Knox & District Hoodworkers Club Inc.

PRESIDENT.S REPORT

Last month,s Newsletter was all about getting ready for the Knox Festival 2000, which is now in the past. We had a good weekend, weatherwise, for the Festival, but the number of visitors seemed to be down. A great

turnup of members helped with the Kid,s Corner and the Rocking Horse Raffle. I thank all those who turned up to help, with special thanks to Jean and the two Nancy,s helping with the Raffle.

The Rocking Horse Raffle was drawn by the Festival Coordinator, Ms. Catherine Rinaudo, Ticket No. 1865, being the winner, namely Mr. Geoff Trood, a Vietnam Veteran, helping at the Festival, who said it would go to a good home, as he had eleven grandchildren.

It,s a pity, but it seems to be the same members who give up their time to make items and help at the Festival, whilst others use all the club facilities, and cannot help with the Festivals and other projects or return Raffle Books.

Toys, made and donated by members went to knox Council Community Appeal. The Staff thanked us, but to dATE there has been no letter.

Peter Sleeman has been busy again in organizing a Coach trip around the bay, crossing on the Ferry, and lunch on the Wharf at Geelong. This is to be on Thursday, May 4th, Cost to be \$28 per person. First 48 to get seats. Thanks Peter.

I would like to thank the members who have been able to obtain Timber and collected it for the Club.

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STANDING ORDERS

A Joining Fee and Annual Subscription will be necessary to make use of Workshop facilities

CM 5/5/95

2. A copy of the Minutes of Committee Meetings can be obtained on request by any Club Member.

CM 13/7/89

3. Badges must be worn at all Official Club Functions. A Fine of \$1 will be imposed for non-compliance.

CM 10/8/89

4. Badges can be replaced or duplicated at a cost, to the Member, of \$5.

CM 10/8/89

5. A \$50 petty cash allowance is granted to the Club Secretary for administration purposes.

CM 5/5/95

6. The monthly Newsletter will be distributed at Club Meetings and copies mailed to those Members who are not present.

GM 6/4/90

7. The 'Bill Gillingham Trophy' will be awarded annually to the Club Member of the Year at the AGM. The recipient will be jointly determined by the President,

Secretary, Treasurer and the current holder.

CM 31/10/90

8. Goods sold at Festivals on behalf of Members will incur a minimum levy of 10% as commission

GM 5/5/95

 Payment of Annual Fees must be made by October 31st. After this date the following penalties for late payment shall be imposed:-



Over 1 month but less than 2 months Over 2 months but less than 3 months \$10.00 \$20.00

3 months

Membership ceases

Any person whose Membership has ceased under the above conditions, who subsequently wishes to rejoin, will be required to pay a Joining Fee and Membership Fee, in accordance with Standing Order No. 1.

GM 1/3/2000

10. Keys to the Club Premises will be retained by key holders appointed at the AGM.

GM 4/3/92

11. An amount not exceeding \$50 can be spent, on the Club's behalf, for the sending of wreaths to the family of a deceased Member. Alternatively, a donation not exceeding \$50, where requested by the bereaved family, may be sent to a charity, or organisation, nominated by that family.

CM 5/5/95

12. Only financial Members are allowed to use Club machines.

GM 5/5/95

Annual Subscription 530

GM 6/9/95

14. The Financial Year commences on September 1st and terminates on August 31st the following year.

AGM 6/10/93

15. Suitable mementoes shall be available for the purpose of presentation to future award deserving persons.

GM 18/11/93

16. The Co-ordinator of any appointed Sub-Committee dealing with any activity relating to Festivals/Demonstrations, are permitted to incur costs up to a maximum of \$50, without prior approval of the Executive Committee. Receipts must be produced before re-imbursement of the money spent can be sanctioned

CM 2/6/95

17. Copies of the Minutes of the previous General Meeting are to be made available for Members to read, prior to the start of a General Meeting, so that the Minutes may be accepted as circulated.

GM 6/7/94

- New Members shall pay the full Annual Fee if joining prior to April 31st, thereafter the Fee shall be reduced by 50%
 CM 5/5/95
- 19. The Treasurer is authorised to keep aside a Float of \$100, in order to settle requests for payments to Members for various legitimate requirements.

CM 25/10/94

 The Annual Fee for Country Members unable to participate in workshop activities shall be \$10 per Annum

CM 25/10/94

21. Smoking on the Club Premises is limited to the outside area between the rear of the new extension and the doorway of the new Storage Shed.

GM 1/2/95

22. Members shall, when rostered, take their turn in mowing and whipper-snipping the grass surrounds to the Placemaker and Club Workshop areas.

GM 2/6/95

23. Life Membership may be awarded only at the AGM. This honour can be bestowed only on one person per year, who shall be elected by popular vote. Two Members objecting to the nomination shall defeat the Motion.

CM 2/6/95

24. Only 10 Gold Pass Memberships shall be made available. The condition of this Award is a lump sum payment equal to 10 years Annual Membership at the Fee prevaling at the time of the Award. Thereafter no further Annual Fees will be required from this Member during his lifetime.

CM 2/6/95

- 25. The Equipment Sub-Committee is authorised to spend up to \$1,000 on agreed items at any one time, with overall purchases to be limited to \$5,000 in any one given year.

 GM 5/3/97
- 26. That Committee Meetings will be convened 14 days prior to the next scheduled General Meeting

CM 24/3/99

27. The stated conditions in Standing Order No. 9 may be varied, or exemptions granted, at the discretion of the Executive Committee.

GM 1/3/2000

ODDS & ENDS

A sailor meets a pirate in a bar and they take turns recounting their adventures at sea. Noting the pirate's peg-leg, hook and eye patch, the sailor asks, "So how did you end up with the peg-leg then?" The pirate replied, "We was caught in a monster storm off the Cape and a giant wave swept me overboard. Just as they were pulling me out, a school of sharks appeared and one of 'em bit me leg off". "Blimey!", said the sailor, "what about the hook then? ? "Ahhh...", mused the pirate, "we was boardin' a trader ship, pistols blastin' and swords swingin this way and that and in the fracas me hand got chopped off". "Zounds", remarked the sailor, "and how came ye by the eye patch then?". "Well matey, a seagull droppin' fell into me eye", answered the pirate. "You lost your eye to a seagull dropping?", the pirate asked incredulously. "Well", replied the pirate, "it was me first day with me new hook".

Great minds discuss ideas; Average minds discuss events. Small minds discuss people!

Beautiful young people are aecidents of nature. But beautiful old people are works of art!

Learn from the mistakes of others, You can't live long enough to make them all yourself.

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For your calander

Woodwork Festival 15th & 16th April 2000

10 am - 4 pm

Manningham Leisure Centre cnr Foote St & Anderson St **Templestowe**

Sponsored by Triton & Manningham City Council

The Australian Woodturning Exhibition 16th, 7th & 18th June 2000

Your woodturning entries invited

Sponsored by Dremel

Presented by Koonung Woodturners Guild Inc. Ted Anderson (Chairman) 9874 7365 Phone:

Guest Speaker.

May, Peter, Scott-Young

Talk on Veneure.

Executive Committee 1999/2000

President	David Howell 9 874 6757
Vice President	Peter Sleeman 9 758 1390
Secretary	Fred Moore 9 758 2207
Acting Treasurer	Doug Dell 9 729 1886
Committee Member	Bruce Allen 9 754 5774

General Meetings

1st Wednesday of each Month, commencing at 7.30 pm

Workshop Hours			
Monday Tuesday	6.30 pm - 8.30 pm 10.30 am - 3.00 pm	Project Night Peter Sleeman	9758 1390
Wednesday	6.30 pm - 8.30 pm 10.30 am - 3.00 pm 6.30 pm - 8.30 pm	Bruce Allen Peter Sleeman David Howell	9754 5774 9758 1390 9784 6757
Thursday	10.30 am - 3.00 pm	Paul Aminde	9758 1733
Friday	6.30 pm - 8.30 pm	Bruce Allen	9754 5 774
Saturday	Enquire on day	Reinier Lolkema	9754 4567

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P.S. Gary bould you please run half a dozen sheets of habets Plane. Thanks. Nowe

Note you are well.