



SUNCOAST WOODCRAFTERS GUILD

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GENERAL MEETING MINUTES
March 28, 2023 at 7:00 PM
Chatelech Secondary School Library
5904 Cowrie Street, Sechelt, BC.**

CALL TO ORDER: George McKee, President, called the meeting to order at 7:01 pm.

GUEST (and new member) INTRODUCTIONS:

- Rick Budd introduced a guest to the meeting who's name is Wayne King he is a recent transplant to the coast and is looking to expand his knowledge of woodworking.
- At this point the floor was opened up to the membership to show and talk about their mallet projects ranging from ones built when they were 12 to just last week, there were a lot of exotic woods used as well as designs and technics from carving, joinery, turning. In total there were 18 members that presented their mallets.



COFFEE BREAK

BUSINESS MEETING:

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: – The Agenda was adopted as circulated.

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES: - With minor changes noted and corrected, it was moved and carried the minutes of the February 21, 2023 General Meeting be accepted.

BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES or any UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

There was none

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES AND OFFICERS:

- a. **Treasurer's Report** – Bob Marando -There was no change during the month of March.
- b. **Membership & Venue Report** – Tom Hourigan
 - To date there are 60 paid up members, still hoping for a few more.
- c. **Education Committee-** Rick Budd
 - Brian Cumming and Rick Budd will co-present in April.
- d. **2X4 Challenge** – Mike Cronk
 - Date is June 20th at Cooper Green Hall.
 - Open to members and one guest. Tickets are \$20/person and available at the meeting, via e-transfer and at the door. If one is buying tickets at the door please advise Mike Cronk in advance to ensure adequate food, beverages, etc.
- e. **Toys & Gifts Program** – Dan Chercover
 - There will be a need to replenish wood supplies for this upcoming year.
 - Also looking to receive feedback on last year's gifts and if we need to change what we are making.

CORRESPONDENCE AND NEW BUSINESS: - Mike was talking about a new feature in SLACK that will list local sources of wood that people have for sale. This would include everything from local backyard sawmills and commercial retail outlets to surplus wood that members have or know about. Members are encouraged to contact Mike as they come across these suppliers or have wood of their own to sell. These will be posted to SLACK so everyone can look them up anytime.

SHOW & TELL/TIPS & TRICKS: - none



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ATTENDANCE PRIZE DRAW - Tom Hourigan

- Dan Horner won a \$25 KMS gift certificate.

NEXT MEETING: Chatelech Secondary School, April 18, 2023 in the Woodshop

ADJOURN BUSINESS MEETING: Meeting adjourned at 9:00 pm

These minutes have been approved:

Chair

Date

Peter Rogers, Secretary – Suncoast Woodcrafters Guild