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Wangaratta Woodworkers Inc.

The Secretary

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Craft Pavilion, Wangaratta
Showgrounds.

Newsletter

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	Colin Anderson	Gary King
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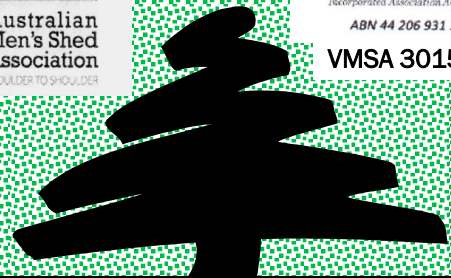


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"In this Issue"

Monday 15th. April.

Social Meeting at the Clubrooms.

Saturday April 27th.

Bunnings Sausage Sizzle.

First Weekend in May.

Annual Scroll Saw Weekend.

Time Table of Normal Club Activities.

Committee Meeting	7:00pm Second Monday in the month unless by agreement.
Social Meeting	7.00pm Third Monday of every month regardless of holidays.
Saturday Workshops	9:00am Every Saturday morning of the month.
Sunday Workshops	10:am to 1:00pm every Sunday of the month.
Club Project Days	9:00am Every Tues & Thurs –Private Projects/ Club Maintenance/ BBQ
Woodturning Group	9.00am Every Thursday morning of the month.
Creative Crafts Night	Every Wednesday from 5.00pm to 7.00pm.(Work on your project with help from the experts.) There may be times when session topics are altered. Check with Committee Members if in doubt.

Presidents Report.

Welcome all, the months have gone by and we are now up the fourth month. We have had members cleaning up, and getting ready for the scroll saw weekend which will be held in the back room. We have had some donations of wood come in, so we have wood on hand for your projects, so come in and catch up and start a new project. The Easter night went great, so thanks to all that helped out on the night. We did well with the BBQ so again a big thank you to all that helped out on the day, which helps out paying the bills.

We have set up small group which consist of Sam, Heather, and Ian to look at what we can do to get people to come to the social meetings. So, any suggestions are welcome, just let the team know.

Also, if you want anything brought up at the committee meeting just send an email to Frances so it can go on the agenda. The only thing I ask is that you be there if the committee has any questions.

Coming up events

North East Gathering of Woodworking Clubs 13th April

BBQ coming up on 27th of this month, this is one of our biggest forms of income and also promotes our club.

When using any of the machinery can we make sure that you have the right clothing and safety gear, and you also take care.

With the planer we don't put wood with bark on it as this will damage it, and with the drum sander we need to take into account what we put through it, so it does not clog up the sand paper, so check the drums from time to time and clean them. Also, can you clean any machines that you use.

Just a reminder that we have a new signing in system which was passed by the committee to try and make it better, so if you're not sure on what to do then ask a committee member as they should be setting the example.

Will see you at the next committee or social meeting.

Kind regards.

Bevan Tremellen

Supper Roster 2024

The Supper roster duties include: -



Provide a light supper for those present.

Provide 2lt of milk.

Layout supper table at the end of the meeting.

Supper Roster	2024
Jan 15th. 2024	Colin Anderson, Warren Anker, Les Whinray.
February 19th.	Ian Cardwell, Peter Gotham, Cassie Brindley.
March 18th.	Jim Doyle, Lionel Baldwin.
April 15th.	Ken Plattfuss, John Flanagan, Gary King.
May 20th.	Heather Joseph, Ashley and Fran Whitehead.
June 17th.	Sam Pearson, Les Whinray, Warren Anker.
July 15th.	Ian Wilson, Bevan Tremellan,
August 19th.	Alan Taylor. Agnes Rowland,
Sept 16th.	Alan Darwin, Robert Falkenberg.
Oct 21st.	Bevan Tremellen, Warren Anker, John Flanagan.
Nov 18th.	Jim Doyle, Ken Plattfuss, Eugene Hodson.
December	Date & Venue — To be advised.

If any member named above cannot be in attendance on the night rostered, please contact Les Whinray who will arrange a replacement.

Show and Tell

March 2024.



Fran Whitehead — an exercise in quilting with an Australian theme on either side of the quilt.





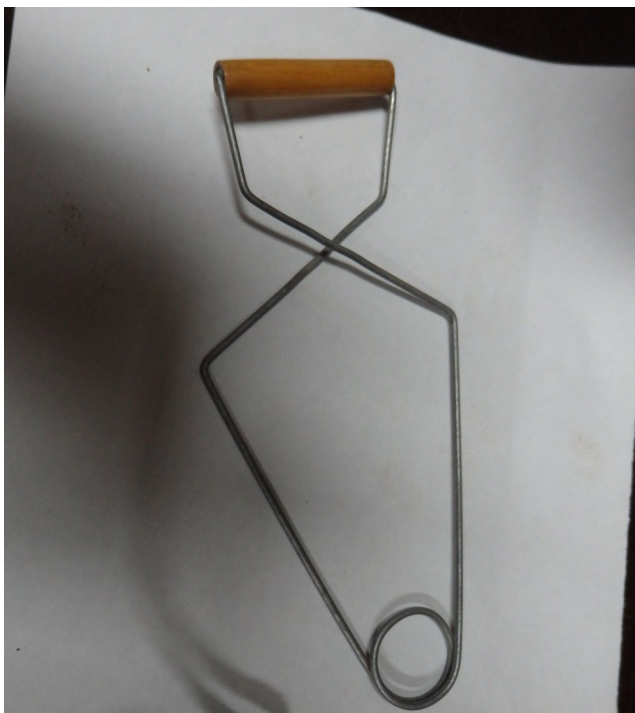
Jim Doyle —

A chair made by Jim some time ago. The mortise and tenon joints in the frame were all cut by hand.

The pattern was from the American Woodworker.

Jim Doyle —

Wire holders made from coat hanger wire. Jim uses these to hold bangles and pen blanks when varnishing them and hanging them when drying.





Ashley Whitehead —

Cats, a tulip and a Nativity scene scroll sawn by Ashley The two figures have birds perching on their outstretched arms.

Lionel Baldwin —

Quite a novel band saw box cut by Lionel.

It's a pattern we haven't seen before and quite a departure from the patterns most of us have been using





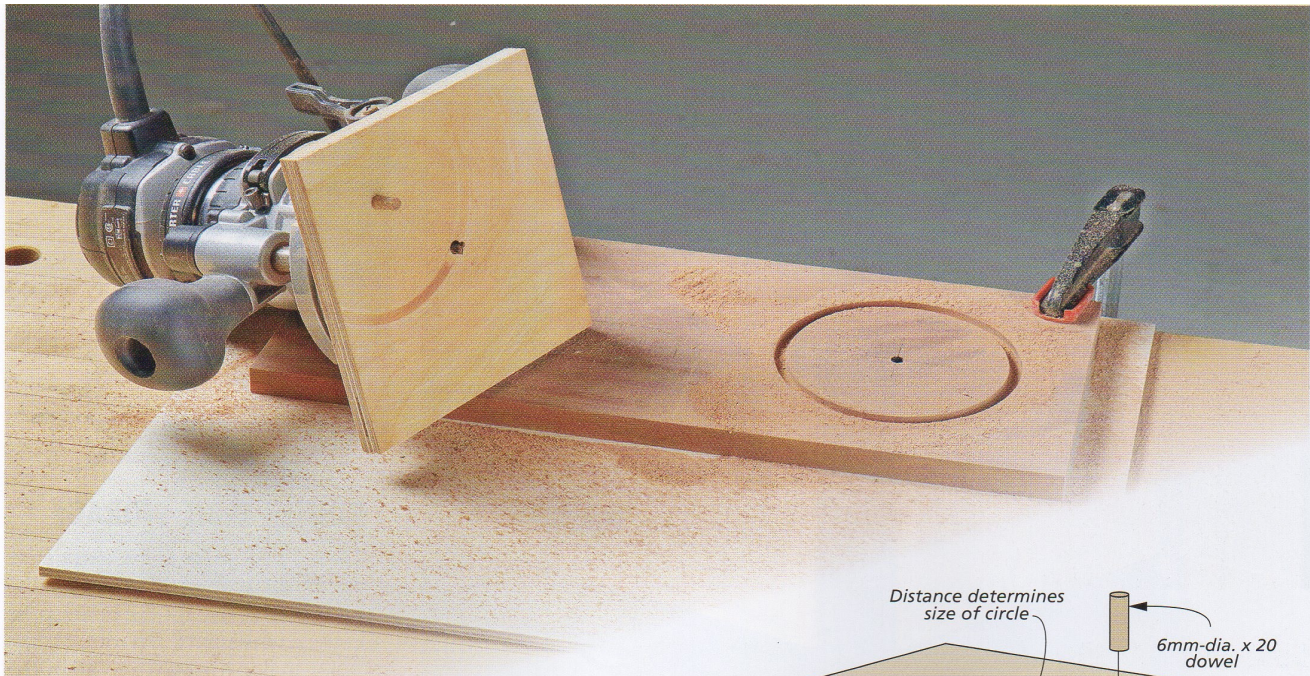
Students from Galen College with chopping boards donated by Wangaratta Woodworkers.

These boards will go into a prize pool aimed at raising money to support the Timor Leste community of Kulugia where eight Year 11 Students will be visiting the new school built there.

Cassie Brindley using a pyrography pen to put the Wangaratta Woodworkers Logo on the donated chopping boards.

The picture below shows the result of her efforts.

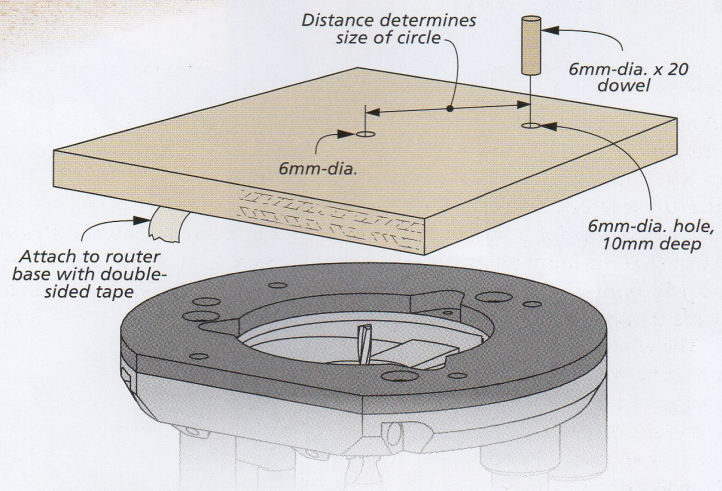




MINI ROUTER CIRCLE JIG

When it comes to making circles, I prefer a simple jig like this one when I can use it. The jig works as a trammel to guide your plunge router as you cut. Drill out two holes in a piece of plywood, one for the bit and one for a dowel. Glue the dowel into the jig. Drill a hole (or holes) in the piece you'll be cutting as well. Once dry, attach the jig to your router (I use double-sided tape) and fit the dowel into your piece, then let the jig guide your routing.

Phil Huber



Shifts for Bunnings Sausage Sizzle — Saturday April 27th. 2024.

Shift 1—9am to 11am. Colin Anderson, Gary King, Les Whinray.

Shift 2 — 11am to 1.30pm. Bevan Tremellen, Sam Pearson, Heather Joseph, Brendon Dodson.

Shift 3 — 1.30pm to 3pm. Bevan Tremellen, Peter Gotham, Les Whinray, Cassie Brindley.

We still need a fourth volunteer for **Shift 1**. If you can help please phone me on 0412 250 674 or put your name down on the whiteboard at the Clubrooms.

Les Whinray.

Position Vacant. Newsletter Editor.

This is my 100th. Newsletter over a 10 year period and as I approach age 88 I feel that it is time for someone else to take over.

All the files needed to publish the Newsletter have been loaded onto the computer at the clubrooms and they are quite easy to follow. I also have them on a portable hard drive that someone can load onto their own computer.

Think about it and contact Bevan or myself if you feel able to serve the Club in this role.

Les Whinray.

Club Fees and Membership.

2024/25 Membership subscription of \$70.00 due in July 2024.



If you have any queries about your financial status, please call the Treasurer, Peter Gotham on 0457 221 994. If payment has not been made you will not be covered by the club insurance and will not be able to participate in club activities. Payment can be made direct to the Club account — BSB 803070 , A/C No. 25321, or by Eft-pos at the Club.

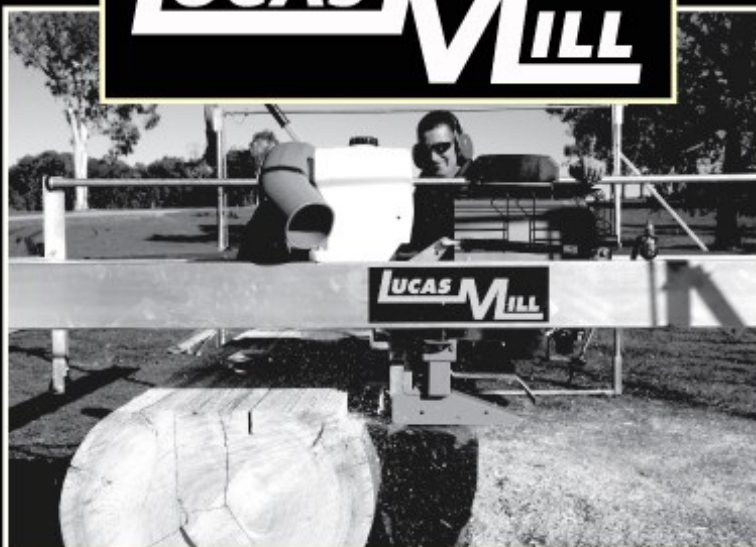
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