

CONEJO VALLEY WOODWORKERS ASSOCIATION

NEWSLETTER

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President's Message:

May 7th is our next meeting, hope to see you there!

I hope you all enjoyed our “getting to know each other” program. It is always fun to hear what others in our Club are doing in their shops. What are the most proud of projects and some of the challenges that have been encountered? All in all, a great learning process and information to be stored in the back of our minds for a later day.

Once again, dues are now due. If you have not paid yet, please help our Treasurer, Mark Raudonis, and fill out your form, updating any information that might have changed, so we can keep our records accurate. Dues are \$60, cash or check, payable to CVWA. Remember, it costs money for our room rental, insurance coverage, supplies, and website. Each month, our dues are CVWA's primary source of revenue.

At our next meeting, our own Bill Brandt will be demonstrating turning a handle that can be used for various shop tools, like files, chisels, and the like. It is a fun project, a fast project, and a very useful project, not to mention a safety item. Unless you like working with the red stuff, as the tang of your file finds its way into the palm of your hand. Not a good option! And, just think, every time you pick up the tool to use it, you will say to yourself, boy, I like this handle. As a follow-on to the demonstration, Bill has offered to host a Shop Tour, including having a lathe at the ready for you to give it a try.

We look forward to seeing you at the next meeting. Bring a woodworking friend and share the fun.

Brad

We had someone contact our club about inherited furniture, and they would like to go to a good home. Some of it needs work, and the donor thought a woodworking shop might be a place to find someone interested in a project.

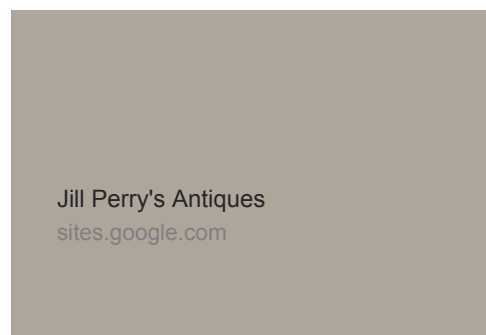
Photos of the furniture can be found at the site below. If you are interested in these items, please reach out to Jill. Her number is below.

<https://sites.google.com/teshima.net/jill-perrys-antiques2/home>

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Bill Brandt has been gracious enough to pick up some donated equipment from a past member. The photos below represent the items he will be bringing to our May meeting. If you are interested, please make arrangements with Bill before the meeting, as he will be bringing the items on a trailer. You can reach Bill at: 805-558-3864.









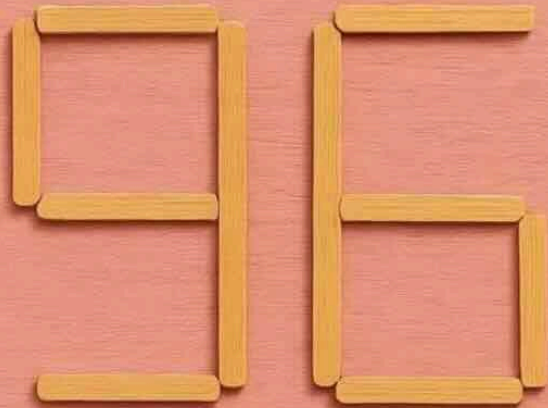








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See you at the next meeting on May 7, 2026. Newbury Park High School *456 N Reino Rd, Newbury Park, CA 91320.*

Don't forget to send your photos to stacygerlich@gmail.com so they can be included in the newsletters.



