



Hawkesbury Woodcraft

Incorporating **HAWKESBURY WOODTURNERS**

Newsletter October 2022

Club Chatter

Hawkesbury Woodcraft is presenting a course in the art of scroll saw woodworking. The course is open to all who have been affected by the recent flooding in the Hawkesbury-Nepean area and will be free of charge thanks to the financial support of Wentworth Healthcare. The course will be delivered over four days, the timing of which will be negotiated with the participants, and it will be run by highly experienced and award-winning scroll saw workers.

The first session will be held on Friday 27th November. It will comprise an exhibition of scroll saw work, a demonstration to show how the works are created and it will give participants an opportunity to have some hands-on experience working with the machines. This day will be open to anyone aged 16 or over and will be held at the Hawkesbury Woodcraft workshop at 15 Woodlands Road, Wilberforce. No experience is necessary. The remaining three days will have a limited numbers of participants to ensure the maximum amount of hands-on time. These participants will also receive free membership to Hawkesbury Woodcraft which entitles them to full use of the workshop's facilities for a year; a year in which they can develop a wide variety of skills in a friendly and supportive environment.

All costs associated with the course will be covered by Wentworth Healthcare as part of their support for flood impacted communities. Morning tea and lunch will be provided.



Some toy trains for sale at the Pioneer village and Merv Rutter preparing lunch for after the AGM

By the end of the course participants will have created their own portfolio of works. They will be able to work safely and independently to undertake the full process including the preparation of blanks, applying a pattern, drilling start holes, cutting out the product and applying a finish. They will also be able to continue their craft at the workshop for months, and hopefully years, into the future. They will also be welcome to branch out into other areas of woodworking such as box-making, wood turning, cabinet making, carving, pyrography, furniture restoration etc.

If interested, please contact Graham Shakespeare by email:

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Cheers

Graham Shakespeare.



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on Facebook*



"Only as Good as your staff"

OPENING HOURS:

Mon – Fri: 8 – 4.30pm Saturday: 8 – 11.30am.

Sundays, Public Holidays & Long Weekends: Closed

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Safety Instruction sheets

The Instruction Sheets are:

General Safety in the Workshop
Bandsaw Safety
Planer Jointer and Planer Thicknesser
Router and Router Table
Table Saws and Sliding Mitre Saw
Wood Lathes

Please see Graham Shakespeare to obtain Instruction Sheets arrange your Safety Competency Tests or if you have any queries about safety competency testing.

COVID-19 SAFETY CHECKLIST

- * GO HOME IF YOU HAVE FLU LIKE SYMPTOMS
- * OBSERVE THE 1.5m RULE
- * REGULARLY WASH HANDS WITH SOAP OR HAND SANITIZER
- * USE PAPER CUPS PROVIDED FOR TEA/ COFFEE
- * USE PAPER TOWEL TO DRY YOUR HANDS
- * LIMIT 2 PEOPLE IN KITCHEN AT SAME TIME
- * WEAR FACE MASKS AND RUBBER GLOVES
- * WIPE DOWN COMMON USE EQUIPMENT AFTER USE

BIRTHDAYS in OCTOBER

Merv Rutter 26th
Ian West 30th
Muriel Picton 31st

Happy Birthday everyone. Hope you have a good Birthday and a terrific year to come.

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- Pyrography Theresa Apap 0447 156 615
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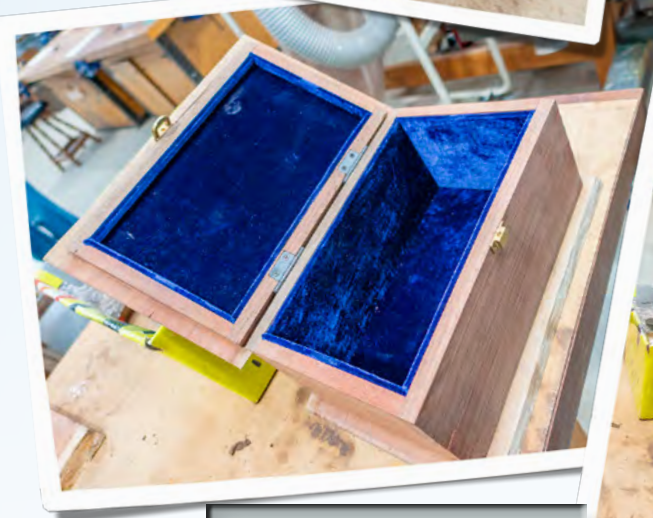
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Jenny O'Connell
working on a project



Mary Kinnon
working on a project



A velvet lined Display box
being made on commission by
Merv Rutter





Steve Bracken, Steve Gault and Muriel Picton scrollsawing, while Merv Rutter has an off-duty rest



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Monthly Meeting Dates

Meetings are generally held at **Wilberforce Scout Hall, 15 Woodland's Road Wilberforce.** Unless cancelled or another event takes precedence.

First Wednesday	<i>Scroll Saw and General Activities</i>	9:30am–3:pm
First Saturday	<i>Carving / Marquetry / Scroll Saw General Activities / Show and Tell</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Second Wednesday	<i>Maintenance then General Activities</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Second Saturday	<i>Projects and General Activities</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Third Saturday	<i>Woodturners and General Activities</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Third Wednesday	<i>Scroll Saw / Club Project / Own Project</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Forth Wednesday	<i>Scroll Saw and General Activities</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Fourth Saturday	<i>Triton / Furniture Restoration</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Fifth Wednesday	<i>General Activities</i>	9:30am–3:pm
Fifth Saturday	<i>Open Day All Welcome</i>	9:30am–3:pm

Bryan Welsh doing some layout
on a project



Terry gluing up jointed boards
for a project



Around the workshop



Graham Ramsay working on a small clock and Michelle Ramsay learning pyrography



A member's box WIP



Tom Carr and Susan Templeman MP. Tom's chess is made from a resin/toothpick composite.

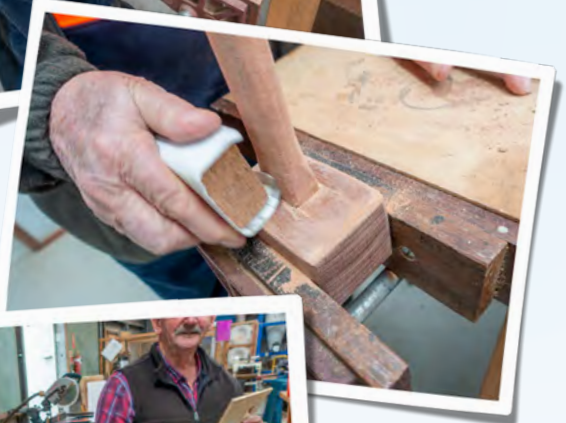
Scenes from one Wednesday at the workshop



Mary Kinnon



Noel Law



Jan and Rick



Jackie and Jan

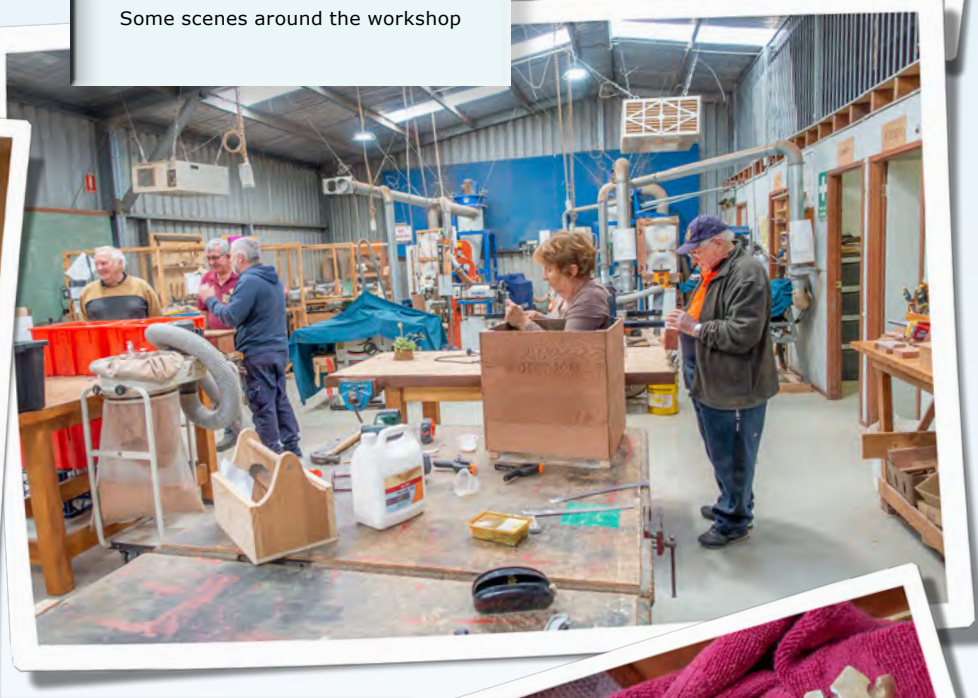


Ro Mackie





Some scenes around the workshop



Some prize winning scroll saw work found in the workshop. An ornate fretted clock by the Late Neville Durrington.



Chess set WIP by David Stanley