



NORTHERN WOODTURNERS CLUB INC. NEWSLETTER

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The Club Meeting for February will be held on Saturday the 19th of February at 9:00 am
A General Meeting.

Show and Tell. The monthly project is a bowl with a decorated edge.
After morning tea Gordon Watt will show how to create spiral on a spindle.
Later in the morning we will have Barbecue social get together.

President's Report – January 2022

Happy New Year to all our club members. Hopefully things will continue to improve. I have been looking up some definitions of “club” to see how they relate to our club which was started in February 1992 and incorporated in April 1993.

We certainly know that the definition “Stout stick that is larger at one end” does not apply although we can organise the making of these!

Other definitions include:

- A formal association of people with similar interests
- Unite with a common purpose
- Gather and spend time together

We can all relate to these definitions but unfortunately recent times have made uniting and spending time together rather difficult.

Some of us were able to make contact at our Bunnings Sausage Sizzles on 28th December and 16th January. These were very successful and make a big difference to our finances. Many thanks to all those who assisted.

There were only eight at our monthly meeting on 15th January but it was still good to get together.

Our next meeting is on Saturday 19th February at 9.00 am. Let's all make an effort to gather and spend time together and eat some sausages. We will continue to maintain the covid rules set out previously. Don't forget to wear your name tags. It is hard to remember the names of people we haven't seen for a long time!

Lionel Hart has had some problems with his hip and leg. While doing some turning before Christmas, he got into an awkward position which affected his hip. An injection has helped the condition but he won't be turning for a while.

Looking forward to seeing you all soon.
Stay Well Stay Happy
John Wheeler

Our Projects



Peter Lucas has been busy with his pens. Top left is a collection of oyster shell and resin pens and yes Peter had a feast of oysters in the name of art. Top right are Pens for the Troops pens made from Dutch Elm. The other picture shows some of his Nurse Thank You pens.



Gordon Watt has made the plate from Sassafras and finished it with wax. The yarn bowl is Desert Ash and it is finish with spray lacquer.



This bowl is Ian Beckett's first bowl and it is made from Red Cedar and finished with Shellawax. The bottle stoppers are made using Jarrah and Yellow Box and again finished with Shellawax.



Ian has made this plate from Iroko and finished it with Shellawax. The slimline pen is recycled rain forest timber and finished with CA glue. The bolt action pen is New Guinea Rosewood. The Graduate Fountain pen is Melaleuca.



Vic Cerra has made these Christmas ornaments and finished them with a varnish.



Vic has also made this bowl.

Session Times

Our weekly hands on session times are:
 Tuesday, 7:00 pm -10:00 pm
 Wednesday, 8:00 am – Noon
 Thursday, 7:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Monthly Meeting on the third Saturday of the Month, 9:00 am.
Except December.

We appreciate the opportunity from Bunnings to raise funds at their stores.
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