 PM**. Each woodworker who brings one or more items, will receive a ticket good for any day of the fair.

Items should be picked up after 6:00 PM on Sunday, September 26. If an item is not picked up, it will be protected and returned to the owner.

Dave Turner – Upcoming Meeting Programs:

September – Annual Picnic

October – 3M ‘Abrasives’ and 3M ‘Safety in the Shop Products’

November – Milwaukee Tools

December – Christmas Party

Winners of Monthly Raffle:

Tool: (Pipe Clamps): Reed Craft

Pocket Knife: Milo Mead

Show and Tell Items included:

Milo Mead: scroll-sawed door of the clock he is building

Reed Craft: Parquet wall hanging

John Hix: CNC carved eagle’s head in live-edged wood and CNC carved pool sign

Ken Kresser: turned walnut bowl

The program was presented by: Craig Clark of Hawkeye Community – ‘Sustainable Housing and Design.’

With no other business, the meeting adjourned: 8:07 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Steve Robb, Secretary

Cedar Valley Woodworkers Executive Board Meeting Minutes 17 August 2021

Meeting called to order by President Milo Mead at 7:02 P.M. at Dave Turner’s home.

Members Present:

Reed Craft, Steve Crouse, Dennis Gilroy, Gene Knief, Milo Mead, Steve Robb, Dave Turner & Jim Wikle

Secretary’s Report: Steve Robb presented the monthly Secretary’s Report. Milo Mead said that he would be present to conduct the September board meeting. Motion to approve was made by Reed Craft. 2nd by Dave Turner. Approved.

Treasurer’s Report: Reed Craft presented the monthly Treasurer’s Report. Motion to approve was made by Jim Wikle. 2nd by Stephen Crouse. Approved.

Agenda:

Tours – Dave Turner: He said that ‘Woodsmith’ magazine has confirmed a tour for CVWA for

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the morning of October 14th. Dave also reported that he has been in contact with Luke Ulrich, of 'Great Plains Millwork, Nevada, IA about an afternoon tour for the same date. Luke replied he would like to but that it would need to be on a Friday. Dave will contact 'Woodsmith magazine and see if our tour could be moved to Friday, October 15th.

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Future Meeting Programs:

- September** – Annual Picnic
- October** – 3M 'Abrasives' and 3M 'Safety in the Shop Products' has cancelled due to Covid travel restrictions. Discussion of alternative speakers.
- November** – Milwaukee Tools
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Discussion on ways to increase membership.
Discussion on Christmas gifts for spouses.

Next General Meeting date: Annual Picnic 13 September 2021

Next Executive Board Meeting date: 21 September 2021

Newsletter Deadline: August 24th

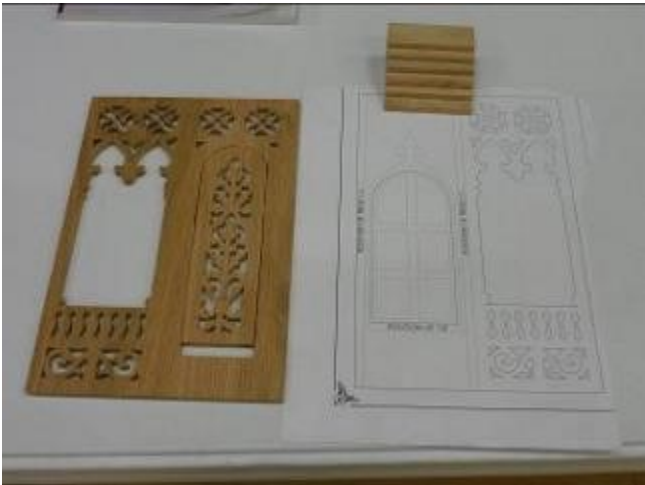
Motion to Adjourn: 7:55 PM

Respectfully Submitted,

Steve Robb, Secretary

Show & Tell

Below: Scroll Saw Door for the Cathedral Clock by Milko Mead



Show & Tell



Top Left: CNC carved pool sign by Jon Hix
Top Right: Parquet Wall Hanging by Reed Craft
Center: Turned Walnut Bowl by Ken Kresser
Bottom Left: CNC Carved Eagle by Jon Hix
Bottom Right: This months speaker Craig White discussing sustainable building and design.



19th Annual Picnic & Shop Tours**Sunday September 12, 2021**

Sunday, September 12th is the date for this year's Picnic & Shop Tours.

**The picnic will be held at Shelter 1 (N. W. side of park in Island Park in Cedar Falls).
Watch for the sign.**

The picnic will start at 1:00 with the first tour starting at 2:00.

Bring a hot or cold dish to share (with serving spoon if needed), table service & drink.
The club will provide Sloppy Joes, buns and condiments

First Tour: Rod Lair - 702 Oak Park BLVD

Cedar Falls Time 2:00 Approximately

Second Tour: Steve Crouse 1101 Ridgemont RD

Waterloo Time 2:30 Approximately

******Times are estimated******

There will be a sign-up sheet at the July and August meeting.

REMEMBER: SPOUSES ARE INVITED

Dennis – 269-5064

email: d.s.gilroy@cfu.net

**News Flash: Island Park is closed due to flooding as of 8-31-21 We may have to
change locations stay tuned for further updates**

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

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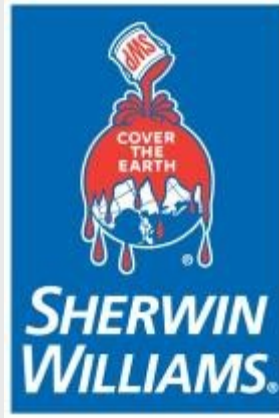
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Clive, IA 50235
515-254-9494 or
1-800-835-5084



****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

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1st Vice President Steve Crouse
2nd Vice President

Secretary Steve Robb

Treasurer Reed Craft

Committee Member

Bob Hewlett

Committee Member

Gene Knief

Membership

Dave Turner

Club photographer

Jim Wikle (Temporary)

Refreshment Chairman

Milo Mead

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Jim Wikle

Appointed Committee Members

Committee Members

Committee Member Terry Duckworth *inactive*

Committee Member Dennis Gilroy