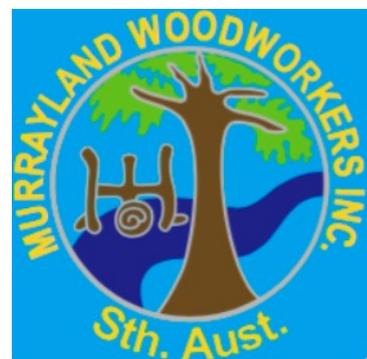


MURRAYLAND WOODWORKERS Inc

Johnstone Park Clubrooms, Adelaide Road, Murray Bridge

The Club meets on the first Saturday of the month 10am—4pm

and on the third Saturday for Scroll sawing 10am—4pm



NEWSLETTER

Edition 2-August 2019

PRESIDENTS REPORT

Welcome back to our second newsletter. Thank you to Helen & Owen who did a superb job on the first one.

It has been another big month for Murrayland Woodworkers.

The first weekend in August - Thanks to Alan for the segmented demonstration, it was very informative for everyone who took part, all the tips and tricks.

The second weekend was the Robbo weekend which was enjoyed by only a few.

Saturday was all the tips and tricks for spindles and bowl turning using the tools. Sunday was hands on where we got to use the tools, and put into practice what we had learnt. I know I definitely learnt a great deal.

The third weekend, we had 10 club members attend Turn S.A. in Kingston, there was lots of fun and laughter, lots of networking, and even some blood drawn by an angry bowl. Next year may even be a 3-day event and everyone is encouraged to bring a friend to get the numbers up. This year we had 15 lathes, 2 scroll saws and 1 pyrographer. The

Challenge this year was to make a cannon with bullets which was organised by Charles Greig. The cannon had to fire bullets by air, the longest was 40 feet - yours truly could only manage 19 feet 8 inches. There were only 7 canon makers, but it was a load of fun.

The fourth weekend, I finally have a free weekend, oh hang on its V8's at Tailern, maybe not haha.

On the Thursday 29th August some club members will be attending the Father's Day Night at Bunnings.

On the Saturday 31st August 2 club members are taking part in a beginners scroll saw class in

Adelaide, and I will be attending a board meeting on that day also.

THEN time for a break - Bintang time, we are off to Bali.

Any issues please see Graham who will be taking care of things while I'm away. See you in a month Cheers Mal.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

5th October 2019

All positions will be declared vacant. These then need to be filled to keep the Club running.

There are many roles, some not as onerous as others, and we ask that you seriously consider 'putting your hand up' on the day.

A list of the available Positions are shown on page 3.

MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS ARE DUE

Single Membership \$30 and

Family Membership \$40.

Unfinancial members are unable to vote at the AGM

President	Malcolm Taylor 0428 991 424
Secretary	Charles Andre 8574 0105
Treasurer	Jeff Parker 0429 691 316
Newsletter Editor	Helen Harris Owen Harris 0428 826 224 ochjh@scrolling.com.au

AGM Positions to be filled

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Assistant Secretary
- Treasurer
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- Librarian
- Kitchen/BBQ supplies coordinator
2 people if necessary
- Mill coordinator/maintenance
- Scrollsaw coordinator
- Toymaker/3rd Saturday Coordinator
- Newsletter
- Publicity Officer
- Club Welcome person / Greeter
- Safety/machinery maintenance
- Bunnings Coordinator
- Demo Coordinator

Club Calendar

August 29 Bunnings Fathers Day 6-8pm

NEXT MEETING

September 7 Woodturning and Meeting

Graham Nancarrow will demonstrate
the bowl saver

September 14 South Oz Scrollers visiting

October 5 **Annual General Meeting**

Gadget and jig day

October 19 Scroll saw day—project TBA

November 2 Woodturning and Meeting

November 17 Scrolling

Interstate Events

Phillip Island Down Under Turnaround 13th-15th Sept.

Cooroora Woodcraft Show 20th - 21st Sep Cooroy Memorial Hall, Maple St Cooroy. 0419611565

Golden Gouge Woodcraft Competition, Toowoomba. Woodcrafters Clubhouse, Toowoomba Showgrounds

Kerry Smith 0418 196 712

Ballarat Woodworkers Guild Show 21-22 September Wendouree Sports & Events Centre, Norman Street Wendouree

Dorrigo Woodcrafter's Annual Sale & Show 4-7 October CWA Hall Cudgery Street, Dorrigo

Hawkesbury NSW, LOST TRADES FAIR –Sat Oct 5th – Sun 6th . www.losttrades.info

Goulburn Valley Woodworkers Annual Woodshow – Shepparton 26-27 October McIntosh Pavilion, Showgrounds.

Timber, Tools and Artisan Show (CANBERRA) Nov 1st to Nov 3rd at EPIC, Mitchell ACT

TURNAROUND, PROSERPINE QLD Fri Nov 1st – Sun 3rd Lions Camp Kanga, 2396 Crystalbrook Rd, Crystal Brook.

Eltham and District Woodworkers (VIC) Annual Exhibition 9th - 10th Nov. Eltham Community Centre, Main Rd Eltham

Bundaberg Woodworkers Guild Wood and Craft Expo 16th - 17th Nov at Main Pavilion, Bundaberg Precinct, QLD

Alans' Demonstration



Alan



Jeff, Alan, Graham
and Charles

Show And Tell



Ross and his cannon

Present: 12 members and one visitor (Jake Jacobs)

Apologies: Barry Warneke, Jack Hunt, Helen & Owen Harris

Minutes: The minutes were circulated. Moved Gordon Le Galley seconded John Rowe. The minutes be accepted. Carried

Business Arising:

- 1 Change of name, Charles Andre exhibited our new incorporation certificate.
2. Generator and chainsaw sharpener – Jeff Parker pointed out that we had discussed at our last meeting, and resolved. That we would pay for the generator through our General account, as the generator would be used for other projects other than the Mill, and the purchase of the sharpener would be through the Mill Account. This is now resolved (my apologies)
3. The Hahndorf sale. It was reported that there were six clubs had agreed to join the project so far. Murrayland had agreed to contribute two raffle prizes. Thank you, Graham and Ross. The subscription would be \$100 per club payable 1st Oct.
4. Mill filters – Have been purchased.
5. Don Clothier's band saw – After discussion it was resolved that we do not buy the saw because of potential insurance problems.

Treasurers Report:

Moved Jeff seconded Nigel. That the Treasurers report be accepted, carried.

General Business:

1. Malcolm Taylor reminded members that we had a number of positions to be filled at our AGM on the 5th October. He added that although he appreciated the help he received, he did find he was having those small jobs left to him; he would like to see more members taking on these minor tasks. It is up to all members to get thinking caps so that we can fill all positions. Oct is no far off.
2. Malcolm thanked the scrollers for their work in making the wooden tools and the scribes for their Father's Day inscriptions on the tools.
3. Malcolm also thanked Helen and Owen Harris for their donation of two Forstner bits.
4. Robbo's weekend – after checking who and when members were planning to attend Robbo's demonstrations it was resolved that no extra lathes were required.
5. Malcolm announced that he would be absent, on holidays, for the September meeting leaving Graham In charge!
6. It was pointed out that we needed carrying rails to be welded to the club trailer. Graham volunteered to Do this task.
7. It was suggested that the club donate scroll saw blades to the scroll saw team for projects such as the Bunnings Fathers' Day event. It was resolved that this be done.
8. After discussion it was resolved that the safety officer check out the chainsaw operations.
9. It was announced that both Graham and Nigel had been entered for the Woodgroup first aid training subsidy.

10. Graham volunteered to assist Nigel as safety officer for next year.

11. It was reported that Bunnings had donated a battery for the pyrography pen.

Meeting closed 1.46 pm.

Demonstration:

Alan Coleman gave us a very informative demonstration on how to construct segmented articles. First he showed us how to construct a jig to cut the wooden segments to the correct angle perfectly replicating every other segment within that particular circle. He then demonstrated the procedure with the jig of increasing or decreasing the diameter of the circle, and how to glue and clamping the segments using elastic bands. I think those unfamiliar with segment turning were generally impressed with the simplicity of the procedure. Well done Alan for an inspirational demo.

Show and tell:

Malcolm Taylor started our show and tell. He presented the articles that our scrollers and pyrographers had completed at their last meeting. These articles are for the Bunnings Father's Day demonstration and consisted of wooden cut outs of hammers, spanners, and screw drivers with the pyrographers writing such things as "Dads shed", and "Man Cave" on them! A fantastic effort.

Jake Jacobs, a visitor from Northern Turners, showed us four small turned wooden boxes. They were turned from a variety of wood including Lace wood and Black Heart Sassafras. He had lined two of his boxes with flock, using blue paint as a seal for the base wood.

Charles Andre showed a three-foot diameter "Lazy Susan", explaining the problems he had had with the resin finish. He also had three Sassafras bowls that had turned out far better than he had hoped for.

Graham Nancarrow showed a small tray with a colourful poured resin base the sides and ends were approximately 15ml by 100ml with mitred corners. It was being used as a condiment tray.

Ross Schrapel showed a very novel toy cannon. The design had been copied from a magazine. Ross gave a display of pyrotechnics, for which of course cannons were designed! After loading a "Christmas popper" into the barrel of the cannon with a miniature ramrod he pulled the fuse creating a loud explosion and a cascade of

A few images from Robbo's visit



Alan



Robbo



Jack



Nigel



Robbo & Charles

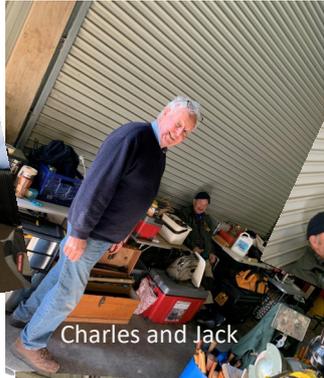


John

Photo gallery from Turn SA



Charles and Graham D
(Woodworking Solutions)



Charles and Jack



Jack, Graham, Sue
and Lorraine



Sue



Lorraine and Graham



cause



Charles



effect



Ready, Aim and Fire



Lorraine

All over red rover
Time to clean up
"Where's the blower?"

I finally got eight hours' sleep.
It took three days, but whatever.

