

Atlantic Woodworker's Association AWA Newsletter



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Twas a month and a bit til
Christmas and all through the shop
the AWA members were busy
building toys for the tot's.
The wood chips were flying, the
sawdust was deep but the AWA
workers kept working
until knee deep..
.....(email me the next verse)

2012 Christmas Toy's and Social
December 11

6:30PM

At Lee Valley

Spouses or guests are welcome
Please bring snacks for the social
Toys in support of the
Salvation Army

Submission 1: By Glenn McCarron

DECEMBER MEETING AT LEE VALLEY

Our December is our Christmas social at Lee Valley in Bayers Lake. This is when you bring the toys you have made and some nibbles. Note the change in time **6:30 pm on the 11th of Dec.** You are encouraged to bring your spouse, significant other or a friend. A member of Lee Valley will give a short demo as part of the evenings event. For those who have not been able to make a toy/toys the hat will be passed for an offering.

PS: This is a great time to wish each other the greetings of the **Season.**

When emailing Glenn McCarron please note that he wishes to use awa.webmaster@atlanticwoodworkers.ca as his email address when dealing with AWA.

PS: Don't forget to send him your version of the second verse for the poem at the beginning of the newsletter,



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From the cyber world.

Can you imagine 52,829 woodworkers showing 73,175 projects, making 1,873,328 comments, writing 30,962 Blogs, 2,929 reviews and has 42,165 posts to their forum.

Well it's a website called Lumberjocks and can be found here; <http://lumberjocks.com>

No matter what you are making or planning I'm sure you will find an example of it in the Project menu. It's an amazing site for lots of inspiration and a worldwide source of knowledge. There is a forum to ask questions, to provide answers or just to simply say "great work". There are video's to watch and they even offer free classes online. They have challenges and a emagazine as well. They also give away books once in a while.

And if that is not enough scroll down to the bottom of the page to find a Home Refurber area as well as a Gardener area.

Glenn McCarron

Gene's Burls

We are moving---our first meeting in the New Year will be at the Salvation Army Hall, 171 Pleasant Street, Dartmouth.

January 8th---7 PM.

Parking is available on the side parking lot or at the front door.



Wanted: I'm interested in purchasing an 8 inch used jointer. (Preferably a Delta or other quality brand name) 857 1360.

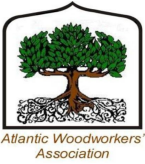
Thanks, Marlene Jollymore

Workshop Planner

Fellow member David Smith has sent this link to share with all members. It's a great way to help design and customize your workshop and to view the footprint that your gear will take.

[Workshop Planner \(click here\)](#)

Submitted by: David Smith



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AWA Membership Dues

Membership dues are being taken at our meetings or you may send them to Ken Miller,

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Our first meeting in January 2013 could be considered a new beginine. We will be starting in our new home/location with the Salvation Army Hall, also a show and tell of all the new tools or toys you got for Christmas from your list.



Sorry boys, but technology has reduced my demand for manual labor.

Trivia

QUESTION 1: Which of the following building materials is renewable?

a) cement b) steel c) brick d) wood

QUESTION 2: Name two trees with animals in their names.

QUESTION 3: How do growing trees help combat global warming?

Answers;

1. Wood is the only raw building material that is increasing its reserves annually!
2. Dogwood or Bull pine
3. Growing trees take in carbon dioxide, a greenhouse gas!