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Wabash Valley Woodworkers Club, Inc.

WVWW Website: www.wvww.net

Club meetings are held the third Saturday of the month, September through May. Visitors are welcome. Unless otherwise noted, meetings are held at the Lafayette Christian School, 525 North 26th St., Lafayette IN. 47904.

Note: Entry is from the Brown Street entrance,

Upcoming Events and Meetings

August 6	Steering Committee Meeting	Ask SC member for time and location
August 10	Mosey Down Main, 6:00 - 9:30	Main St., Lafayette
August 18	Summer picnic 4:00	3801 S. River Rd., West Lafayette, Ind.
September 10	Steering Committee Meeting	Ask SC member for time and location
September 21	Membership meeting - 9:00 - 12:00	Von Tobel Lumber, 319 Earl Ave., Lafayette
October 5 & 6	Feast of The Hunters' Moon	Fort Ouiatenon
October 8	Steering Committee Meeting	Ask SC member for time and location
October 19	Membership meeting 9:00 - 12:00	Lafayette Christian School - TBD
November 16	Membership meeting 9:00 - 12:00	Lafayette Christian School - Will Lerums
December 14	Membership meeting - 9:00 - 12:00	Lafayette Christian School - Youth build

Annual Picnic

Location: 3801 South River Road - near Fort Ouiatenon

When: August 18 at 4:00 - 7:30

Mark your calendars now. The WVWW annual picnic will be held on August 18 at 4:00 - 7:30 with eating at approximately 6:00. Rick Miller will again host the picnic at his home. Friends and family members are welcome. Please bring your favorite covered dish or dessert. The club will provide hamburgers, brats, buns, condiments, plates, utensils, napkins, tea and water. Bring your own beverage if you prefer something other than tea or water.

We will have a show and tell session so bring something to brag about. **Also, bring lawn or folding chairs as seating is limited.**

Mosey Down Main Street

WVWW will once again be staffing a booth at the Lafayette Mosey Down Main event. The event starts at 6:00 on August 10. Stop by and visit or even better volunteer for a shift. If you are willing to volunteer some time contact Bruce Borrer at 765-430-9760 or bborrer19@gmail.com

Steering Committee changes

At the May membership meeting Sean Sasser and Nelson Howell were voted onto the Steering Committee. Randy Milliken and Joe Newlin are leaving the committee and we thank them for their service. David Dunlap was voted in as President and Nelson Howell as Vice President.

Shout Out and Thanks

Thanks go out to a couple volunteers. Will Ellis has taken over managing the membership database. Peggy Dunlap will be managing the coffee service at our membership meetings. And Juliana Alaniz has jump-started a rebuild of our website and will be assisting in maintaining the web site.

September Membership Meeting Location Heads Up

Our September membership meeting will be hosted by Von Tobel Lumber (319 Earl Ave., Lafayette). Von Tobel will be hosting the meeting and providing meeting content. Details will be supplied in the next newsletter.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE – AUGUST 2024

Greetings to all. Ready or not, we are heading into a new and exciting year for our WVWW club. Our first regular monthly meeting will be on September 21. The details of that meeting will be provided soon. Prior to that meeting we have two other activities and I hope that many of you will join us for both.

The first event is Mosey Down Main Street and will be on August 10th starting at 6:00pm. We will be selling member-made items in an attempt to raise money for the club's treasury. We will also be visiting with any folks that may be interested in joining the club. Please stop by and check it out.

The second event is the club's annual picnic at Rick and Pat Miller's house on South River Road. It will be on Sunday, August 18th. This promises to be a fun night of fellowship with lots of good food. Members and spouses are all invited to this gathering. Let's get the new year off to a good start. You will find details in this Newsletter.

I am looking forward to working with all of you to carry out the club's objectives and have a lot of fun along the way. Our priorities for the year are:

1. Provide educational and practical benefits to the membership
2. Engage more members in club activities
3. Build and retain membership numbers

There will be opportunities for all of us to contribute to these initiatives so get ready to jump into several projects that will soon be announced.

Finally, be sure to check out our shiny new website at WVWW.net You will notice many changes and enhancements including the ability to pay your club dues on line. The password to the Members Only section will be sent to you privately.

I am looking forward to meeting all of you over the coming year. Please contact anyone on the Steering Committee if you have ideas or questions about any topic.

Be safe in your shops.

David

Treasurer's Report

Total funds: #3893.12

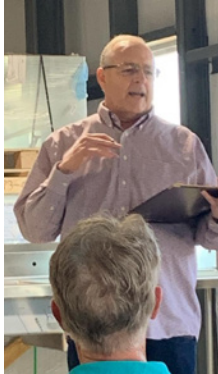
No outstanding bills

May 2024 Membership Meeting

The May 2024 membership meeting was held at the Restoration Sawmill and Nursery in Americus.

We received a tour of their facilities (Sawmill, air drying, kiln, milling, wood shop, firewood....) and had a question and answer session.

We did announcements and held the club Steering Committee elections at the meeting.



WABASH VALLEY WOODWORKING STEERING COMMITTEE

2024-2025

The following are the current WVWW Steering Committee members. If you have suggestions or information, please contact one of the Committee members.

Please note: Steering Committee member contact information can be found in the members only section of the WVWW website (www.wvww.net).

The Steering Committee normally meets the second Tuesday of the month at 6:00 pm. Members are welcome. Contact a Steering Committee member for the meeting location.

David Dunlap	President
Nelson Howell	Vice President
Dave Gretencord	Secretary
Lane Kirby	Treasurer, door prizes, auction
Ed Schools	Newsletter editor, Communications
Brad Stroetz	Past President
Dan Bollock	At large
Bruce Borrer	At large
Sean Sasser	At large

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Wabash Valley Woodworkers' Club Membership Application –
Dues for new members, \$40.00.

Name: _____ Date: _____
Street: _____ Check #: _____
City: _____ Zip Code: _____
Telephone #: (____) _____ Significant Other's Name: _____
E-mail address: _____
Specific areas of interest _____
Specific areas of knowledge _____