

BR Woodworking Club Meeting Minutes
Sept. 09, 2017
Location: Paul Hornsby's Shop

Welcome, President Hays Town

Invocation - Jack Carmena

Pledge of Allegiance - Club

Secretary Report: Roy Smith

30 club members attended the August meeting. We had no guest.
Year-to-Date average meeting attendance is 27 members with a high of 32 in March and a low of 20 in January. The average number of visitors is 2 with a high of 5 in July and a low of 0 in January.

Treasurer Report - Warren Dufrene:

Starting Balance - \$3,413.36
Deposit - \$1,043.95
Spent - \$1,259.28
Ending Balance - \$3,198.03

Web Master Report - Jim Landry:

C & C Machine - received enough votes to buy the machine. Jim will check out the machine before purchasing.

All new post to the our website's Forum triggers an email to the members announcing the new post. Please do not respond to this email. Your response will only go to the Web Master, not the other members. Please respond on the Forum.

Received a request for help for trimming a head board. Khanh Bui responded to this request. Received several request for woodworking classes.

Posted pictures for the YMCA conduit covers that members of the club designed and built.

The clubs now as 241 followers on Facebook.

Had 16 people sign up to build 100 Bluebird kits for the Swamp Live Expo.

Maker Fair will be held Oct. 21 from 10 am to 5 pm. Have 8 volunteers to man the booth. If interested in helping please contact Jim.

Service Projects Report - Lee Owens:

Freshwater Benches - 3 Teams built 9 benches. 6 have been delivered and the others will be delivered next week.

Paper roll holders/mail holders - in the planning process. The mail holder will be mounted on a cinder block wall. If anyone has an idea as to the best way to mount this item so that the weight will be safely supported, please contact Bob Chambers.

YMCA conduit covers - completed, painted and installed.

Swamp Live Expo - Warren Dufrene

Harold Choate brought 95 - 1" x 8" x 8' boards to the meeting that Holmes Building Materials donated for the bird house builds. Take yours home today. Bird house plans are on the web site under "Projects" on the forum.

If you have small work benches/surfaces that you can bring to the Expo, please do so. Hays will supply nails and screws. Setup will begin about 7:00 am. The Expo starts at 10:00 am but once the cooking starts, people start showing up. If you have birdhouse kits cut out but are not attending, please contact a member that is attending and ask if they will bring your kits.

Club By-Laws Amendment - Hays Town

Propose a change to the by-laws so that the Community Service Director/Chairman becomes a club board member. This change would make the chairman of one of the key club committees a member of the board and would move the board to nine members. Change passed without opposition.

Skill Topic : Making Boxes - Wayne Matherne

In Attendance:

C.J. Bergeron
Bob Bewick
Ken Brown
Keith Bryan
Jack Carmena
George Cenac
Bob Chambers
Harold Choate
Coy Davis
Warren Dufrene
Cody Henderson
Paul Hornsbhy
Kesh Ikuma
Danny Kerr
Drew Kumiega

Guy LaBranche
Jim Landry
Terry Landry
George Lewis
Wayne Matherne
Ray McCon
Arthur Miller
Mark Monistere
Douglas Morgan
Lee Owens
Jeni Passman
Pennie Rogers
Roy Smith
Lee Soileaux
Hays Town
Lannie Townsend
Shawn Walker

Visitors:

Erik Labtut
Kaylan Grigg
James Phillips