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**Knox & District Woodworkers Club Inc.**

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*General Meeting: 1st Wed. of Month (except January) at 7.00pm  
Held at Clubrooms 45 Glenfern Rd. Ferntree Gully (opposite No 44)*

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## **Current Executive**

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## **Membership Fees**

Joining Fee:	\$20.00	\$10.00 (Concession)
Annual Fee:	\$30.00	\$15.00 (Concession)

## **Club Room Bookings**

<i>Tue</i>	<i>(Alf Stephens)</i>	<i>10.00 - 12.00</i>	<i>Placemakers</i>	<i>(Alf Stephens)</i>	<i>12.00 - 3.00</i>	<i>Horses</i>
<i>Wed</i>	<i>(TBA)</i>	<i>10.00 - 3.00</i>	<i>General</i>	<i>(TBA)</i>	<i>6.30 - 9.30pm</i>	<i>General</i>
<i>Thu</i>	<i>(TBA)</i>	<i>10.00 - 3.00</i>	<i>Unemployed</i>	<i>(TBA)</i>	<i>6.30 - 9.30pm</i>	<i>Unemployed</i>
<i>Fri</i>	<i>(Tom Coghlan)</i>	<i>6.30 - 9.30pm</i>	<i>Projects</i>			

## September Meeting



Our September meeting demonstration in "Rocking Horse making and general Carpentry hints" was given by Len Elliott. Len's talk, backed by demonstration, was not so much on how things are done, but rather on why they are and should be done in a certain way. He believes that knowing why will give a sound backing for how, the latter being the less important of the two.

For those who missed his demonstration, Len will be demonstrating in the Exhibition Buildings during the "Working With Wood" show on the 22nd to 24th October 1993.

Len commenced his working life as a motor mechanic apprentice followed by service in the New Zealand Army and Airforce. In coming back to civilian life, he worked for 26 years on restoration work for the Auckland Museum of Transport and Technology, as well as two years in television for his programme called "Handyman Hints" covering a wide spectrum of repair work around the home.

Following his married children, Len and his wife Anne came to Australia in 1984, where he set up a successful business in restoration of high class Rocking Horses and Prams in Mitcham.

Len presented the club with his book "Rocking Horses and Prams in Australasia" and is currently writing a book "How to Make Rocking Horses".

## Annual General Meeting

The AGM saw a number of changes brought into effect.

The end of financial year has been altered to the end of August (instead of end of September). This allows the treasurer to finalise his books prior to the AGM, and allows members to pay their subscriptions and be financial (ALLOWED TO VOTE) at the AGM.

The fees for the coming twelve months were increased (the first time for several years). The new rates are shown on the front page of this newsletter.

The outgoing committee were thanked for their efforts and a new committee were elected (see the front page for details).

And we now have another Life Member - congratulations Alf Stephens on your appointment.

Thank you to the members and their wives for an excellent supper to finish the evening.

## Coming Events

3rd November - General meeting  
SPEDEX will be demonstrating a range of tools. Contact Tom Coghlan for further details.

**23-24th October - Stringybark Festival at the Rowville Community Centre.**  
**Make sure you attend, even if only for a short time. Remember the ROSTER, if you haven't yet given your name (or if you have, but forgot what time you selected), contact Sheldon Williams with your details.**

**SEE YOU THERE!**

## Psst!!!

If you need to gain access to the club rooms at some time in the future, I am told that Fred Moore now holds a key for that purpose.