

Corridor Woodworkers
October 21, 2021. 6:30 pm
14 Members present

Near Misses: In a moment of inattentiveness, Larry Luebbert had a panel kick back after running it through the table saw. He has a riving knife, but it was removed because he was also doing cutting some rabbits on the sides. The panel hit him in the belly before sailing across the shop. He said it hurt a lot, but no serious damage. Remember to keep your focus on the task at hand until the saw stops spinning.

Tips: John Schwartzkopf shared that he really likes the mesh sanding disks from Mirka, but they are really hard on the pad of his random-orbit sander. He recently ordered a pad protector from Mirka that acts like double-sided Velcro to protect the more expensive sanding pad on the sander.

Holiday Party: December 4. RSVP to Vern by November 20.
Deli sliced ham and beef will be catered by HyVee. Bring a dish to share.
President's challenge is a grain-wrapped box. A random participant will win a \$100 prize.

Show and Tell:

Tom St John brought a Machinist Jack that he made. He turned it on his milling machine.
Jeff Lihs brought pictures of a bench that he made from reclaimed pine from an 1860s family farm house.
Tom Nehl brought pictures of some oak cabinets with raised panels that he made for a client.
Norm Russel brought a nice cherry stool that he made from scraps of cherry
Larry Luebbert brought the cherry panel with walnut inlays that tried to do him in. Larry won the \$10 gift card for show and tell participants.

Raffle winners:

\$10 Norm Russell
\$10 Vern Rotert
\$20 Philip Lashmit

Vern Rotert gave a brief talk on dust collection in the shop. Good discussion followed.

Shop Tour: Saturday, October 23, 9-noon. Vern Rotert's. 1005 McGowan, Marion. You can park at the church across the street. Come check out how he has set up his dust collector system.

Next Meeting: November 18 at 6:30 at the Cherry Building