

# EASTERN MICHIGAN WOODWORKERS

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**THIS NEWSLETTER CONTAINS ALL THE INFORMATION FOR THE MAY 13<sup>TH</sup> MEETING, THE JUNE 7<sup>TH</sup> PICNIC AND ALL UPCOMING CLASSES. SAVE THE NEWSLETTER FOR REFERENCE. IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS, YOU CAN CALL SOOKIE(810-656-7068).**

The **MAY 13<sup>th</sup> meeting** will be held at the Davison Woodshop. The meeting will begin at **7:00 PM**. The Woodshop is located in the building adjacent to the Davison High School (1250 N. Oak Rd) directly behind the school bus parking lot. If you need further directions please call any officer listed or Pam Knoodle at Davison Schools (810-591-3531 ext. 212).

**AT The MAY 13<sup>th</sup> meeting** David McGregor will be demonstrating and discussing **Table saw tune up** and Dennis Ackerman will do the **Bandsaw tune up**.

The **APRIL 8<sup>th</sup> meeting** had REPRESENTATIVE (Mark Cartier) from NORTON SANDPAPER. He talked about his product and Ron Yakes from Ross Automotive in Lapeer was there to assist. Thank You Mark & Ron for answering questions and providing handouts along with some samples.

**Also at the April meeting**, Arnold Wagner Discussed edge gluing boards. It is not always as easy as it looks. There are some things you must know and do to be successful. After Don Ackerman's demonstration using the new sample of Gorilla Glue, you can be sure that edge gluing boards should be successful if you **follow Arnold's advice** and use the new improved white Gorilla glue. **Thank You Arnold.**

**ON BEHALF OF THE GORILLA GLUE Asst. Marketing Manager, Radhika Pillai; a special Thank You to Eastern Michigan Woodworkers for taking time to use the samples and for providing feedback. Special Thanks to Don Ackerman and Ben Sawielski for their rigorous testing of the White Gorilla glue.**

## **PLEASE TAKE NOTE:**

Our meetings are well attended. It is crowded but unless someone can come up with a bigger area that offers the criteria that the Davison Woodshop provides, we will continue as we are. **We must be considerate of the speakers and not talk among ourselves during the meeting or a presentation.** There is always plenty of time for discussion before and after the meeting. We will speak to **Pam about having extra chairs available.**

**Remember** the Thursday night gathering at the Kearsley pole barn. Don Ackerman can answer questions and help you with any problems. Don is usually there by 6:30 PM. The club has many seasoned woodworkers who will gladly provide help. So don't hesitate if you need some individual assistance.

**THE SIGN UP SHEETS FOR UPCOMING CLASSES WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE MAY MEETING IF YOU WISH TO ENROLL IN A CLASS. SOOKIE HAS THE ENROLLMENT SHEETS.**

- **WINDSOR/STICKBACK CHAIR:** WILL BEGIN ON **MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2008 & CONTINUE EVERY MONDAY UNTIL YOUR CHAIR IS COMPLETE. CLASS WILL BE FROM 6 PM UNTIL 9 PM** EACH MONDAY. CLASS WILL BE HELD AT **GENE'S SHOP**. THERE ARE STILL OPENINGS.(Ernest Baumgard, Martin Nichols, Ken Herriman)
- **RAISED PANELS:** WILL BE HELD SOMETIME IN **OCTOBER**. - There are still openings. (Dan Bare, Steve Molner, Dennis Alpin, Ralph Dunton).
- **PEN MAKING:** WILL BE HELD SOMETIME IN **OCTOBER**. There are still openings. (Curtis Moore, Ann Whitman, Barb Lussier, Steve Molner, Sookie)
- **WOOD CARVING:** **SATURDAY, MAY 17<sup>TH</sup> Beginning at 9 AM. ASK GENE IF YOU NEED TO BRING A LUNCH.** (John Schwab, Ann Whitman, Marc Peterson, Bob Wheelock, Larry Sills, Jim Clark). **There are still openings.**
- **BAR STOOL: NO DATE HAS BEEN SET.** (Arnold Wagner, Ross Trnka) THERE ARE STILL OPENINGS.
- **HANDCUT DOVETAILS:** **SATURDAY, MAY 17<sup>TH</sup> 9AM - 4PM CLASS IS FULL. BRING A SACK LUNCH.** (DAN BARE, BEN SAWIELSKI, RALPH DUNTON, FRAN HARRIS, ROSS TRNKA, BARB LUSSIER, MAX SHOCK, ARNOLD WAGNER, CURTIS MOORE, DENNIS ALPIN).
- **ELECTROLYSIS/ RUST REMOVAL:** **SATURDAY, SEPT. 13<sup>TH</sup> 9AM- TILL DONE. Bring a sack lunch.** (Arnold Wagner, Craig Holovach, Steve Molner, Marc Peterson) There are still openings.

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- **CANNING-PART TWO: THURSDAYS, MAY 8, 15, 22 - 6-9 PM** (Larry Sills, Arnold Wagner, Fran Harris, Ross Trnka).
- **BOX JOINT JIG FOR TABLE SAW: THURSDAYS, SEPTEMBER 18, AND SEPTEMBER 25, 2008 6 PM UNTIL 9 PM** (Max Shock, Curt Moore, Jim Bailey, Jack Edwards, Sookie, Ben Sawielski, Steve Molner, Ross Trnka).

**END TABLE: MAY 1<sup>ST</sup> - 6-9 PM - CLASS IS FULL**

(RALPH DUNTON, MARC PETERSON, ANN WHITMAN, BILL GUITH, BEN SAWIELSKI, FRAN HARRIS).

## ITEMS OF INTEREST:

**Gary McDaniel has some ¼ inch hardboard/masonite that he will bring to the May meeting. If interested, the cost is 5 pieces for \$1.00. Sookie wants \$2.00's worth.**

**Thank you to John Schwab for getting the Norton Representative to come to the April meeting.**

EMW WOULD LIKE TO THANK MR. RENNER and DAVISON SCHOOLS FOR ALLOWING EMW TO USE THE WOODSHOP.

**PICNIC JUNE 7----PICNIC JUNE 7----PICNIC JUNE 7----PICNIC JUNE 7----PICNIC JUNE 7**

**Gene Munsell can weld bandsaw blades. Cost is \$2.00**

## EMW OFFICERS

President	Gene Munsell	<b>686.2182</b>
V-President	Larry Woughter	<b>736.8573</b>
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**Remember EMW library has many Books, Plans, Magazines, VHS tapes call or see Marc.**

**Eric Johnson is the OWNER AND OPERATOR OF **DEMOTT TOOL AND SAW SHARPENING AND REPAIR LOCATED AT 1919 N. LAPEER RD., LAPEER 48446. PHONE 810-667-2005.** (In the back of Lapeer Awning and Window).**

Emw members will receive a **10% discount** on tools sharpened: Eric has a roster of paid members.

Drop off places for Demott Tool and Saw----**Larsen's Ace Hardware, Davison**

**Brown's Hardware, Goodrich, Grove's Hardware, Ortonville, Tompkins Hardware, Flint, Gil Roy's** in Davison, Durand, Flint, **Mortimer Hardware, Imlay City and Sandusky.**

If you have something you want sharpened, you may also bring it to the May meeting and Sookie will deliver to Eric. Be sure to label the item with your name and phone number. If you are not in a hurry Sookie will return your item at the June Picnic or you may call Eric and pick it up sooner.

**Lapeer has a new tool place called "USE IT AGAIN TOOLS" \*BUY AND SELL TOOLS. It is located on Davison Rd/1779 W. Genesee St. Lapeer. Genesee is another name for Davison road when you reach Lapeer. He is just past BIG LOTS in the small shopping area on south side of road before you get to M-24. He has a lot of new and used tools. Phone 810-664-4755. Web site [useitagaintools@sbcglobal.net](mailto:useitagaintools@sbcglobal.net) Lapeer also has a tool store called Sam and Jakes located on North m-24 on west side of road just before Daley Road.**

**SCHRADER'S UPHOLSTERY (MITCH) 30 YEARS EXPERIENCE**

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**810-395-4938. 14650 BRYCE RD., (EAST MILL), CAPAC, MI 48014**

## WOOD SUPPLIERS:

Ken Taylor—5407 Flushing Rd., Flushing---phone – 810-732-8293. Max Shock-----810-736-5477.

Gene Munsell – 810-686-2182. Bill Guith – 810-736-8937.

E & L Hardwoods 5365 Gary Rd., Chesaning, MI 48616. For directions call 989-845-2457.

Nelson's Wood Products- 4375 Oregon Rd., Lapeer 810-664-6091

Ed Noll - 3931 Herd Rd., Metamora Ph. 810-797-5299.

EMW DUES ARE **\$15.00** AND PAYABLE YEARLY TO EASTERN MICHIGAN WOODWORKERS.

Dues can be paid at any time. Membership dues support the newsletter. **You can also mail dues to Dennis Ackerman at 4470 Branch Rd. Flint, MI 48506.**

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## ATTENDANCE APRIL 08

Gene Munsell, Sookie, Don Ackerman, Ken Herriman, Larry Woughter, Max Shock, Jimmy Graves, Ray Graves, Tim Carnell, Mark Hoard, Marc Peterson, Gary McDaniel, Larry Myers, Ben Sawielski, Jim Carsten, Ralph Dunton, Arnold Wagner, Barb Lussier, Dennis Ackerman, Jack Edwards, Bob Wheelock, John Schwab, Jim Bailey, Vic Forbush, Clark Potzmann, Jim Clark, Ross Trnka, Martin Nichols, Tom Bois, Arvid Tronnes, Dale Wakeman, Tim Burkhardt, Dan Bedford, Ed Noll, Dude Stark, Larry Sills, Ed Huyck, August & Lina Nuyens, Gene Munsell, David McGregor, Bill Goodfellow, Mark Cartier, Ron Yakes.

**HELPFUL HINT from April meeting: Use a heat gun (hair dryer) to remove adhesive back sanding paper from you sanding disk.**

## **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

In July, Davison holds a celebration called City of Flags. We have been asked by a representative for vendors(Fran Harris) if anyone in the club would be interested in making quilt racks to sell during the 2 day event(July 25 and 26). Fran is asking on behalf of the Evening Star Quilters. There will be quilters from all over the state gathering at the Baptist Church in Davison. (Could be as many as 1500) This is the first time they are offering space for quilt racks to be sold. Sookie has talked with Fran and has paid the rent (75 dollars) for the space and is looking for EMW members to make some quilt racks. All Quilt Racks must be completed and delivered to the First Baptist Church, 208 Fourth St., Davison, Mi 48423 between 12 Noon and 5PM on Thursday, July 24, 2008. You must have your name, phone number and price on your rack/s.

Show times are Friday, July 25 from 9:30 AM – 6 PM and Saturday, July 26 from 9:30 AM - 3 PM.

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## **More information on the Quilt Rack project.**

The quilt racks can be wall hanging, floor model, leaning ladder, memory box, or even a clip hanging kind. If you have questions or are interested please call Sookie (810-656-7068).

They can be painted, stained or unfinished.

## **ANNOUNCEMENT:**

IF YOU HAVE SIGNED UP FOR A CLASS BE SURE AND PAY YOUR DUES. Being able to take a class for free is a benefit of membership. Also taking advantage of the Thursday night group is a benefit of membership. EMW meetings are open to anyone and you will receive 3 complimentary newsletters. The newsletter is also a benefit of membership. Dues cover the cost of postage, supplies and copies.

**PICNIC JUNE 7, 12 NOON- LIGON OUTDOOR CENTER, 5213 E. FARRAND RD., CLIO.** The picnic is held indoors at the conference center. Plenty of room-**NO BUGS.** Family and friends are welcome. Come, sit, eat, and enjoy one another. Come **before noon** to help set up tables and remember **YOUR DISH TO PASS AND A SERVING SPOON. YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUR OWN PLACE SETTINGS.** IF YOU DON'T LIKE COFFEE OR PUNCH THEN BRING YOUR OWN SOFT DRINK.

**DIRECTIONS: North on Genesee Rd (watch for signs). Cross over M-57 and watch for Farrand RD. Go East on Farrand Rd. Ligon Conference center will be about ½ mile down on Farrand Rd on the North side. You will see the Conference Center as soon as you drive in. Gary McDaniel makes all the arrangements for EMW to have their picnic at Ligon. THANK YOU GARY.** If you get lost, you can call sookie on her cell phone-810-656-7068. Feel free to bring anything you want to show, sell or have a question about.

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## Sources - by Augie

Sorry about last month, sometimes the best of plans just do not come together. I went to Florida, Need I say more.

This is list of places where you may be able to get what you're looking for. This is by no means a complete list and you may have your favorites or know of a better place. I have tried to include a phone number and the web site.

### List of Suppliers:

**Woodworkers Supply** order line 800 645-9292, [www.woodworker.com](http://www.woodworker.com)

Have many tools and hardware and a large catalog. I have purchased from them.  
Eastern Location phone 336 578-3001

**Highland Woodworking** 800 241-6748, [www.highlandwoodworking.com](http://www.highlandwoodworking.com)

I have not received a catalog from them for several years.

**Hollywood Equipment** used tools, 248 634-6234, cell 248 342-4824, 12630 Milford Rd. Holly MI

Located just south of Holly Michigan on Milford road. They have used tools and parts for tools. I have bought parts and small items. (Call first to make sure they are open. DB)

**LeeValley & Veritas**, [www.leevalley.com](http://www.leevalley.com)

The ultimate in woodworking supply and special tools. If nothing more, get one of their catalogs just to see the tools and the cover of the catalog. The stores are located in Canada, but now sell some products through stores in the US. I have bought some of their items. The closest store is in London Ontario

**Rockler Woodworking and Hardware**, 800 279-4441, [www.rockler.com](http://www.rockler.com)

Royal Oak, 29918 Woodward Ave., 248 543-5110

Also in Grand Rapids, Charlotte, Gladwin, Hemlock, Brighton and Ann Arbor

**Tool Hause**, This store was in the Flint area for several years, but moved to Gladwin. I do not know anything about them since the move. They sold quality tools.

**Woodcraft**, [www.woodcraft.com](http://www.woodcraft.com)

Sterling Hts, 39245 Van Dyke, 586 268-1919

Saginaw, 2268 Tittabawassee, 989 249-6662

I recommend going on the internet. There is all kinds of information, plans, and special deals. Buy some of that stuff so I don't have to.

Site that lists numerous suppliers [www.hammerzone.com](http://www.hammerzone.com).

### Supplies for wood pens, etc.

**Penn State Industries**, [www.pennstateind.com](http://www.pennstateind.com), 800 656-4767

Has all kinds of pen supplies and small turning tools and lathes

**Woodturninz**, [www.woodturningz.com](http://www.woodturningz.com), 888 736-5487. Very good prices on pen supplies and small turning

supplies. They use the Penn State catalog above and are always lower in price. If you mention my name you should get a discount on your first order.

**Meisel Hardware**, [www.meiselwoodhobby.com](http://www.meiselwoodhobby.com), 800 4419870

Woodworking projects and hardware, clock plans and movements, unpainted wood projects for the hobbyist.

**Klockit**, [www.klockit.com](http://www.klockit.com), 800 556-2548

If you do not use a computer you can ask your son, daughter, grandson, granddaughter to help you, or you can go to your local library. While at the library you can check any woodworking magazines available. There are usually a couple. Look at the advertisements and you can find information on places for tools and supplies.

Another source is auctions. There is an auction house that has an on-line auction every Thursday. The main office is in Grand Rapids but there is a branch office now in Goodrich. I have seen several Delta cabinet makers table saws lately. Some have gone for 1/3 new price. I have spent money at their auctions.

When you are looking for a particular item, ask around. You never know who may know where one is that you are looking for. I could tell you a story about finding parts for an outboard motor that my brother brought back to me in gags.