SAW general officer elections will be held at the October 2012 General Meeting! We are seeking members willing to serve. If there is anyone wanting to serve in an elected office, this is your opportunity! If you want to have a clear voice in the direction of the club, being on the Board of Directors gives you that voice. If anyone has any question regarding any of the positions, please see me or any current SAW officer.

A list of candidates known to be running for the SAW Board is shown on Page 3. You can still throw your hat into the ring at the October meeting.

If there is time after the Elections, Andy Volk will give a quick tutorial on making a wooden plane in the Krenov style. This the "short-form" version of the SIG he gave in February.

The October SAW Club meeting will also have a club contest entitled “Anything Goes!” Be creative! Your imagination is your guide. You can refer to a book or magazine, if you prefer, to make anything of wood to enter into this month’s contest. This will be our last contest for the year, so be sure to bring in an item, or bring something that you’ve already built in the past year, that has not been entered before!

There was a spirited discussion on the new by-laws to support becoming a 501(c)(3) at September's meeting. Please be assured that the current board was listening. While the bylaws as presented were approved by the club and submitted to the IRS to get our nonprofit status, board members are already considering wording changes to incorporate the concerns raised about member rights and control of the club. Please keep us informed of your concerns or ideas.

Manny of Aura Hardwoods wants to inform the club that they just received the following woods into their stock: Zebrawood, African Padauk, Wenge, Purpleheart, Goncalo Alves, and quartersawn Anigre. Many of our members were asking for exotic woods and he listened! Now they have them! Don’t forget – Aura is open on Saturdays 9 am to 1 pm.

Have something you want to sell or donate to other club members? We have tables set up in the back of our monthly SAW meeting spot for club members to bring in tools, wood, books, magazines, machines, or other items to sell or give away. You must be a current member to have use of the tables. Club members can also

Welcome New Members
JoAnn Tompkins of Rescue Pearl Company
Bring a friend! Guests are always welcome.
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.

2012 SAW BOARD (Pending approval of members)
All listed are voting members of the Board.
All Phone numbers are in 916 area code.

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SAW Staff Members
Volunteer members who work hard to help make the club enjoyable and run smoothly.

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MEMBERSHIP
For all renewing members the dues for SAW are $30 per calendar year (No prorated renewal). 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.

New Members will be prorated by month joined for the year.

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Family members at the same address can be added at half this rate. No refunds will be given on membership dues.

The club is always looking for new members. Recommend us to all your woodworking friends!

Commercial Membership
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 Tom Harrington for more membership information.

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

There are no new books this month.

General Meeting Program Schedule

Oct:  SAW Board Elections. Consider running!
      Speaker: Andy Volk, “Building a Kenov Plane”
      “Anything Goes” contest. Any item not previously entered and made in the last year.

Nov:  Speaker: Bob Beckert, “Scroll saw greeting cards”

Dec:  Presentation of Toys to the Salvation Army

Newsletter Items
Contributions to the newsletter must be sent to the Editor. Andy Volk, 7380 Sierra Ponds Lane, Granite Bay, CA, 95746, or e-mail amvweb@surewest.net by the 20th of the month for inclusion in the following month’s newsletter.

Newsletter Photos
If SAW had a position for official photographer, the position would be assigned to Steven Hitchens. Stephen takes most, if not all, of the photos appearing in the newsletter. If you like the pictures, be sure to give Stephen your thanks!
advertise for free in the SAW Classified Ads section of the monthly club newsletter.

This month I would like to also thank the many unsung heroes of our club. These are SAW club meeting attendees who all chip in to do the many tasks to help our meetings run so well—things like setting up the audio-visual equipment, serving as greeters, passing out tickets and prizes, helping at the tables, and even bringing in refreshments and treats to share. It is this form of volunteerism and generosity that illustrates the values of our club. Thank you for all your support.

If you have a suggestion or idea to improve our club, feel free to post a comment or suggestion at our club meetings. Board reports will be posted on the SAW bulletin board set up in the back of the meeting room.

Have an enjoyable autumn this October with SAW!

Members Who Have Announced Their Intention to Run for the Board

The following members are standing for the SAW Board in the October General Meeting Elections.

While these members have declared, all members are invited to stand for election to any of the following positions:

President Charles Linn
Vice President Richard Lovvo
Secretary Rich Shiraishi
Treasurer Tom Harrington
Program Chairman Clayton Nye
Editor Andy Volk

The Members-at-Large will be selected by the elected President and will be confirmed by the membership.

October 2012 Calendar

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Classified Ads

SAW members have been coming up with many great ideas, such as how to network with other members outside of SIGs, or creating ways to borrow set-up tools. Might we suggest using the classified ad section?

Ads can be run for more than one month. Just contact us each month and let us know the ad is still valid. Remember, you must be a member to take advantage of our free ad space!

Cool Websites to check out:

Share some of your favorite woodworking related websites here! Contact Andy Volk.
SIG Information

A “SIG” (Special Interest Group) is a gathering of woodworkers at a member’s workshop to discuss and do projects related to the Group’s interest. Any SAW member or guest of a SAW member may just show up at the meeting. Times and locations for each SIG is given in the Calendar on page 3.

Wood Projects SIG   Contact Person:  Steven Hitchens

On Saturday October 6th, Wood Projects SIG will be at Steven Hitchens’ Shop. The subject will be on basic to advanced setup for router tables. We will go over bit selection and best practices using brass setup bars and fence alignment. Come to the Wood Projects SIG with your questions and we will have some of our Master woodworkers there to answer them.

Scroll Saw SIG   Contact person:  Holly Lovvo

We had a nice turnout last month at Andi Brewer’s house where she showed us how to cut, mount, and paint puzzles for the younger crowd. Andi did a wonderful presentation with lots of wood and patterns to cut out, and even set up a painting station for the finished projects.

For October, we will be meeting at our shop in Rio Linda, and preparing for Christmas. We will be cutting out holiday card holders and ornaments for the tree. In addition, we always have additional patterns for you to peruse and use!

Furniture Projects SIG   Contact person for August:  Tom Nelson

The Furniture SIG will be held on Saturday, October 20, 2012 at Floyd Gibson’s shop. The subject will be marquetry and inlay. Marquetry was very popular during the 17th century. Inlays are used to enhance furniture and cabinets. Marquetry is very easy and fun to do. Veneer is used as the material of choice by marquetry artists. The “pad method” will be used in the demonstration. The scroll saw will be used to cut out patterns. The pattern will be very simple. I will use the Microfence to show how easy it is to make inlays. Hope all can come for the demonstration.

Lathe Turning SIG   Contact person:  Ed Gieszelmann

The September Lathe Turning SIG was jam-packed with information. Ed Gieszelmann first demonstrated some vacuum chucks he made, and another fellow brought one he bought. Next Ed showed how to make a pepper grinder. Finally, he repeated the information on the Beale polishing system that many people missed last month.

Ed will show how to do “inside-out turning at the October Lathe SIG at his shop.

Novice SIG   Contact persons:  Rob Drown

The September Novice SIG was at Rob Drown’s shop. The discussion was on the best way to make a shooting board (it should be fixed) and bench hooks for handsaws.

The topic for the October Novice SIG has not been announced, yet.
October Large Raffle Prize
Jorgensen Cabinet Master 4pc Set

Set includes two 24” clamps and two 36” clamps.

These clamps were designed especially for clamping large projects, furniture projects, etc., with 30% larger clamping face, a 10% longer screw travel, and a reversible head for spreader clamping. Throat depth is a staggering 3-7/8” with a width of 1-7/8”. These clamps also feature a larger jaw past the bar for clamping sideways. Handles are made from solid maple with 5/8” ACME threaded screw which is needed to create the 1,000-lb. load limit.

WOW PRIZE!

Mastergrip 190pc Rotary Tool - 8,000 to 30,000 RPM and Accessory Set

Badge Raffle:
Snap-On Folding Utility Knife

October Small Raffle Prizes

9-in-1 Mini Multi-Tool

Set of two 8” Wooden Handscrew Clamps

Stanley FatMax 5 piece pliers set

149-Piece Jig & Fixture Parts Kits

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"Things for the Shop" Contest

First Place:
James Meek with a fluting jig

Second Place:
Gary Foster with a jig to cut and fit mitered & splined doors

Third Place:
Bob Prichard with a set of jigs for making pot lid holders

Other Entrants:
Andy Volk with a Wooden Router Plane
Tom Harrington with a Tapering Jig

Show and Tell

Joe Schuchmann shows a box with a zebrawood lid
Bernard Orman shows his shop-made tools
Floyd Gibson shows some of the things he made on his Legacy CNC
Cliff Prichard had a bowl and pen he turned.
Harry Buckwalter shows a gun stock he made from some beautiful figured maple
Tom Taylor shows a plaque he made
James Meek built a cushioned chair.

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The **August Novice SIG** (right) was held at Andy Santos’ shop. He talked about routers, both table and hand held types. Thanks to Sally, Judy, Jerry, and Edward, who asked many questions, the Novice SIG achieved what was intended - share information about routers with fellow SAW members. Not only did the host, Andrew, have to explain "how to do it".

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### Toy Time

If I were to finish the finish I would be finished. It is about that time of year when we either get seriously inspired to make toys and get it done or start rounding up what we have done and see that it is complete, packaged and ready to go.

Thanks Tom Harrington for leading the September workshop. Everyone worked really hard. Wood donated by Don Duarte (thank you again Don) was planed and made ready to use. I think Dave McPherson took some home to complete. Thank you Dave. All hands were busy, the final cradle parts for the year were produced and sanded. They will be assembled at the October 17th workshop at Woodcraft which will be led by Joe Orbeck. Thank you Woodcraft for furnishing the space and various tools. Great job everyone! This will be the last workshop of the year so if you have something you need to complete at the workshop be sure to bring it.

The cradle project is in full swing, thank you Judy C for donating the quilt material. I'm sure it will be well used. If you have dolls or items for the cradles please e-mail me and I will forward the information to Marietta and Margarita.

I'll not be at the October meeting but if you need wheels or dowels please contact me and I'll see that you get them right away. Also we have wood available.

Thanks for smiling and creating the smiles.

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