MEETING
ETHEL Mac Leod HART SENIOR CENTER
915 27th STREET, SACRAMENTO, CA
(BETWEEN I & J STREETS)
Tuesday, June 7, 2005 7:00 pm

Presidents Note's, Allan Laudenslayer

It’s now June and that means its time for the annual Higgins BBQ on Saturday the 11th of June. Hopefully you didn’t spend all of your money at the wood show and you can now take advantage of the many great deals they will have on wood. You can also partake of their great BBQ while shopping for your wood. There will be more information on these bargains at the June 7th general meeting.

June also means it’s time for the 2 X 4 contest. If you haven’t already finished your project, you only have a little more time to complete it. I look forward to seeing the creativity again this year as last year had some very creative items for judging.

At the June meeting, Abe Low and Bob Drotos will be doing a demonstration on the how’s and why’s of using a plane. I know we all have one or two in our shops, but when was the last time we used them? And do we really know how to set them up and use them correctly? I’ll bet we can all get some very good information from Abe and Bob regarding planes.

Also, in the busy month of June, SAW is launching a new SIG. It is a pen and small project turning SIG. Due to the interest at the last general meeting, the board has added this to our annual calendar. It will be meeting on the 4th Saturday of each month. We look forward to seeing many of you at this new SIG. Please see the write up later in this issue.

We have received word that one of our members, Don Orsi died in May. Don Orsi has been a SAW member since 2000. Don will be missed by the SAW membership and our sympathies go out to Don’s family.

As I said earlier, the next general meeting will be on June 7th at the Ethel Hart Senior Center at 915 27th street (27th and J Streets). As always, I look forward to seeing all of you there.

Don’t forget your show and tell items. Everyone looks forward to seeing them every month.

Welcome New Members

Jonathan Lyerly—Grass Valley
Robert Paskwiet– Orangevale
Allen B. Taylor—Sacramento
The SACRAMENTO AREA WOODWORKERS, also known as SAW, is an organization formed for the purpose of:

Sharing woodworking experiences, information, instructions, plans, books, tools and lumber sources, ideas in producing supplement income and sharing in discounts resulting from volume buying.

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MEMBERSHIP

For all new members the dues for SAW are $30 per calendar year. Additional dependent family members, residing in the same household of a fully paid member, shall pay 50% of annual dues. As a SAW member, you will enjoy the camaraderie of fellow woodworkers, discounts from local merchants, group buys on wood, and library privileges. Commercial memberships are available for $50 per year. This membership includes yearly advertising in the newsletter. Ads are to be business card size and may be changed from month to month, if desired. Contact Treasurer Neil Knutsen for more membership information.

Contributions to the newsletter must be sent to the Editor Jerrold Braunstein, 4542 Scenic Drive Rocklin, CA 95765, email jbbraustein@sbcglobal.net, by the 20th of the month for inclusion in the following month's newsletter.

CLASSIFIED

Do you have woodworking related items to sell? Are you looking for something special for your shop? Advertise here.

FOR SALE

PURPLE HEART 4” wide 3/4” finished (rounded edges) S4S@$3.00 BF. 8” wide 3/4” finished S4S @ $4.50 BF; WALNUT SLABS 8’ X 3 to 3 ft wide 3” thick — $100.00 each. Call Dick Wambach 530-677-8251.

HD Random orbit sander-Porter Cable 5” w/dust collection shroud & hose. Also includes asst. of sanding discs.

$110.00 Call Jim Bringham 727-3458

RBI Hawk variable speed 220 precision scroll saw. Never used, foot control, video, blades, blade angle setters. 10 gauge steel legs.

$1050 contact Marty Martin (916) 927-1110

Powermatic # 90 wood lathe, older gap bed, 36” between centers, 12” dia. $1,200.

call Gary at 530-889-9361

For Sale: 2 HP Dust Collector, Reliant brand, new condition. Asking $100.00. Contact Marirose @ 448-1358.

Mikita 2 1/4 HP plunge router with fixed base and case (barely used); this lists for $400, but can be had on Amazon.com for $199 + shipping. I'll take $150. Also Porter Cable 6” variable speed random orbital sander (glue-on pad style). It sells for $129.95 locally, and I'll sell mine for $100. Also 12” DeWalt sliding compound miter saw, 2 blades, and Rousseau miter stand (very deluxe setup)! This item costs over $1,100 total, is almost unused, and I'll sell it for slightly more than the price of the saw and blades! Also Dust Collectors: 1200 C.F.M. Delta dust collector with 1/2 micron bags. This unit costs around $400 with bags, blast gates, and the two 4” hoses I have -- and I'll sell it for $200. The other unit I have is a smaller (540 CFM) two-stage Delta unit that I will sell for $125. It has caster wheels and sits on a metal drum (looks like a 55 gallon drum), and is easily rolled around the shop. It too has a 4” hose. Also Incra Jig Ultra I will sell any of these tools for a price that will make someone really happy. I have all the original containers (where applicable), and owner's manuals on these tools.

Bruce Weitzman, wmb123@pacbell.net (916) 635-4446 Daytime (916) 635-8444 Evenings & Weekends
Bring on the cards, Jef Spencer is ready to play.

Norm Steinbach’s bookends look great.

Dan Moening’s turned bowls.

Jef Spencer also did a race car.

Tom Taylor’s clock and other project.

Nancy Lichman’s scroll saw roosters.

Ken Barrios’ Large Mouth Bass. Get the rod.

Bob Schieck’s toys.

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June Raffle Prizes

**Large Raffle**
- 4 WF-3 Bessey Corner Clamps with 2 Bessey TK6 table clamps

**Small Raffle**
- Trim gauge
- Kreg mini jig with square tip driver
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- Boxed set of five Forstner bits
- Sanding drum kit 5 piece
- Magnetic parts dish

**Badge Raffle**
- Two Face Frame Clamps
Shop Tour

Furniture/Finishing SIG

GRANITE BAY HIGH SCHOOL WOODWORKING PROJECT PICTURES
**Furniture/Finishing SIG**
*Contact Person: Dick Wampach,*

THE MAY 17th 2005 FURNITURE / FINISHING SIG MET AT DICK & JAN WAMPACH'S HOUSE IN CAMERON PARK FOR OUR ANNUAL BBQ/POT LUCK, AND A PAINT SPRAY GUN PRESENTATION.

The rain gods threatened a few times during the evening, but this did not discourage the approximately 40 attendees from topping off their plates and enjoying themselves. (It was hard to get an accurate count as many were on the move back and forth for seconds and desserts) including two out-of-town guests that came to share the evening with us. Dining was set up outside on the Purple Heart deck.

After dinner about 30 members descended to the garage for our regular SIG meeting. The topic was SPRAY GUNS-how to use and maintain them. At least 6 members brought their spray equipment along and shared information with the group. We discussed the differences between types of guns, demonstrated their use and techniques. Most agreed that the HVLP type of gun is worth investing in because of less overspray about (1/3 more of the paint product goes on to the part), At over $100 a gallon for some hi-tech paints, a new gun will pay for itself in 1 or 2 jobs. We talked about types of finishing materials used for wood and automobiles, the need to follow the directions on the can, but to be flexible if the results are not as desired and be prepared to add more thinner in high temp conditions. We also touched on personal protective equipment such as respirator masks, clothing and shop safety.

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**Novice SIG**
*Contact person: Floyd Gibson,*

Novice SIG met Sat May 21st at the shop of Don Deas in Grass Valley. It was a beautiful day and a dozen of us showed up to learn how to tune up a table saw. Steve Hitchens and Don Robinson used a number of different gauges and set up tools to true up Don's Delta brand contractor saw. When all was said and done, Don's saw was cutting better and truer than ever before. The next meeting will be at Don Robinson's shop June 18. Don will be putting on a router demo for all that need more information on that tool. If it's anything like the last one, there will be a lot of good information presented.

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**Tole Painting SIG**
*Contact Person: Rogette Sommers,*

Tole Painting meets on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at the Ethel Hart Center. It is not necessary to bring your own paints or brushes (although it is appreciated if you do). Just bring a willingness to learn a great new aspect of woodworking and enjoy a true learning experience. 7 to 9 p.m. on June 9 & 23. Experienced Tole painters will be there to teach you how.

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Scrollsaw SIG
Contact person: Bob Schieck,

Scrollsaw SIG met Saturday May 14 at Bob Schieck's shop/garage. Sixteen members attended. Bob had 15 pair of wooden hinge patterns mounted on wood for members to cut out on scrollsaws. These cuts were edge cut, then turned 90 degrees to cut the remainder of the hinge pattern. The wood used was cedar, walnut, chestnut and paduck. No pine was used. All the projects set up to cut out were completed in different stages. Some were completed hinges, some fire wood, and some went to members home shops. Bob was in a good mood as he was giving wood away to members to make bandsaw boxes or turning projects or whatever. The wood given away was paduck, carob, maple, walnut, birch plywood. Bob also had his router table set up with his pin router attachment mounted. He did some demos on making a wine rack on his router table using the "pin attachment" and demoed template routing. The meeting ended at 1pm. All members had a good time. Thanks Bob.
The next scrollsaw SIG will be Sunday June 12 10am to 1pm at Tom & Roberta Taylor's shop.

Pen SIG
Contact Person: Tom Taylor

A new SIG is forming in SAW. In the effort to bring a diverse woodworking experience to the membership a small lathe or pen SIG has been established. This SIG was created to promote learning and sharing the small lathe woodturning experience. Whether you are an experienced turner or never have had been on a lathe before, (but always wanted to try turning) now's your opportunity.

Tom Taylor has agreed to organize and monitor the SIG. The first meeting of the SIG will be on Saturday June, 25 from 10 am to 1pm at his shop. Three small lathes will be available and a work area for two additional pen lathes is available. So you can bring your own small lathe. The first project will be learning to turn a Slimline pen. Pen kits and wood blanks will be available at the SIG. There are several different types of wood blanks, Cocobolo, Bloodwood, Zebrwood, Purpleheart plus domestic woods to choose from. A fee of $5.00 for the pen kit and wood blank will be collected. Extra turning tools are needed, please bring tools if you have them. A grinder to sharpen the tools is also available. If you have any experience in making, pens bring that too. At future SIG's we will not only be turning different styles of pens but other small lathe items.

Novice SIG

J. E. Higgins Lumber Co.
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Saturday June 11, 2005
9:00 a.m. to ???

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LIBRARY
Books, videos, and magazines are available to members for one month at a time when checked out of the Library at the back the meeting room. Be sure to return the items at the next meeting.

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In Memoriam

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