**BR Woodworking Club Meeting Minutes** 

Dec. 3, 2016

Location: Terry Landry's Shop

Invocation - Alvin Fort Pledge of Allegiance - Club

Keith Bryan, Treasurer:

Starting Balance - \$2,093.65

Deposit - \$0.00 Spent - \$661.60

Ending Balance - \$1,432.05

Warren Dufrene: Ibervillie Parish Council sent a very nice letter thanking the club for its participation in the 2016 Swamp Life Expo.

Jim Landry, Web Master: (Bob Chambers reporting)

Got a request through the web site for a hand tool woodworking demo at the West Baton Rouge Museum for Sunday Dec. 4. Mark Monistere, Kesh Ikama and Jim Landry volunteered.

Got a request through web site for a trim carpenter to install quarter round at the Scotlandville library.

Posted pictures of the Lowe's Heroes Project and of club members providing instruction in woodworking at Flowers Solutions Academy in Clinton.

## Terry Landry, V.P.:

Jack Carmena - Flowers Solutions Academy woodworking instructions: Eight members of the club spent 4 days over 3 weeks instructing 23 kids grade 4 thru 8 in beginning woodworking skills. Each student built a pencil box and candle holder. The third project was building coat racks for the school. The participating members were: Bob Bewick, Ken Brown, Jack Carmena, Harold Choate, Alvin Fort, Paul Hornsby, Wayne Matherne, Hays Town and Terry Landry. All said it was a very enjoyable and fulfilling project.

Lowes Heroes Poject: Lee Owens, Ken Brown, Bob Bewick, Jim Landry, James Burris and Terry Landry assisted Lowes employees in making improvements at Magnolia Elementary School - replaced steps to a special needs classrooms.

Kesh Ikuma - Committee working on next years meeting programs has the year completed and will be published on the web site soon. Lee Owens, Service Projects: (Wayne Matherne reporting)

Head boards for IRIS is complete.

Anyone interested in building animal pencil holders (Two by Four Challenge) contact Wayne.

Burt Fleming will be offering classes on basic woodcarving techniques at his business Wood B Creations, 13233 Hooper Rd, Central, LA 70808. For more information, go to the Events Page on the BRWC Website

Skill Topic: Tuning up a Table Saw presented by Terry Landry

In Attendance:

Tim Brown

Keith Bryan

Bo Burkes

James Burris

Jack Carmena

George Cenac

**Bob Chambers** 

Harold Choate

Curtis Dawson

Warren Dufrene

Alvin Fort

Cody Henderson

Paul Hornsby

Kesh Ikuma

Danny Kerr

Jim Landry

Terry Landry

Wayne Matherne

Arthur Miller

Mark Monistere

Douglas Morgan

John Murphy

John Parker

Ray Shook

Roy Smith

Lee Soileaux

Hays Town

Visitors:

**Burt Fleming** 

Ryan Tortorich