



Hawkesbury Woodcraft

Incorporating HAWKESBURY WOODTURNERS

Newsletter July 2022

Club Chatter

In recognition for all the effort he has put into the club, the board has unanimously agreed to offer Neil Collier life membership to the club. Neil's association with the club is wide and varied, from using his shed for club activities in the early days, to building the annex to the station and the outdoor work area at the shed. His involvement with Trend Timbers has benefited both parties. Even though he is taking a tree change, this hopefully will be another reason for him to visit us.

Here we go again. Rain, rain and more rain. The village went under again but we managed to all the gear out in time.

Times are still tight. The Village and Trend attendances are way down on previous days. Hopefully things will pick up soon. Talking of Trend, we purchased a slab cutting band saw that was too good to pass up. I'm sure it will get plenty of use. We also gained a couple of good participants to the scroll saw event next year in Carbatec and Tormech. Good start.

Just a reminder of the scroll saw weekend in August. Not much preparation but a bit of work. We will be able to sit down with the owners of the event next year and sort out any problems. Brian has been asked to place an ad on facebook to invite people to come and have a look.

We have gained a couple of new members from the Lions club markets. Jan and Rick Fleming and

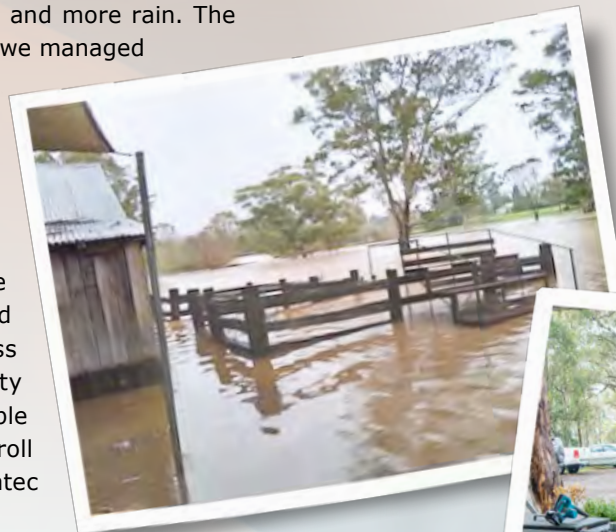
Yvonne Dawson will be joining us.

Scroll Saw weekend 13th and 14th August.

The photo below was taken today 4/7/22 and is taken from behind the school building with our railway shed roof just poking out of the water in the distance. Luckily we removed all stock in time but I do not know how the two display cabinets will survive yet another drowning.

Cheers

Graham Shakespeare.



Tom Carr operating the new slabbing bandsaw



Brian Snape on Bandsaw

Safety Instruction sheets

The Instruction Sheets are:

General Safety in the Workshop
Bandsaw Safety
Planer Jointer and Planer Thicknesser
Router and Router Table
Table Saws and Sliding Mitre Saw
Wood Lathes

Please see Graham Shakespeare to obtain Instruction Sheets arrange your Safety Competency Tests or if you have any queries about safety competency testing.

COVID-19 SAFETY CHECKLIST

- * GO HOME IF YOU HAVE FLU LIKE SYMPTOMS
- * OBSERVE THE 1.5m RULE
- * REGULARLY WASH HANDS WITH SOAP OR HAND SANITIZER
- * USE PAPER CUPS PROVIDED FOR TEA/ COFFEE
- * USE PAPER TOWEL TO DRY YOUR HANDS
- * LIMIT 2 PEOPLE IN KITCHEN AT SAME TIME
- * WEAR FACE MASKS AND RUBBER GLOVES
- * WIPE DOWN COMMON USE EQUIPMENT AFTER USE



A Resin fill project underway

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- Pyrography Theresa Apap 0447 156 615
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- Box Making

Sincere Apology

Last month I forget to mention that a doyen of the Club, a Life Member of the Club and one of the original Members of the Club had a Birthday.

Not just a Birthday

But

His 99th.

To Col Herbert, we all hope you had a wonderful Birthday and that you have a great, happy healthy year.

If there is any other Member that I have forgotten to mention in the Birthday Honours please let me know of your Birthday. I do not need to know the Year of Birth. Just the date and Month.

If you are unsure if I have your details or not you may use this test.

If you have celebrated a Birthday and it has not been mentioned in the Newsletter, then I do not know your details!

ROSTER for AUSTRALIANA PIONEER VILLAGE

June, July, August

2022

Note: It is the responsibility of each member to ensure that they attend on the rostered day or arrange for another member to substitute for your commitment.

26 th June	B Snape	P Snape	Heritage Working Day
3 rd July	T Carr	N Law	Village Winter Fair
10 th July	P Hathaway	D Tuck	
17 th July	G Shakespeare	R Mackie	
24 th July	S Bracken	J Morrissey	Teddy Bears Picnic
31 st July	D Henry	J Choma	
7 th August	I West	G Rawson	Horses Birthday
14 th August	B Snape	P Snape	
21 st August	S Bracken	J Morrissey	
28 th August	G Shakespeare	W Gunaratne	
4 th September	M Rutter	J Choma	
11 th September	P Hathaway	N Law	
18 th September	G Rawson	M Kinnon	
25 th September	T Carr	I West	

Just a note re the Scroll Saw Weekend

This will be the third time our Club has held this event (should be five but for Covid) for Strollers, Carvers and Pyrographers. We will have people coming from Interstate as well as various parts of NSW. As usual for this event the Club will be closed for General activities as Machinery will be moved around there will be no spare space, All Members are invited to come along and participate or have a look. The guests will be catered for and all Hawkesbury members are invited to have a meal with us. If you are going to join us for a meal please Register on the Form at the Front desk or on the back of this Newsletter. A small charge of \$10 for Lunch or Breakfast and \$20 for a catered meal on Saturday night. Registration is necessary for the purchase of sufficient food.

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FOR SALE

Triton 2000 work centre, sliding table, bevel ripping guide, Makita 235 mm saw, planning attachment with plane.

\$500 ono

If interested contact Merv

Geoff Rawson, Steve Bracken, Graham Shakespeare and Brian Snape selecting logs for milling on the new machine.





Wijitha sanding a project with the random orbital sander.



Geoff Rawson on Jointer



Peta Jones and Bob Galiler using the router table



Mary Kinnon working on a project



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Monthly Meeting Dates

Meetings are generally held at **Wilberforce Scout Hall, 15 Woodland's Road Wilberforce.** Unless cancelled or another event takes precedence.

First Wednesday	<i>Scroll Saw and General Activities</i>	9:30am–3:pm
First Saturday	<i>Carving / Marquetry / Scroll Saw General Activities / Show and Tell</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Second Wednesday	<i>Maintenance then General Activities</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Second Saturday	<i>Projects and General Activities</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Third Saturday	<i>Woodturners and General Activities</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Third Wednesday	<i>Scroll Saw / Club Project / Own Project</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Forth Wednesday	<i>Scroll Saw and General Activities</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Fourth Saturday	<i>Triton / Furniture Restoration</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Fifth Wednesday	<i>General Activities</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Fifth Saturday	<i>Open Day All Welcome</i>	9:30am–3:pm

Noel Law, Jenny and Brian Snape in the workshop





SAFETY STUFF

A REMINDER ABOUT SHOP SAFETY

We must all keep in mind the importance of SHOP SAFETY. Please THINK and ACT responsibly at all times.

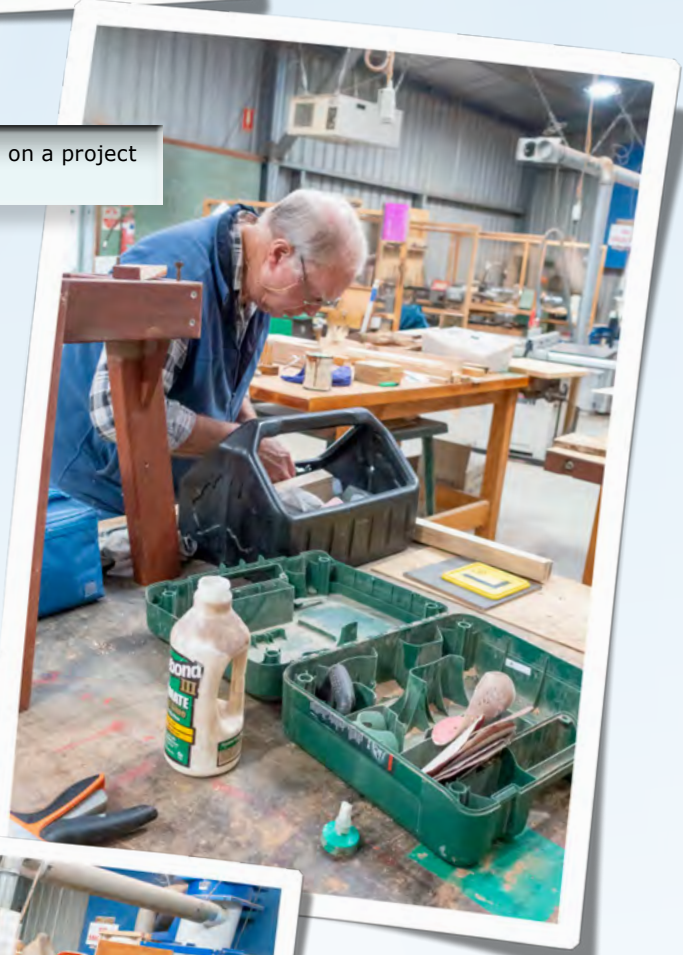
It is up to all of us to fulfil our commitment by wearing at all times:

- DUST MASKS.
- PROTECTIVE GLASSES.
- SUITABLE CLOTHING.
- FOOTWEAR ETC.
- EAR PROTECTION

IT DOES NOT HURT TO DISCUSS SAFETY WITH OTHER MEMBERS IF THEY ARE NOT DOING THE RIGHT THING.

REMEMBER.
IT IS YOUR BODY AND YOUR LIMBS.....

Bryan working on a project



Workshop scene



The new slab cutting bandsaw in use



HAWKESBURY WOODCRAFT CO-OP

HAWKESBURY THIRD SCROLL SAW PYRO, CARVING WEEKEND
AUGUST 13TH & 14TH 2022

CLUB HOUSE 15 Woodlands Rd, Wilberforce



**COME AND ENJOY A FUN FILLED WEEK-END WITH
LOTS OF LAUGHTER AND SCROLLSAWING, PYOGRAPHY & CARVING**
Cost \$45.00 (Includes Breakfast & Lunch both days)
SATURDAY evening meal \$20.00 each



REGISTRATION FORM (required by Monday 23rd July)

Name _____

Club _____

Address _____

Contact No _____

Email _____

Number Attending _____

Number for Sat evening meal _____

Additional Names: _____

Registration Fee of \$45 pp enclosed x _____ \$ _____ enclosed

Sat. Dinner cost of \$20 pp enclosed x _____ \$ _____ enclosed

Any Diet requirements? Please advise : _____

Will you have your own Scroll Saw or other equipment? Yes/No

If you need other equipment please list here: _____

Please make Cheques payable to:

HAWKESBURY WOODCRAFT CO-OP or

Direct Debit: Bendigo Bank, Nth Richmond.

BSB 633-108

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