

Newsletter

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September 2006

August 2006: In Review

Matt Gauntt, our Show & Tell MC, did the honors of presiding over the August meeting and he did us proud, as always.

Our guest for the evening was **Len Olsen**, who has a shop in Arlington Heights called Ageless Furniture Restorations, gave us a demo on repairing and refinishing furniture.

A little glue in the joints and some well applied elbow grease and an originally good piece of furniture is set for another few decades of service.

The crew from **Bosch Tools** was also on hand to give us a Sneak Preview of their new workbench that has a ton of neat features. Many members checked it out and gave their opinions on this latest marvel.

Ron Gilkerson is back from the forests of Alaska and most everyone else is home too so we expect to see a nice crowd at our meeting... *...But no vacation slide shows!!!*

David Bettinghaus will introduce us to **Segmented Turning** in September.



Coming in October...

...Mike Madden, Show Chairman, will tell us more about the woodworking show coming to the Odeum in October. Be sure to mark those calendars for a chance to volunteer to help FVWWC shine and TWS is also a good place to find classes, of deals on equipment and such and to "Talk Shop" with folks who will listen...And tell a few stories of their own!

The Woodworking Show

October 6-8, 2005

<http://www.thewoodworkingshows.com>

Invitation to GOW 2006

September 18 - 23rd, 2005

The Carving Shop

645 E. LaSalle St. - Somonauk, IL

<http://www.thecarvingshop.com>

Email: jdillett@thecarvingshop.com



Everyone is invited to participate in the **GOW 2006, Gathering Of Woodcarvers**. If you have a desire to learn about woodcarving or just want to socialize, please come and bring a friend. Come for one day or spend the whole week. We hope to see you there. **Call host Joe Dillett at (815-498-9290) for details.**

Membership Drive 2007



Renewal time is here!!!
Renewals for 2007 started **09/05** and must be submitted no later than **01/03/2007** to make sure you don't miss a minute of what FVWWC has to offer!

Ken McFee, Membership

FVWWC Events Calendar

- Sep 5th.....Tue ...7:30 p.m... **David Bettinghaus** –
"Segmented Turning"
- Sep 9th.....Sat....9:00 a.m... **The Chicago Woodturners**
invites you to attend a Turning
Demo by, one of the areas finest
turners, teachers, authors
and demonstrators, **Dick Sing** -
Woodcraft Supply, 1280 E.
Dundee Road in Palatine, IL.
For details and directions visit:
www.chicagowoodturners.com
- Sep 18th..thru 23rd **GOW 2006 - Somonauk, IL**
(Gathering of Woodcarvers) -
The Carving Shop kicks off this
years classes & seminars for
beginning carvers to advanced!
<http://www.thecarvingshop.com/>
- Sep 20th. Wed.. 8:00 a.m. . **FVWWC's Breakfast Club: At**
a new, earlier time of 8:00 a.m.
- The Red Apple Restaurant at
414 S Schmale Rd - Carol
Stream, IL -- All members and
friends are invited to stop by
- Oct 3rd..... Tue ... 7:30 p.m... **David Bettinghaus** –
"Segmented Turning"

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- Host..... **Jim Anderson**
- Greeter **Jim Hildreth**

CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE

- **1,300 lbs. Electric Hoist Model #02954**
by Central Machinery - Distributed by Harbor
Freight Tools (**See photo at right >>>**)
Brand New - Never Used - Manual
Included - \$100.00 or B/O
- * Single line capacity: 650 lbs.
 - * Double line capacity: 1300 lbs.
 - * Line speed: 33 ft. per minute
 - * 1.5 HP motor, 120V, 60 Hz, 1150 watts
 - * Lifting Height: 48/24'
 - * Overall Dimensions: 15.5 L. 5 11/16 W, 8 13/16 H
- Howard Van Valzah**
(815) 623-3183
howard@vanvalzah.com



WANTED: WOOD

- Will buy from 1 pc. to bulk lot of hardwood
lumber, shorts, blanks & cut-offs in cherry,
walnut, mahogany, redwood, etc.
- Ron Gilkerson**
Phone: (630) 879-8756 (Voice Mail)
E-mail: rongilker@hotmail.com

Attention FVWWC Members

List your For Sale/Wanted Items Free!

Contact FVWWC Editor/Webmaster
(630)897-4877 or woodworkers@fvwwc.org

Show & Tell

August 2006

Okay, in spite of vacations, we had another interesting display by Members of a variety of projects:

- **John Winton: Gavels** of Oak, Walnut, Cherry & Apple with friction polish finish.
- **Jim Simmick: 45° Table** to fit between a sofa and chair, in Cherry plywood with solid Cherry top with a Minwax & Poly finish.
- **Stan Anderson: Clock**, from the Sept. 1996, Issue 90, of Plane Wood Magazine, made of Oak & Walnut with a wipe-on poly finish.
- **Jim Vojcek: Pipe Box** in Maple with a shellac finish.
- **Charlie Christensen: Keepsake Box** of Walnut with Maple splines and a Polyurethane and Paste Wax finish.



- **Dave Masters: Vase** turned from Red Cedar with a Danish Oil finish.
- **Len Swanson: Bowl** turned from Madrone with a Lacquer finish.
- **Rich Rossio: Log Bowl** turned from a Olive tree with a spray poly finish.

Thanks for the great projects and stories... ..Can't wait to see what September brings for us to see!!!



FVWWC MONTHLY DRAWING

We will have a variety of items in September like a 1st Prize choice of a: **Delta Scroll Saw** or **\$50.00 AM/EX Gift Cheque** plus secondary items.

**SPRING 2006
BONUS
DRAWING**

We've met our goal!

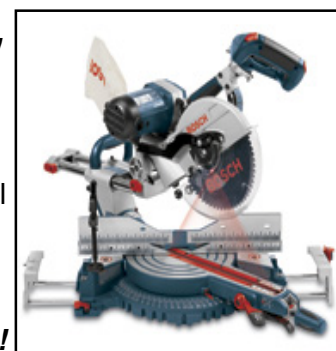
The **Bosch 10" Dual-Bevel Slide Miter Saw - Model 4410L** will be awarded at the September meeting!!! Tickets are \$5 ea/5 for \$20 -- **And you do not have to be present to win!**

*This is the same saw written up in the July issue of **Fine Woodworking Magazine** as the "Best Pick" in their recent review of 10" miter saws!!!*

Don't miss your last chance to get tickets for the Special Drawing -- We will most likely be drawing the winning ticket right after the break!!!

As always, proceeds help us to continue to offer this level of prizes each month so, please, show your appreciation by purchasing a ticket or two...

...See you at the meeting!

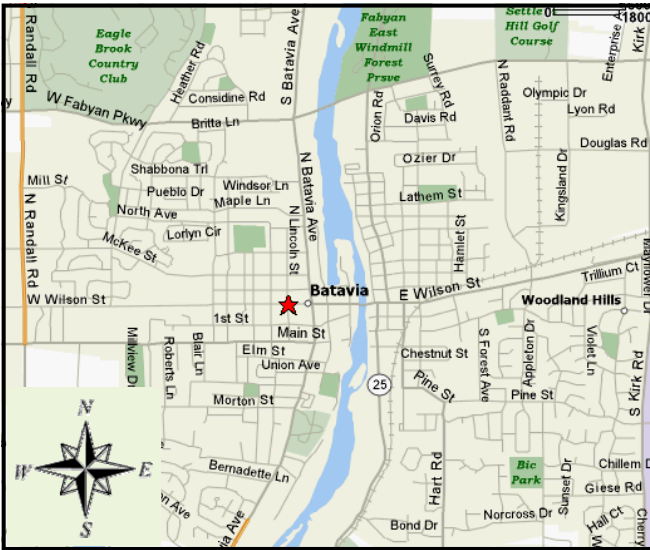


Charlie Christensen - FVWWC Raffle Chairman



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Fox Valley Woodworkers Club
General Meetings held at:
Bethany Lutheran Church
8 S Lincoln St. - Batavia, IL
1st Tuesday of each Month at 7:30 p.m.
Doors Open at 6:30 p.m.
Visitors Always Welcome!

General Meeting Agenda:
Sept. 5th, 2006
“Segmented Turning”
by David Bettinghaus

