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*Knox & District
Woodworkers Club*

45 Glenfern Road, Ferntree Gully 3156
Reg Assoc. AOO17617S

PRESIDENTS REPORT

This month has been a quiet time, with projects being completed for the Stringy Bark festival, to be held on 23rd & 24th October, at Rowville.

The Club's "be in it" competition is to be held on Sunday 19th September. For any new members, this takes the form of a B. B. Q. lunch, B.Y.O. drinks, chair and card table if possible. Please come along and meet other members and see a display of articles made by our members during the past twelve months. With all I have seen being made in the club rooms during the past few months, i.e. Blanket boxes, Pens, Shoe boxes, Carvings, Breadboards, just to name a few, we should have a great display, if members all bring a single item.

Whilst in Canberra recently, we visited the Old Parliament House, which is well worth a visit. By the size of the timber sections in the doors and furniture, it seems only the best would do in those days. The displays of Photos and paintings were well set out. I was impressed by an 18" high, carved bust of Henry Lawson, by Otto ????, made of Tasmanian Blackwood.

We are having a "working bee" on Saturday morning the 11th September, from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Hope to see you there.

Cheers,

David Howell – President.

A.G.M. - It's Close.

Only one month to go!

*Only one month until the
Annual General Meeting.*

*This is the time when we form a new
committee and now is the time to give
some thought as to whom will nominate
for the committee of our Club.*

*Remember that any financial member
is eligible to nominate for a committee
position and have the opportunity to
put your ideas and opinions forward on
Club matters.*

*If you would like to be on the
committee, please let us know so that
you can be nominated on the night.
Also if you think someone else would
do a good job on the committee, please
ask them if they would stand for a
position and then nominate them on
the night.*

*Remember that this is your club and
we need everyone's help and support.*

ATTENTION: ALL CLUB MEMBERS

*We are holding a
WORKING BEE
September 11th commencing at
8.00 a.m.*

*Everyone welcome
Your support would be greatly
appreciated.*

Guest Speaker

*With only 4 months until the year
2000, we have not got much time to
prepare ourselves.*

*As we approach the new millenium we
face the problem of the "Millenium
Bug".*

*This is a problem that will affect some
computers and also many things in our
daily life that have computer chips in
them. It therefor may affect us more
than we realize.*

*To gain some insight into the
"Millenium Bug" problem, come to our
September 1st meeting and listen to
Quentin Ogle talk on the subject.*

*You will pick up some vital information,
which should make the approaching
problem a little easier to cope with.*

Hope to see you all there.

Special Demonstration

*Wednesday 29th September
Starts 7.00 p.m.
At Clubrooms*

*We will be demonstrating how to do
FINGER JOINTS.*

*This is a must for anyone wishing to
find out how these are done.*

ALL MEMBERS MOST WELCOME

FEES

Fees are due and should be paid prior to the A.G.M on October 6th 1999.

If you wish to post them off please forward a cheque for \$30.00 together with your name to:

*The treasurer
Knox & District Woodworkers Club
45 Glenfern Road
Ferntree Gully Vic 3156*

Special Welcome

The Club would like to welcome the following new members:-

*Bill Miller
Pamela Austin
Stephen Hanau
Janet Sharp
John Pope
Shane Cranston
Gayle Meyers
Mario Azzopardi
Jim Sharp*

We all hope you enjoy your involvement with the Club.

Items for Sale

The following items are now available to club members.

*Pen Sets - (pkts of 5) \$12.75
36mm Clocks \$11.50
Gold letter openers \$ 5.00*

*Cash and carry - Sorry no credit
See:- Peter Sleeman or Bill Longdon*

GENTLE REMINDER

More damage to club property.

The victim this time was the small band saw.

It had been left with the blade wrapped around the pulley and belt.

There had been no mention of the problem by anyone and the next unsuspecting member had to discover it.

*We know that unforeseen things happen to all of us at some time **BUT** please notify someone immediately so that it can be fixed.*

It is very important to leave the

"OUT OF ORDER"

sign on the machine.

***SOMEONE COULD BE INJURED IF
A MACHINE IS NOT OPERATING
CORRECTLY.***

Rules for using the THICKNESSER.

- 1. NO PAINT*
- 2. NO DIRT OR GRIT*
- 3. NO NAILS*

Please check ALL timber before using the machine.

A bloke went into the pub with his dog. Both were supporters of the local team and they watched the match on TV with great interest. Every time their team kicked a goal the dog yelped with delight.

The barman was impressed. "What does he do when the other side scores?" he asked.

"Summersaults" said the owner.

"How many?" asked the barman.

"Depends on how hard I kick him!"

A young man looking for a job travelled to the country and approached the general store in a small town. The man behind the counter was also the president of the country football league and offered the lad a job immediately. "We need a centre-half forward with courage and a strong set of hands, he said.

"Sorry sir," said the lad. "I don't know a thing about football."

"No worries. We need umpires to.

The union rep was checking on the farmer who was suspected of underpaying his employees and was been introduced to the farmhands.

"This is Harry," said the farmer, He milks the cows and looks after the dairy and gets \$200 a week with room and board."

"And this is Mary, she cooks and does the housework and gets \$130 a week with room and board."

"Fair enough so far," said the union rep. "Is there anyone else?"

"Yes," said the farmer. "There's the half-wit. He works fifty hours a week and gets around \$15 a week with room and board."

"Ah," said the rep. "I'd like to speak to him."

"Your talking to him right now," said the farmer.

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Fred the flasher had been working the riverbank for 30 years and was thinking of retiring.

But after giving the matter a great deal of thought he decided to stick it out another year.

11th – 13th Sept

ILLAWARRA WOODWORKERS GROUP

**ILLAWARRA EXHIBITION
OF FINE WOODCRAFT**

Corrimal Uniting Church Hall
**EXHIBITION & SALES OF
FINE WOODWORK**

Includes competition open to both amateurs and professionals.

Closing date for comp. 30th Aug

For more information or entry forms etc. please phone:

02 4275 7076

24th – 27th Sept

MARYBOROUGH & DIST. WOODWORKERS

**WOODWORK
EXHIBITION**

Maryborough Town Hall
EXHIBITION & SALE

Of work by club members and from members of other clubs from throughout central Victoria.

Phone: Ted Lacey

03 5463 2570

Always remember. You are absolutely unique, just like everyone else.

10th - 12th September

DOWN UNDER TURN AROUND '99

Christian Youth Camp, Cowes, Phillip Island

NOW IN ITS 3RD SUCCESSFUL YEAR

Hands on weekend for all woodturning enthusiasts. A chance to pick brains, try your hand at something new, watch other turners at work, make new friends and have a wonderful time. 40 lathes 120 turners lots of shavings. Package includes 5 meals & accommodation.

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

Phone Caroline: **03 5956 7300**

Visit our web page at: <http://users.netcon.net.au/ubeaut/down.html>

JUST FOR FUN!

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Executive Committee 1998/99

President	David Howell	-	9874 6757
Vice President	Peter Sleeman	-	9758 1390
Secretary	Fred Moore	-	9758 2207
Treasurer	Dick Kors	-	9729 1224
Committee Member	Bruce Allen	-	9754 5774
Committee Member	Jan Brown	-	9762 1063

Newsletter Editor	Tom Coghlan	-	9801 8498
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General Meetings

1st Wednesday of each Month, commencing at 7 p.m.

Workshop Hours

Monday	6.30 pm - 8.30 pm	Bill Longden	9801 0704
Tuesday	10.30 am - 3.00 pm	Peter Sleeman	9762 3829
	6.30 pm - 8.30 pm	Bruce Allen	9754 5774
Wednesday	10.30 am - 3.00 pm	Peter Sleeman	9758 1390
	6.30 pm - 8.30 pm	David Howell	9874 6757
Thursday	10.30 am - 3.00 pm	Paul Aminde	9758 1733
Friday	6.30 pm - 8.30 pm	Bruce Allen	9754 5774
Saturday	9.00 am - 12.30 pm	Bill Longdon	9758 2438

Dates to Remember

Sept 1 st	Guest - <u>Quentin Ogle</u>	Speaking on "Millenium Bug"
Sept 11 th	8.00 a.m.	Working Bee at the Club
Sept 19 th		"Be in it" Competition
Sept 29 th	7.00 p.m.	Demo at Club - "Finger Joints"
Oct 6 th		Annual General Meeting
Nov 3 rd	Guest - Rob Low	Demo - "How to make a Clock"