

THE SAWDUST

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CWA Dues

If you haven't paid your 2009 CWA club dues by now you are **past due**. The "active" member list has already been sent to Klingspors that entitles members to an store discount.

If not already paid please make arrangements to have your club dues paid by the May meeting.

To make payment please contact Fred Miller at:

fredmiller2@gmail.com 

CWA Google Groups

There is a new method for CWA membership to communicate! With a single email we can let you know what's happening.

You Can Join This Group on Your Own!

To join paste the entire line below in your web browser (such as Internet Explorer) address bar:

- <http://groups.google.com/group/charlotte-woodworkers?hl=en>

- Hit enter, click the link "Join this group" on the right.
- Create a Google account if necessary (all they want is a email address and password).
- Once "signed in" select the radio button "Email" at the bottom and enter a nickname.
- Send an email out to the group to introduce yourself!
- Use "charlotte-woodworkers@googlegroups.com" as the "send to" in any email.



Member Scrap Project Show and Tell

Members were asked to bring in projects built with scrap wood, and do a show and tell about what they brought in. It was quite interesting and entertaining! The variety was amazing.

Below are pictures of most of the scrap projects that were presented. Thanks go out to all those that participated!





Shaker Table Build Project

A small Shaker table build workshop will be held on several Saturday and Monday night build sessions.

The first workshop session will be held on Sat. June 13th at 9:00 am. Remember to bring your lumber.

John Goodson, Dave Powles & Fred Miller have made a "dry fit" sample shaker table, that can be broken down for viewing.

Lumber and kits for this build are available from Wall Lumber. Bundled kits are approximately: \$75 – \$125 includes UPS delivery (dependent on the wood selected).

If you have any questions contact Fred Miller at: fredmiller2@gmail.com



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MAY 19 CHARLOTTE WOODWORKERS MEETING – SCRAP WOOD PROJECTS SHOW AND TELL.

ALSO: BRIEF REVIEW OF UPCOMING CWA SHAKER TABLE BUILD WORKSHOP.

JUNE 13 CWA SHAKER TABLE BUILD WORKSHOP – 9:00AM – till? AT THE JPM SHOP.

JUNE 16 CHARLOTTE WOODWORKERS MEETING – INLAY PRESENTATION BY ROGER GOLDMAN.

ALSO: CWA SHAKER TABLE PROJECT REVIEW CONTINUED (BY: DAVE POWLES, JON GOODSON, AND FRED MILLER).



CWA Meeting Time and Place

Meetings of the Charlotte Woodworker's Association are held the third Tuesday of each month, except for December. Meetings are held at Jackson Park Ministries Woodshop at Sentry Post Drive, Charlotte, NC. (Please check the web site for directions.)

Note: you may see construction on Sentry Post Drive as they have been working the area of late.

A social and refreshment time starts at 5:30pm; our meeting starts at 6:30pm. Come to the meeting early and get to know your fellow woodworking enthusiasts!



Quote of the Month

"It don't have a lot of time in the shop, so I don't do big projects" **Mike Smith**

What CWA Members are Currently Working On

At the February CWA meeting we asked members to tell us what projects they have in the works. Below is a list of the responses. Quite impressive!

Bruce Bogust	Jefferson travel desk
Fred Miller	Lingerie Chest
Tony Profera	Step Ladder, Garden Bench
John Goodson	Floor Lamp and TV Stand
Bill Watson	Jewelry Box for LOML
Peter Stoffel	Built-in Filing cabinets and Office Bookcase
Maurice Blackburn	Squirrel Cage Swift
Dave Krehl	Coffee Table
Dawn Griggs	Cabinet for Bath
Greg Smith	Block front Chest
Harold Andersen	Cedar Chest
Bill Emge	Tongue Drum
Wayne Manahan	Blanket Chest
Nick Solimine	Rocking Horse
Mike Smith	Norm's Work Bench
Bob Fields	Hand truck, 18" Stool, Table & gun box



The CWA Library

Books and DVDs are available from the CWA library for a buck a month. Contact Maurice Blackburn at MBlackburn1@Carolina.RR.Com

Also, please help your fellow woodworker and make your club newsletter even better by contributing a short book review.

Remember, your review is redeemable for a free DVD rental from the CWA library!

Contact Tony Profera at tprofera@hotmail.com



The Classified Section

This space is reserved for classified ads! If you have any woodworking items for sale that you think would be of interest to the membership please contact:

Tony Profera at tprofera@hotmail.com

Include a complete description of the items(s) and a picture or 2 (if possible).

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Directions to Jackson Park Ministries



From the intersection of I-85 and Billy Graham Parkway:

- 1.) Take Billy Graham Parkway South.
- 2.) Turn Right on Paul Brown Blvd / West Blvd. (this will be after the main entrance to the airport)
- 3.) Turn Right on Airport Drive.
- 4.) First left on Sentry Post Drive.
- 5.) At the end of Sentry Post Drive there is driveway on the left. Enter here. Using the photo above, drive down the driveway and around to the warehouse with the "x" on the top.

From the intersection of South Tryon Street and Billy Graham Parkway (where Woodlawn turns in to Billy Graham. Also exit 6 from I-77.):

- 1.) Take Billy Graham Parkway North.
- 2.) Turn Left on Paul Brown Blvd / West Blvd. (this will be at the light after the Tyvola Road exit)
- 3.) Follow from Step 3 above...

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THE WOODWORKING SHOP OF CHARLOTTE

Jim Rivers, Manager
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Show your CWA membership card and receive benefits (except power tools and wood)

CWA MENTOR PROGRAM

The following members have offered their help to anyone interested in learning skills or new techniques in their area of interest. Contact each person to arrange times to get together if interested.

Bill Golden
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704.525.9691
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If you are willing to mentor new woodworkers please let us know. Thank you!

"I have a lightning hammer – never strikes the same place twice.

-John Leake

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