

GUILD NEWS

Next Meeting
 Tuesday, 7:00 PM
 February 13, 2018
 East Kentwood High School

Sherwin-Williams Co. Finishing Seminar!

Guild Meeting Agenda

February 13, 2018

7:00 PM to 9:00 PM

- Welcome Guests and Returning Members
- Sherwin-Williams Co. Finishing Seminar

**Make this meeting
even more fun!
Bring a Friend!**

'ONE!'

'One' place to go to learn more about woodworking!
 'One' place to make friends.
 'One' new new way to do ...!
 'One' Winning Raffle Ticket.
 'One' 50/50 Winning Ticket.
 'One' new way to save \$\$.
 'One' place to buy or sell.
 'One' place to learn tools.

Any 'ONE' of the above 'One' reasons, is 'One' good reason, to come to a West Michigan Woodworkers Guild meeting and become 'One' of our members!

Guid Dues
2018 Guild Dues
Where Due By
January 31, 2018

You can find a map to our meeting location at
<http://www.westmichiganwoodworkers.org/> under "Meetings."

Sherwin-Williams Co. Finishing Seminar

Mark your Calendars, NOW!

On February 13, 2018, Sherwin-Williams Co. Reps. will be presenting an in-depth seminar on wood dying, staining, and general wood finishing!

Most woodworkers are not aware that Sherwin-Williams Co. is a major supplier to the furniture manufacturing industry for protective wood finishes, dyes, stains, equipment and procedures on how to finish and protect various domestic and exotic wood species that have unique wood grains and color characteristics.

In addition to Sherwin-Williams representatives being present at the Guild meeting, a number of their associated Vendors will also be there to cover application tools and systems and finishing tips woodworkers can easily use to make their projects look great!

There will be giveaways and ways for Guild members to buy and get discounts at any Sherwin-Williams outlet!

Any Michigan Woodworker, Wood Turner, Wood Carver, Sherwin-Williams employee or customer or any Public School employee, student or parent is invited to attend this seminar.

"Reservations"

Sherwin-Williams Co. Finishing Seminar

We are expecting a larger than normal turnout for the Sherwin-Williams Co. seminar but we have limited seating available!

To provide seating for as many people as possible, we need to ask you to contact the WM Woodworkers Guild and let us know you are planning to attend this great seminar.

There is a map to our meeting location on our website, www.westmichiganwoodworkers.org/, under the 'Meetings' heading.

Please call Tom McDonald by February 9th at 616-706-8057 or e-mail at trmcdonald999@att.net to let us know you are planning to attend the seminar and the number of guests you will be bringing with you. **Thank you for this consideration!**



THANK YOU!

Thank you to all the members who provided items for the raffles at our Guild meetings.



Meeting Activities on January 9, 2018



'Tool Time'

John Pflug likes to do 'Timber Framing.' To do so, he needs a number of different sized portable power saws. He explained why each was useful, the Pros & Cons of each size & their power source.



Scroll Saws

Dale Smith is the Guild's resident scroll saw expert. He explained the different type of saws, adjustable head angle Vs adjustable table angle, \$150 scroll saws Vs \$600 scroll saws.



50/50 and Wood & Tool Raffles

Everyone likes to win something special. When the winning Raffle tickets are called, everyone checks their raffle tickets for the 'Winning Number.' We had wood and some great tools from CMT!

Special Thanks to CMT

Thanks to **Kirk Figan, Midwest US & Eastern Canada** for **CMT** Tools, the WM Woodworkers Guild received a 'Care Package' from **CMT** to support the Guild. The 'Care Package' included multiple 10" & 7 1/4" carbide tip saw blades, multiple sets of Forstner Bits and an Angle Meter. All toll, these **CMT** tools represent 100's of \$\$\$ at retail! **Thank You Kirk!!**

These **CMT** tools are greatly appreciated! They will be given away as contest prizes or will be raffled off to our members at our monthly meetings during 2018. The \$\$ from the raffled items will help fund the monthly activities of the Guild.

Please consider **CMT** when you are buying tools!

Want to Get Started Into Woodworking?

If you are looking for hints on what it takes to get into woodworking the below website is a good place to start. Plus, come to Our Guild Meetings

<https://www.wonderfulwoodworking.com/getting-started-in-woodworking/>

Sherwin-Williams Co. Supports the Guild

Thanks to **Gustavo Dias**, Manager of the Sherwin-Williams Co. store at 4499 Ivanrest Ave. SW, Grandville, S-W donated \$100 to support the WM Woodworkers Guild through 2018.

Looking for Tools?

One of the most perplexing challenges is, 'Where is do I find the tools I can afford to buy?' Very few 'Newbies' can afford to buy all new tools!

Here one possibility!

On February 10th from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM at 559 Berry (off 8th Ave.) in Grandville (Ottawa Co.). The Grand River Turners Guild is holding an Estate Sale at a former member's woodshop, who recently passed away. It is a sale of a complete woodshop setup for woodworking & woodturning. Work benches, hand tools, power hand tools, gages and all the equipment.

Everything MUST BE SOLD!

Visit The Guild's Facebook Page
www.facebook.com/groups/wmiwwauild

*2018 Planned Meeting Demonstrations *

February 13, 2018

Finishing By Sherwin-Williams Co. Representatives

March 13, 2018

Fish Landing Net Construction by Sam Lacina

April 10, 2018

Open

May 8, 2018

Sketch-up Drafting (CAD) By Les Derusha

June 12, 2018 (Rain Date June 19, 2018)

Picnic at John Pflug's Homestead in Alto, MI

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'Free' Saturday Demonstrations!

February 3, 2018

1:00 PM

Chip Carving

February 10, 2018

1:00 PM

CNC

February 17, 2018

1:00 PM

Small Project Turning

February 24, 2018

1:00 PM

Biscuit, Dowels, Dominos
Plus!

Workshop 201: Cabinetry

9:30 AM to 5:00 PM \$250

Buy from those who Support the Guild!