

# BATON ROUGE WOODWORKERS CLUB- MEETING AGENDA

## Saturday, December 2, 2017

**Meeting Location:** Roy Smith's Shop  
21777 Pride Baywood Rd  
Clinton, LA, 70722  
225-658-5072

- Fellowship before the meeting
- Collection of dues and selling of shirts: Warren Dufrene

**9:00 a.m. Open:** Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance - Jack Carmena

- Welcome and introduction of new members.

### **Officer Reports:**

Secretary	Roy Smith
Treasurer	Warren Dufrene
Web Master	Jim Landry
Vice-President	Bob Chambers
Community Service	Lee Owens

- Call for new business

**9:16 a.m.** Safety Minute  
**9:20 a.m.** Skill Topic – French Polish Finishing by Bob Chambers

With this topic we'll explore some of the properties of shellac, how shellac is made, how to use shellac to French polish a workpiece (with demo), what to expect as a result, how to "heal" a shellac finish, and an unconventional way to rub out a shellac finish for a glass smooth finish. You will also learn how to make an applicator for French polishing with common materials, and how to store it for re-use. As a bonus we'll take a brief look at using dewaxed shellac as a pre-stain conditioner to control blotching.

**10:30 a.m.** Show-and-Tell

**10:50 a.m.** Questions

**11:00 a.m.** Adjourn

Please bring the following items to the meeting:

- (1) Your own folding chair
- (2) Item or project to show and/or describe for "Show and Tell"