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BUCKEYE WOODWORKERS

AND TURNERS

July 16, 2005

The regular meeting of BWT was called to order at 9:30 AM on July 16, 2005. Pres. Bruce Lance was welcomed back from his trip to Saudi Arabia. He stated that "it is good to be back". He also said that he had some photos of Riyadh, Saudi Arabia that he wanted to show the members. They expressed some views of the city life in the capital.

The treasurers report was given by Lou Mineweaser and the account of our funds stood at \$1070.84.

New members were welcomed to the club and invited to join. They were instructed to see Lou Mineweaser to fill out membership sheets.

Gary Lansinger and Dave Hout reported to VP Larry McCardel that our meeting place at the old Hartville Kitchen will be terminated after the meeting on Sept. 17. The building will be torn down in December and the lot cleared. The Millers intend to purchase the neighboring lots and then construct a very large hardware store on the corner of Market Street and Rt. 619. The exact dates of this construction project is not known at this time. This will present the club with a problem of having a meeting location until the construction is complete. Larry welcomed any ideas and suggestions from members on where to meet and the also a conclusion of the meeting times. We would need space for about 50 cars as well as storage facilities for our two large Powermatic lathes and 10 Jet lathes as well as other tools, such as our shop vac, video equipment and other sundry items. Dave may be able to come up with a meeting place at the Coventry Community Center, but it is generally rented out on Sat. and Sundays. This would require us to meet at another time. The club would have to discuss this option, since it might mean holding meetings

during the week.

The newly appointed newsletter editor is Dave Floyd. If anyone has tools for sale or other announcements that they would like to have put in the newsletter, they are to contact him at 330-821-9919.

The Ice Cream Social for 2005 will be held at the home of Tom Nero, which is located in Brecksville. The date for the great social event will be August 21 at around 2 pm. All members need to bring is their favorite ice cream spoon in order to enjoy all the fun and games.

The club has applied for a grant from the AAW for a sum of nearly \$1000 to purchase chucks for the new lathes. It is hoped that this grant will be met with approval from the AAW.

Hartville Hardware has again made a donation of tools and other sundry items for our monthly club raffle. Tickets will be \$2 again this month.

Hoby Horn reported on the club demonstration at the Juvenile Center for Portage County. He said that the demonstration will be held on Sept 12, which is a Monday. Any members can pick up a lathe from the club's Jets lathes and take to the demonstration, if they don't have one.

Ralph Kubal reported on the Craft Show that will be held by the club. He asked members to sign up to work and also bring their wood turned items to show and / or sell. Members are also asked to tell the number of tables that they will need for their items. Ralph also indicated that for the size of our group, we need more than the 16 people that signed up. Hoby reported that items priced in the \$15 or \$20 range to sell in this area. Items for \$85 would not be a good marketing item.

VP Larry McCardel indicated that our members are to begin turning some Christmas ornaments for the Akron Childrens Hospital Tree Festival. Gary Neihaus is the committee chairman to oversee this project. In connection with this project, the club is sponsoring an all day turning session to make some ornaments. Marty Chapman is in charge of this turning experience. He stated that we should be available for the whole day to make as many ornaments as we can. It was tentatively agreed that we could use the Sept meeting day as a turning session for the ornaments. If the building

is open, others could turn some ornaments during the Craft Fair also. That will have to be determined.

Marty also reported that we need to find a date to sponsor a Learn and Turn session for our new members. This session is intended to instruct the new members on proper techniques of using the lathe and tool usage.

Ted Christ announced that Jeff Bouchet who lives on rt. 306, just west of Rt. 44 has walnut available to sell. This wood is 1 1/4 inches to 2 inches thick. All boards are 8 feet in length. A club member should offer a fair price for the entire lot. Jeff can be reached at 330-296-4650.

Club members were asked by Ray Maar, if they liked the current Juan Valdez coffe blend. He reported that the coffee was brought back by individuals who had recently traveled to Honduras.

Due to technical difficulties beyond our control, this has been an abbreviated version of the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
Jerry Schaible, Sec.