

CONEJO VALLEY WOODWORKERS ASSOCIATION
NEWSLETTER

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June gloom is keeping our sun away!

President's Message

I hope everyone is healthy and happy. As we begin the month of June, halfway through 2024, we are going strong. As your President, I focus on enhancing our club to another level. As you may or may not know, coming up with new ideas and demonstrations is challenging. I encourage everyone to search for new methods and examples of doing what we have always done woodworking!! If you want to bring in your latest project or one from the past, please let me know so I can get you on the calendar. As always, I look forward to the coming months of projects and celebrations.

Stacy Gerlich

What's New for our members:

John Witt has been working on a Hobby Horse for some family members. He will be using Maple, Walnut, and Sapele wood. He will not be painting them like you see in the photo. Nice work John. Thank you for sharing.



Stacy Gerlich taught a First Aid Class to the employees of the Woodworker's Retreat. Instead of payment, I decided to barter. I purchased the RedWood from a lumber yard in the valley. This is the finished project:



Upcoming Events:

June's challenge is to make something out of scrap wood. Please bring your masterpieces to our next **general meeting on June 6, 2024.**

Stacy will demonstrate how she carves a little 2" man out of basswood.

Request for Wood Finisher

We had a woman reach out to the club looking for a member interested in finishing her front door. I requested a photo but am still waiting to receive one to put in our newsletter. I will be asking the membership again at our General Meeting on June 6.

Mike Kirk will be presenting his lathe skills at our meeting in June. As you may remember, Mike was scheduled to present last month but he fell ill. He is back and feeling better. We are all looking forward to his presentation.

RAFFLE ITEMS for JUNE 6 meeting:

<https://www.rockler.com/rockler-clamp-it-clips-4-packs>, 1 each of the ½ and ¾ inch (58225 & 58849)

<https://www.rockler.com/rockler-corner-key-doweling-jig> (59517)

<https://www.rockler.com/rockler-45-deg-lock-miter-router-bits-1-2-in-shank> (22627)

Looking forward to seeing everyone at our next meeting. Please remember to bring your projects for show and tell.