



OCTOBER 2013

NEWSLETTER

Meeting Date: October 24, 2013

Place: Agricultural & Industrial Museum

217 W Princess St., York, PA

Time: 7:00 PM

FROM THE PRESIDENT

For those of our Guild who didn't make the September meeting, you missed out on lots of goodies for your bellies and for your woodworking blemishes. I didn't know about all of the wood filler products that DAP makes, so I enjoyed hearing about them. I know some of you got a lifetime supply of fillers.

This is my last time to beg for a good turnout for the October 24 meeting. We will have Andrew

Maher, a "jack of trades", to present a program for us. He will be using a treadle lathe (foot power) to show how to stay in shape and make turnings at the same time. He is a furniture maker and has all of the talents to prove he is a top-notch craftsman.

Ray and I have been talking about some of our Guild's problems. Maybe together we can solve some of them, so please come out for this special meeting.

Palmer

THIS MONTH'S MEETING

We welcome Andrew Maher of Andrew Maher Custom Furniture and Repair. His shop is located in beautiful Thomasville, Pennsylvania. You can check out photographs of some of his custom built-ins, custom furniture, repairs, and restorations of fine furniture. If you visit his website, click on "Photo Gallery" link to view some of the wonderful works he has created. Andrew is also an artist and has included some of his artwork on his website, to view click the "Art Gallery" link.

This should be an excellent meeting and may inspire you to get back into your workshops. Bring a guest to the meeting to hear and see what Andrew is going to share.

You can visit his website:

www.acmcustomfurniture.mysite.com

You can contact Andrew at: 259-0804 or by Email acmfurniture@comcast.net

*****SPECIAL MESSAGE*****

This will be the last meeting that Palmer Burke will conduct since there will not be a regular meeting in November and December. He has been an excellent president. Joie Henney has agreed to take on the task, however, we still need a vice president. Although, it doesn't appear he or she has much to do, it is still important that we have a Vice President, sort of like job-training.

At the next meeting, we are going to discuss some changes to the organization to help the elected officers.

So, with that in mind, do I hear someone who would like to be our next vice president?

Ray Parsons

LAST MONTH'S MEETING



Last month we were very lucky to have Justin Emig, the Representative from DAP as our speaker. He had samples and demonstrated the proper usage of the various products they manufacture. He also shared some insights into the business of caulks, sealants, adhesives, insulating foams, spackling, glazing, and other general patch and

repair products. Justin wanted to gather real opinions from woodworkers about how they select the product(s) that they use and why. With the DAP business being located in Baltimore, it makes you want to support them. In addition, he brought refreshment which is something the Guild has never seen at its monthly meetings. We appreciate the information that was shared with our group. If you have questions for Justin, his email address is:

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The website for DAP is:

www.dap.com





Joie Henney
President Elect for 2014



Palmer Burke
President 2012 & 2013



Mark Bortner
President 2010 & 2011



Dennis Kunkle
President 2008 & 2009



Ray Parsons
President 2004 to 2007

Who amongst this group will step up to the plate and agree to learn the ropes as the next Vice President?



Don't turn your back on this opportunity to help lead the Susquehanna Trail Woodworkers into the future!

AUGUST SHOW & TELL



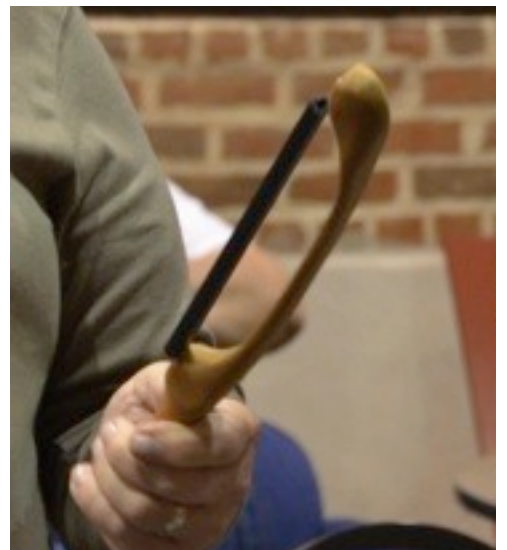
JOIE HENNEY shared photos of a blanket chest that he recently completed. It was made from oak and has a poly finish.



RALPH DERMOTA brought several of his wooden puzzles. These would make great Christmas presents for young and old alike.



BOB PATTERSON crafted this bread knife out of cedar. He plans to use it as a gift.





JIM GETTYS made this set of 4 nested bowls using segments of cherry, maple, mahogany and walnut. The finish is a wipe on poly.



DENNIS KUNKLE can't resist the old radios. This is a 1927 Mohawk, the dial is shaped like an arrowhead which is where the name comes from. Radios of this ilk require a separate speaker and he proudly shows off the classic "dancing ladies" model.



What does this make you think about?

Be prepared to discuss plans for a Holiday Meeting. In the past Ray Parsons has graciously hosted this event and it is usually held the second Sunday in December.

You can submit your dues, payable to STWG to:

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