

# BY HAND & EYE



THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE SYDNEY WOODTURNERS GUILD INC.

October / November 2020



REPLICA GUILD CANDLE STICK MADE BY ALEX BENDELI

The Guild acknowledges and thanks George Hatfield for allowing the use of his Candlestick as the Guild's Logo.

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## NOVEMBER MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT.



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Hello and Welcome to the October / November edition of the By Hand and Eye.

Well another AGM has been held, though it has to be said that this one was very different to any that have been held before. Firstly it was held as a Zoom type meeting with people telecommuting into the meeting. Also with the exception of David King no Life Members were in attendance. This was very sad, but understandable in the circumstances. However all the necessary business was conducted.

I would like to express my personal thanks to Ian Cocks, Tony Ney, Ken Sullivan and David King for all their work and support over the last year. I would also like to thank the committee members from the various Regions/Clubs for their support. It makes the job much easier when you have willing and dedicated people helping and supporting you. With the usual people re-elected it means that your Guild has had very stable leadership over the last couple of years and this has been a great advantage over the last ten or so months. I think no one would disagree if I said that this has been a most challenging period for the country, and in turn the Guild and Regions/Clubs.

Again my very sincere thanks to everyone, including you, the members. Without you the Regions/Clubs and by extension The Guild, could not and would not exist.

I would like to finish by wishing everyone regardless of religious persuasion all the very best for the coming holidays. I hope that you will be happy and safe, and I hope that you will consider making and entering something into the Royal Easter Show in 2021.

I look forward to seeing you all in 2021.

So, until next time, to quote a previous Guild President "Keep the Lathes turning", and have fun and PLEASE, look after yourselves and each other.

*Philip McLeod*

(PHILIP MCLEOD)  
PRESIDENT

## GUILD CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2019/2020.

Guild meetings take place at the Girl Guide Hall, 157 Waldron Street, Chester Hill. 2162.

The Guild meets on the last Monday of every second month i.e. January, March, May, July, September and November.

Meetings start at 1830, (6:30PM) and finish at 2100, (9PM) at the latest.

All members of the Guild are welcome to attend, but only 1 elected representative can vote at these meetings. This is to ensure that no one region can "out vote" the smaller regions. Everyone has an equal say in how the Guild is run.

The following dates are significant for the Guild:

### **2020**

START MAKING YOUR EASTER SHOW ITEM NOW – IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY STARTED.

November Royal Easter Show Arts and Crafts online and offline entries open for 2021

Monday November 30 GUILD MEETING

Wednesday 4 December RAS offline Entry's close.

### **2021**

Monday January 25 GUILD MEETING.

Thursday 30 January RAS Online Entry's close.

Monday March 29 GUILD MEETING.

Thursday 1 April to Monday 12 April SYDNEY ROYAL EASTER SHOW

Monday May 31 GUILD MEETING.

Date TBA TIMBER, TOOLS and ARTISANS SHOW – Venue TBA

Monday July 26 GUILD MEETING.

Monday September 27 (**AGM and GUILD MEETING**).

Monday November 29 GUILD MEETING.

### **ALMOST THERE – OLD COPYS OF WOODTURNER NEWS/BY HAND and EYE.**

We are almost there. Thanks to Bill Black and The Cubby House. The last 3 missing editions are:

Anything from **September 1983**                      **3/84 (May/June), 6/84 (November/December).**

I only want to scan them and get them digitized so they can go on the Guild web site.

So, please check with friends, under beds, in old boxes and see if you have any of these old copies. It would be appreciated.

THE EDITOR

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## **FROM THE HISTORY FILES**

### **A DAY OF LASTS - 11 NOVEMBER 1918**

It is 1030 11 NOV 2020 as I sit to write this. As an ex-serviceman this day is always a day where I spend some time remembering my old friends and comrades. There is a special bond between us, one that only service people usually get to experience. This day is also the day that I think about my Great Uncle Kenneth McLeod, killed at Ypres in Belgium with no known grave, and of my wife's Great Grandfather William Wahlers Wilson, killed at Fromelles France also with no known grave.

I started thinking about the significance of the day, and the time, and wondered what happened to the soldiers on that day. A small amount of research and it became obvious that for the soldiers it was just another day of noise, fire and death right up to the end.

The instrument of the Armistice was signed at 0530 on 11 November 1918 in a railway carriage in the forest of Compiègne. But would not take effect until 1100. So the war continued.

Therefore, for this article I decided to talk about the "lasts". However some overview first. World War 1 started on 28 July 1914 and ended at 1100 on 11 November 1918. The front line in Europe ran from the coast near Ostend in Belgium to Belfort near the Swiss border. By the end of the war there were 18,357,000 military killed or wounded and another 4,000,000 civilians killed or wounded.

Australia suffered 60,000 killed and 156,000 wounded, gassed or captured.

It is interesting to note that NO soldier is officially listed as Killed in Action on 11 November 1918, though 11,000 were killed on that day and their grave stones indicate the same.

The last Australian killed in the Great War is not known for certain. The Australians were resting in a rear area on 11 November. However Australians were still serving on the front lines. It could have been a Tunneler attached to the 4<sup>th</sup> British Army, or an Australian pilot, one of three flying and shot down over the front lines that day.

The last British soldier killed in action was Private George Edwin Ellison killed by a sniper at 0930 near Mons.

The last French soldier killed was Augustin Trebuchon shot and killed at 1045, (15 minutes before the Armistice came into effect).

The last Canadian killed was George Price killed at 1058, (2 minutes before the end).

The last American killed was Henry Nicholas John Gunter shot while on patrol at 1059, (1 minute before the end of hostilities).

There is no clear last German killed, though many believe it was Lieutenant Tomas who died in a hail of bullets during a final American attack on 11 November.

The last town captured on 11 November was Mons, by the Canadians. Mons was also the first town the Germans captured at the start of the war and were the first British soldier died, (John Henry Parr).

The last Artillery shell was fired by Battery E, 11<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery USA. At 1055 they loaded a 95 pound shell into the breach of their favourite 155mm canon named "Calamity Jane". The officer watched the second hand on his watch as it moved to be exactly on 12. He signaled the crew and they fired the shell. It was exactly 1100 on 11 November 1918. This shot signaled the end of the war.

Of course this was not the end of the dying. Many would die later from physical and mental wounds. They should all be remembered and honored.

**LEST WE FORGET!**

**A SPECIAL REQUEST FROM ONE OF OUR FOUNDERS**

Alex has received a request from George Hatfield. George, (Life member of the Guild, my woodturning TAFE teacher, the designer of the Guild's logo and now retired) that he is looking for a HELIGRIND tool developed and marketed by John Crawford.

This is an early woodturning chisel grinding tool that many turners of our era might remember from shows and as a supplier of the wide 8” grinding wheels, pen kits etc....

George is writing an article using a round cross-section scraping tool and he is looking for the Heligrind tool. If anyone has an old one and is not using it he would like to buy it.

The tool is a precursor of current similar tools such as Gorgi Armen’s Unijig and the NZ Woodcut True-Gring jig and a variety of other makers.

Thanks in advance

Alex Bendeli

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The late John Crawford used to sell the “Heligrind” tool sharpening jig.

It is a jig used to grind the cutting edge of a detail gouges to a lady finger sharp.

If anybody has an old one and is not using it, I would like to buy it.

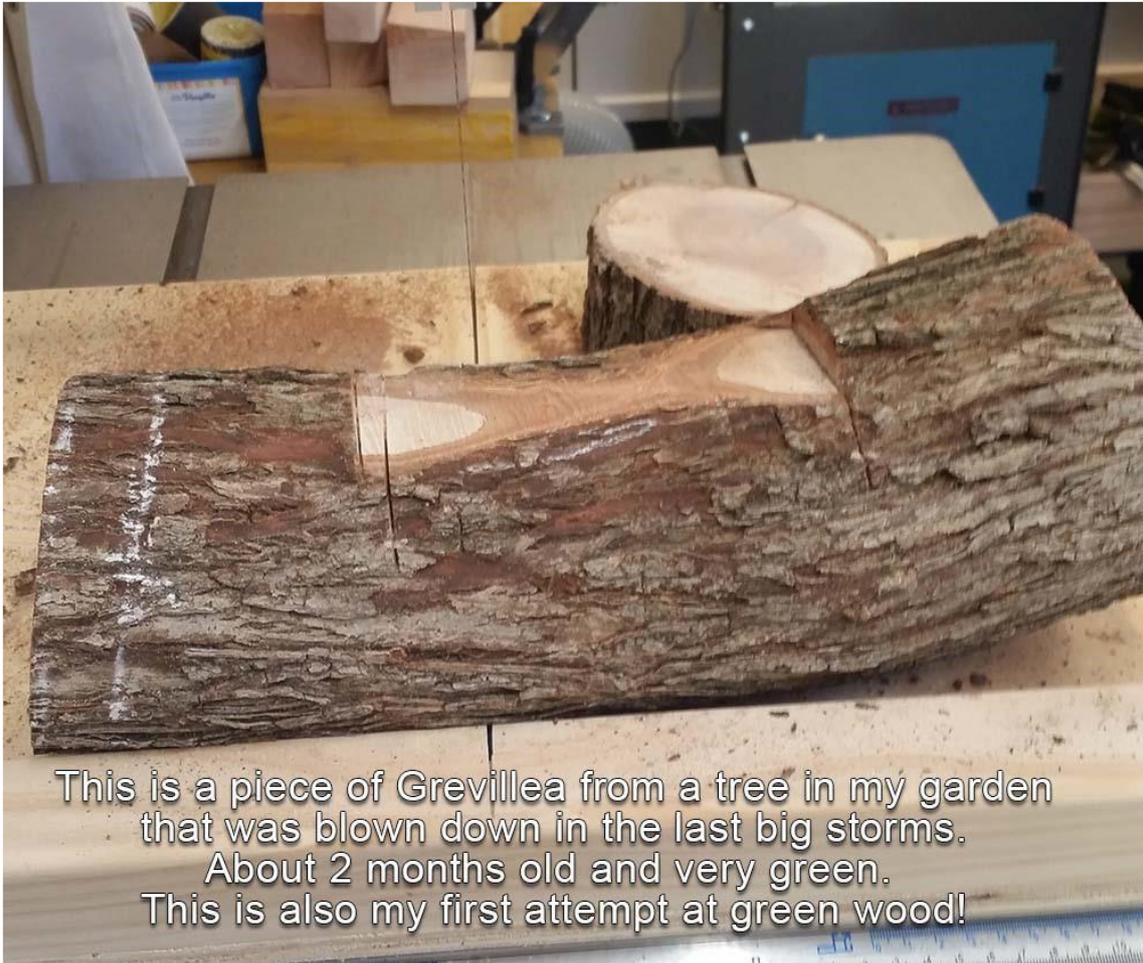
I can be contacted on 0432 829 747

George Hatfield

**IF ANYONE CAN HELP WITH THIS PLEASE CONTACT GEORGE – THE ED.**

FROM PAUL MENAI REGION.

**Paul has shown us the difficulties involved in using green material - he shows us how he finally won - finished the piece (using lots of glue and determination).**



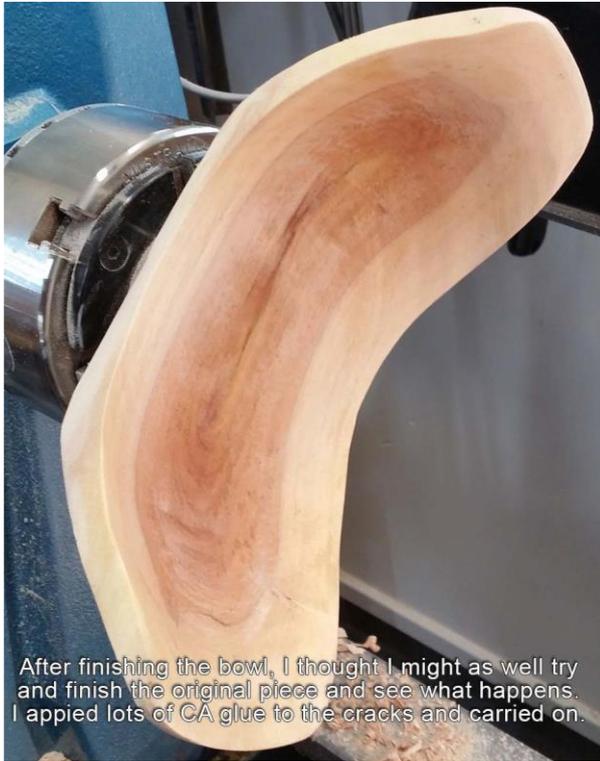
This is a piece of Grevillea from a tree in my garden that was blown down in the last big storms. About 2 months old and very green. This is also my first attempt at green wood!



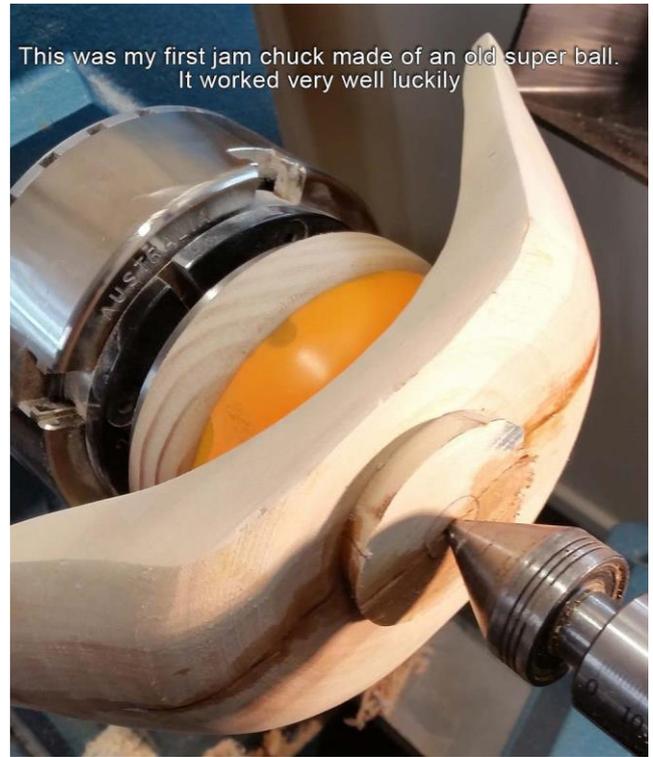
As this is a face plate challenge that is what I used. I think I would have used a wood worm normally.



After creating the tenon, I left it overnight on the lathe. It had no cracks at this point. This is what it looked like the next day. I decided to leave it here and start a new job.



After finishing the bowl, I thought I might as well try and finish the original piece and see what happens. I applied lots of CA glue to the cracks and carried on.



This was my first jam chuck made of an old super ball. It worked very well luckily



Another angle. It must be OK as my wife said she want's to keep it

**Paul has shown us that you never give up.  
Bill Black tells us that you never, ever, let the wood win.  
The Editor – I think everyone would agree it looks great. Thanks Paul.**



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<b>AUSSIE CLEAR</b> EXTERIOR CLEAR OIL FINISH	<b>WOT ROT</b>
<b>GREY DECK CLEANER</b>	<b>NO-ROT</b>



**Covid-19 Update in case you missed it.**

23<sup>rd</sup> September 2020.

The Federal Government has thrown in \$123 million to a worldwide vaccine distribution alliance, in addition to the Oxford-AstraZeneca and University of Queensland deals.

Mr Hunt said the \$123m investment into COVAX is "insurance".

"This provides us access to any of potentially dozens of other vaccines that may be successful," Mr Hunt said.

"That's good for Australia but it also means that people in developing nations will have access as well, and that helps protect the world."

Mr Hunt said involvement in a vaccine alliance was "the right humanitarian thing to do".

COVAX is an alliance led by the World Health Organisation, epidemic response group CEPI and the Vaccine Alliance of Governments and Organisations.

Trials of the Oxford vaccine have been paused twice after two participants developed what researchers admitted was "unexplained neurological symptoms".

In documentation, AstraZeneca has said its goal is a vaccine with 50 per cent effectiveness, the minimum threshold for FDA approval.

16<sup>th</sup> November 2020.

AstraZeneca now estimates it's vaccine will be 90% effective. The Australian Government estimates that it will be available by April 2021.

**With Spring / Summer on the way Please be careful!**

With the weather warming up many of us are spending even more time in our Workshops and the wood pile, and a rare few are also helping in the garden. So it is timely to refresh ourselves on Spider and Snake bites. I am going to confine this to animals that you might encounter in Sydney and its environs.

With the warmer weather all of us including spiders and snakes become more active. With an eye on safety a couple of things should be obvious. Firstly, wear good covered shoes in the workshop or garden. Secondly wear gloves when moving earth or piles of wood and timber. Remember, dark warm places are where spiders and snakes like to take refuge.

Normally these animals would rather get out of your way than confront you. However, if they are cornered, or you come upon them unexpectedly they may attack out of plain fright. You need to know what bit you, (if possible), and what to do about it.

## SPIDERS:



### Red Back AKA Black Widow

Red Back Spiders are fairly easy to identify. Their bite does not cause rapidly developing or life threatening effects, but many cause significant pain and other problems to your body. They are especially common in urbane areas. They build webs in dry sheltered sites such as among rocks, in sheds or around toilets.

Only the female's bite is dangerous. The female has an obvious red stripe on the abdomen. The male is not as obvious.

### First Aid for spider bite:

- Ring 000
- Apply a pressure immobilisation bandage
- Keep the victim from moving around (See snake bite below).
- Keep the bitten limb down
- Bandage the limb from the area of the bite to the hand or foot, then back up to the body
- Immobilise the limb by splinting if possible (See snake bite below).
- Tell the victim to keep calm
- Do not move them at all
- Wait for the Ambulance

### SNAKE BITE:

**Average time to death is 12 hours.** There are five genus (groups) of snakes that will harm us seriously: Browns, Blacks, Adders, Tigers and Taipans. All snake venom is made up of huge proteins (like egg white). When bitten, a snake injects some venom into the meat of your limb, (NOT into your Blood). The venom travels in a fluid transport system in your body called the lymphatic system (not the blood stream). Unlike blood, the lymph fluid does not move continuously. It only moves around with physical muscle movement like bending your arm, bending knees, wriggling fingers and toes etc. Lymph fluid becomes blood after these lymph vessels converge to form one of two large vessels (lymphatic trunks) which are connected to veins at the base of the neck.

When bitten, the venom has been injected into this lymph fluid (which makes up the bulk of the water in your tissues). The only way the venom can get into your blood stream is to be moved from the bite site in



### Sydney Funnel Web

Note the female has much larger fangs than the male. **If bitten by any large black spider it must be managed as a medical emergency.**

Funnel webs are found in the highlands and eastern coastal areas of NSW.

They can survive for hours if they fall into a Swimming pool. If they become trapped in a house they can be quite aggressive.

The Funnel web is the most venomous spider in the world. The colour varies from black to brown. The bite is extremely painful.

the lymphatic vessels to the lymphatic trunks. The only way to do this is to physically move the limb that was bitten.

**Stay still!!** Venom can't move if the victim doesn't move. **Stay still!!**



**Eastern Brown Snake**

Responsible for most deaths in Australia  
Average length is up to 2 meters with slender build  
Very aggressive by nature  
Not found in Tasmania



**Red Belly Black Snake**

Average length is 1.5 to 2 meters  
Typically non aggressive, but can be defensive if provoked  
Body temperature is regulated by shuttling between sunny and shady spots



**Eastern Tiger Snake**

Average length 0.9 to 1.2 meters  
Naturally timid, instinctively retreats  
It eat small mammals, birds and frogs  
Also practices cannibalism



**Death Adder Flattening**

Average length is about 70cm  
Quickest strike of any snake on the planet  
Bears live young, between 3 to 20 in a single litter  
Exceptionally long fangs between 6 to 8.5 mm long

### **First Aid for snake bite:**

- Keep them still and ring 000
- Apply a bandage over the bite site to an area about 10cm above and below the bite
- Then using another elastic roller bandage, apply a firm wrap from Fingers/toes all the way to the armpit/groin. The tension should be about the tension of a sprain bandage.
- Splint the limb so the patient can't walk or bend the limb.

### **Do Nots:**

Do not cut, incise or suck the venom

Do not EVER use a tourniquet

Don't remove the shirt or pants – just bandage over the top

Do not try to catch, kill or identify the snake. **Polyvalent is a one shot antivenin for for all snakes.**  
**Hospitals no longer stock specific Antivenins.**

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## **ROYAL EASTER SHOW ENTRY INFORMATION.**

### **W O O D W O R K**

**THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS APPLY TO ALL WOOD WORK CLASSES;**

Maximum of one entry per Class. Size: Maximum height 120cm. Each Exhibit must not occupy a base area larger than 165cm x 60cm. Exhibit must be able to be handled by one person.

**CLASS 285 - Wood Carving.** All disciplines. One article. Prize 1st \$50 **CLASS 286 - Wood Inlay and/or Marquetry.** Not to be covered by glass or Perspex. One article. Prize 1st \$50.

**CLASS 287 - Platters/Bowls.** Any turned item which can be used as or resembles a platter or bowl. Item must NOT have a cover or lid and turned from one piece of timber, either solid or laminated but not segmented. The item can be embellished in any way, but the Judge must be satisfied that the piece shows 80% turning. Prize 1st \$50 (S287A) - Cash Prize for the first three prize-winning Exhibits in Class 287, supported by Sydney Woodturners Guild Inc. Prizes 1st \$80, 2nd \$50, 3rd \$20

**CLASS 288 - Segmented Woodwork.** i.e made up of numerous pieces of various timbers. These items can be vessels, bowls, platters, or any other wooden pieces, and the final shape shall be achieved by woodturning. Prize 1st \$50 (S288A) - Cash Prize for the first three prize-winning Exhibits in Class 288, supported by Sydney Woodturners Guild Inc. Prizes 1st \$80, 2nd \$50, 3rd \$20

**CLASS 289 - Innovative.** Entries in this Class must be at least 80% turned, and re turnings which by design and/or construction are unique, and do not fit easily into any of the above categories. Prize 1st \$50 (S289A) - Cash Prize for the first three prize-winning Exhibits in Class 289, supported by Sydney Woodturners Guild Inc. Prizes 1st \$80, 2nd \$50, 3rd \$20

**CLASS 290 - Model or Miniature in Wood made from scratch.** One article. Specifications on scale must be stated on the Application for Entry and included on actual piece. The use of kits is not permitted. Prize 1st \$50.

**CLASS 291 - Small Furniture Item.** Predominately in wood. One article. Prize 1st \$50 (S291A) - Cash Prize for the first prize-winning Exhibit in Class 291, supported by Woodworkers Association of NSW. Prize \$150.

**CLASS 292 - Wooden Box Work.** One article. Maximum size not to exceed 450mm x 300mm x 150mm. Prize 1st \$50 (S292A) - Cash Prize for the first prize-winning Exhibit in Class 292, supported by Woodworkers Association of NSW. Prize \$150.

**CLASS 293 - Musical Instrument.** Predominately in wood. One article. Prize 1st \$50.

OFFLINE APPLICATIONS FOR ENTRY: Please see the next pages. Ensure you select the correct class for your item/s.

## SYDNEY ROYAL ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW

SYDNEY ROYAL EASTER SHOW 1 APRIL – 12 APRIL 2021

A DIVISION OF THE ROYAL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NSW (RAS) ABN 69 793 644 351



APPLICATION FOR ENTRY



Royal Agricultural Society of NSW

### OPEN CLASSES 1 - 444

OFFLINE ENTRIES CLOSE WEDNESDAY 2 DECEMBER 2020

#### INSTRUCTIONS

**TAX INVOICE**

**AN ADDITIONAL OFFLINE PROCESSING FEE OF \$25 APPLIES PER EXHIBITOR WHERE ONE OR MORE APPLICATIONS FOR ENTRY ARE SUBMITTED OUTSIDE THE RAS' ONLINE ENTRY FACILITY (E.G. BY POST OR BY HAND). Emailed or faxed Applications for Entry are NOT permitted.**

**POST THIS APPLICATION**, with payment, to: Arts & Crafts Coordinator, Royal Agricultural Society of NSW, Locked Bag 4317, Sydney Olympic Park NSW 2127. Exhibitors are allowed ONE ENTRY PER CLASS unless otherwise specified. A separate Application for Entry must be completed for each Exhibitor.

**RAS GENERAL REGULATIONS** are available at [www.rasnsw.com.au](http://www.rasnsw.com.au) or upon request by telephoning the Arts & Crafts Section on 02 9704 1152.

**EXHIBITOR DETAILS** For any Exhibit on display in the Exhibition, the Exhibitor name will appear in RAS Publications and may be published on website results.

Mr  Mrs  Ms  Miss  Mstr

Exhibitors Full name:

Year Born (e.g. 1981): \_\_\_\_\_ We request this to help us understand the age and gender composition of our Exhibitors and how it's changing over time.

Postal Address:

Town:

State:

Postcode:

Daytime No: ( )

Mobile:

Email:

#### AUTHORISED CONTACT PERSON

If different to above, please indicate below. Must be provided if the Exhibitor is under 18yrs of age.

First name:

Surname:

Nominate the Person authorised to receive payment for sales, prizes or refunds made for this Competition. Provide the name as it appears on the bank account

Name:

#### RAS MEMBERSHIP

Please do not supply the card number.

I am a financial RAS of NSW member for the 2019/2020 financial membership year:

NO  YES

RAS Membership Name: .....

RAS Membership no. \_\_\_\_\_

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**PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT**

Information provided by Exhibitors is primarily used to organise, process and conduct Competitions. This includes relevant information being made available to relevant bodies, to breed societies, to promote the event in the media and to facilitate storage of the information in the RAS Archive. The RAS Privacy Policy is available at [www.rasnsww.com.au](http://www.rasnsww.com.au). Exhibitors have the right of access to and alteration of their personal information, and may lodge a complaint by contacting the RAS Privacy Officer on (02) 9704 1111, or by writing to the RAS, Locked Bag 4317 Sydney Olympic Park NSW 2127.

(Tick below ONLY if applicable).  I agree to receive further information or materials from RAS partners and sponsors.

**TAX DETAILS** If you are an Australian business enterprise please provide your Australian Business Number (ABN) & indicate whether or not you are registered for GST. Check the Schedule for more information.

I, the above-named Exhibitor, apply to enter the Exhibit on this Application for Entry as:

- a hobbyist or a private recreational pursuit and I am not required to quote an ABN for the purposes of this application
- part of a business enterprise and I have an ABN:             Registered for GST?    YES    NO
- an overseas (non-Australian) business that is not entitled to an ABN as I am not carrying on an enterprise in Australia

**CONDITIONS OF ENTRY** The Exhibitor (or parent/guardian where under 18 years of age) MUST SIGN this Application for Entry.

I, (print name) .....

- (i) Agree to be bound by the competition rules found in the RAS General Regulations and the Special Regulations of this competition; (ii) Warrant that the information I have provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge; and (iii) Certify that the Exhibit/s belongs to me, or is under my control with permission of the owner.

**SIGNATURE OF EXHIBITOR:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ROLE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_ (If signing on behalf of a Company, state role held i.e. Director, Secretary).

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The final finish is very similar to multiple coats of lacquer but is softer and much deeper. Including: 3pcs 8" fabric buffing wheels 1pc Tripoli bar, 1pc White diamond bar, 1pc Carnuba wax bar. 1pc MT.2 heavy duty lathe mandrel which holds the buffing wheels. The system requires a lathe with a minimum of 1/2HP. It is recommended that the final piece be pre-treated with Danish Oil.



### GUILD ITEMS FOR SALE.

Please see your Guild Representative for prices if you want any of these items.



Guild Cloth Patch



Guild Baseball Cap



Lapel Badge



## CLUES ACROSS

1. Blackboy shoots are a \_\_\_\_\_
4. I will \_\_\_\_\_ at the next General Meeting
5. What we are when we are doing Woodturning.
7. Drive \_\_\_\_\_
8. Turnable substance
9. Popular turning project
11. Many in our Guild are like this.
13. An inward curve.
16. We must \_\_\_\_\_ the Skew to become woodturners.
17. To turn we must turn the lathe \_\_\_\_\_

## CLUES DOWN

1. Common woodturning tool.
2. This tool gives best finish on spindles
3. Use a Skew for turning this.
5. Ernie likes to turn them (sorry a bit cryptic).
6. A piece of wood direct from the saw
10. A popular brand of scroll chuck
12. You can find a woodturners meeting by the \_\_\_\_\_ they make.
14. Overtime (initials).
15. Botanical name for Jarrah (initials)

## THE WOOD WORKER'S CHOICE!

CNC Machinery	Metal Working	Sheet Metal Fabrication	Wood Working	Workshop & Automotive	Lifting Handling	Cutting Tools	Machine Tool Accessories	Measuring Equipment
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### UB-100 - Workshop Manual Bar Bender

- Flat: 100 x 5mm
- Square: 16 x 16mm
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SLIDING TABLE WITH MITRE GUIDE

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**\$143**  
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### SST-5L Sausage Stuffer

- Food grade stainless steel
- 5 litre capacity
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**\$259**  
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- Food grade stainless steel
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- 310 x 285 x 360mm (LxWxH)
- Clear see through lid
- 3:1 cranking ratio with removable crank handle



Order Code: F340  
**\$352**  
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### MM-12 Electric Meat Mincer

- Food grade stainless steel
- 180kg per hour capacity
- 0.85kW/1.1hp, 240V motor
- Includes cutting blade & 2 x mincing plates - Ø4.5 & Ø8mm holes



Order Code: F330  
**\$579**  
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### MB-210 - Meat & Bone Bench Band Saw

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- 185mm x 240mm capacity
- Table size 440 x 465mm
- Safety blade guard
- 0.75kW/1hp, 240V motor



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**\$1,265**  
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SLIDE OUTTRAY

### SSD-1 - Stainless Steel Drawer - Mounts Under Bench

- 400 x 680 x 150mm (LxWxH)
- Nylon roller bearing slides
- 0.8mm food grade stainless steel
- Suits SSB-20 & SSB-18WS benches



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**\$176**  
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Starrett

### SSB-CNR - Stainless Steel Corner Work Bench

- Food grade stainless steel
- 700 x 700 x 900mm (LxWxH)
- 100mm return splash back
- 78mm sub-frame bench top support
- Reinforce bench top with 15mm MDF



Order Code: F305  
**\$385**  
 SAVE \$44

OTHER TYPES AVAILABLE

### SSB-18WS Stainless Steel Work Bench

- Food grade stainless steel
- 1800 x 700 x 900mm (LxWxH)
- 100mm return splash back
- 78mm sub-frame bench top support
- Reinforce bench top with 15mm MDF



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- Includes canvas carry bag



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## AROUND THE REGIONS

### FROM THE GUILD.

Your Guild has held a Zoom conference on Monday 28 September as a substitute for the normal Guild Meeting and AGM. The people indicated on page 2 of this newsletter were elected/appointed to the positions shown. It was reported by the Treasurer that the Guild currently has \$13,566.90 available to it. The Guild made a profit of \$1312.53 for the last financial year.

Currently we have 2 groups in the process of moving operations. Southern Highlands are moving to Moss Vale Showgrounds and Northern Beaches are moving to the Girl Guide Hall at Forresterville.

It is planned that Guild meetings will return to our normal venue at Chester Hill from 30 November 2020.

By the time you read this Timberbits will have moved to their new premises at 6/8 Wilmette Place. Mona Vale. 2103. Phone 1800 388 833.

FROM THE EDITOR – When taking photographs for inclusion in the BH&E please try to put the item on a white, or light coloured background with as much natural light as possible. This will make it come out better in the newsletter. Thank you.

Please remember:

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### MENAI REGION.

Menai reported that they have had their AGM and the following positions have been filled:

PRESIDENT	Bill Black
VICE PRESIDENT	Tony Ney
SECRETARY	Mark Davis
TREASURER	Arthur Walker
ASSISTANT TREASURER	Graham Stokes
GUILD REP	Tony Ney
AFFILIATED GUILD REPS	Robert Lovisa and Bill Black
PUBLIC OFFICER	Bill Black
FIRST AID OFFICERS	Bob Thompson and Stewart Todd
SAFETY OFFICER	Tony Ney
COMMITTEE	Keith Allen and Phillipa Biswell
TRAINER	Mick Bouchard and Bill Black
PUBLICITY OFFICER	Keith Allen
MEMBERSHIP OFFICER	Paul Ibbotson
CATERING OFFICER	Max Davis
WOODBAG OFFICER	Norm Lewis

They also report that attendance is almost back to normal in the shed.

**Theme for October Creations is “Inside Out Turning”**



BOB LOVISA - Table Decoration with interesting movable centre. Silky Oak with Estapol finish.



GRAEME STOKES Vase with water holding insert. EEE and wax finish.



MICK BOUCHARD Vase with insert for water. Swamp Mahogany Mirror Tone finish.



PAUL IBBOTSON – Artistic table piece and Candle Stick Red Cedar, Oregon with Acrylic Blue filler. Oil/wax polish finish.



ARTHUR WALKER – Office decoration – Merbau with Pine top trim, Oak centre Element. Natural Wax finish.



BOB THOMPSON – Christmas decorations. Black Butt and Spotted Gum. EEE wax finish.



**Theme for August Creations is “Balls”.**



TONY NEY – Laminated Blackwood Balls 120mm



BOB THOMPSON – Yellow Box Balls in turned Burl. Large Ball 90mm.



**NORM LEWIS** – Ball within Ball outer ball Australian Red Cedar, inner ball Huon Pine.



**BILL BLACK** – Pine Ball 70mm. Small White Ball Dimples made with small Ball Pein Hammer – RIGHT.



**BOB LOVISA** – Two Oregon Balls 70mm



**ARTHUR WALKER** – Two Birch Balls 50mm



**PAUL IBBOTSON** – Trio of Balls on revolving stand.



**GRAEME STOKES** – Camphor Laurel Balls. Ball with ring is 80mm, hollow and contains A Rattle.



MICK BOUCHARD – Citronella Lamp  
Mahogany 160mm, Camphor Laurel Ball 110mm



KEITH ALLEN – Odd Ball Time, Beech Balls with  
odd diameters attached to English Oak center piece.

### NORTHERN BEACHES.

Due to Covid-19 Northern Beaches has been closed. Currently they are still locked out of the RSL club facility.

However, there is good news. They have found a new home. They will eventually be moving into the old Forestville Girl Guides Hall. The hall is in Forestville Avenue, beside the Scout Hall, and near the RSL Club.

They report that they have signed a lease with the council. The council has to do about \$200,000 worth of work. Gutters need to be replaced, Disabled Toilet needs to be installed as does a ramp along with other work. They hope to be in by Christmas 2020. They are also hoping for a regular grant from the Forestville RSL Club. They will be doing a demonstration for the RSL Club on 7 October. The Guild wishes them well in their new home.

### BANKSTOWN REGION.

Bankstown has been having normal regular meetings with 8 to 9 members attending each day. Bankstown Council has advised that they are allowed up to 20 people in the hall. The group is doing well. They will have a demonstration from Drive Marine Services. They will be demonstrating the use of Epoxy fillers in Woodturning.

The group has held their AGM and the committee has all been re-elected for the next year.

Show and Tell 7<sup>th</sup> November



Ted Batty – Chinese Tallow bowl with two cent coins in clear resin rim



Ted Batty – China Doll bowl



Ted Batty – Blue Gum bowl



Ted Batty – Cypress bowl



Ted Batty – China Doll bowl



Ted Batty – China Doll bowl



An Mai – Paper Bark lidded box



An Mai – Paper Bark lidded box



Kevin Santwyk – Red Oak bowl



Kevin Santwyk – Flowering Pear root ball bowl



Doug Midgley – Hollow Gum

## MACARTHUR REGION.

Due to Covid-19 MaCarthur has been closed. MaCarthur have resigned an agreement with the school so they can continue to meet in the Woodwork rooms from July 2020. We wish to advise that the school has advised that due to the ongoing Covid-19 crisis the group is unable to meet on the school property for the foreseeable future. It will probably be February 2021 before they are able to meet again. They will be ready to go once restrictions are lifted.

## EASTERN REGION.

### **OCTOBER MEETING**

Eastern has decided to increase membership fees to \$50 per year and to increase the consumables weekly fee to \$5. Eastern has also decided to recommence BBQs at the monthly meetings. This will always depend on the current Covid situation.

### **SHOW and TELL – OCTOBER MEETING**



Antonio Imparato Oak Clock, Huon Pine with Butterfly dish insert, Camphor Laurel Lidded Box, Pacific Mahogany Cheese Platter and Homemade acrylic cast pens.



Brandon Baldini Swamp Mahogany Lidded Box. It still needs a finial. It is for an overseas friend.



Gerry Brady small planter. Base exhibits Spalting and wood worm activity. Gerry said it inspired him.



Stephen Shakeshaft Ply Bowl with pine rim.



Philip McLeod Oak Spatulas and Laminated Western Red Cedar and Pine Lidded Box. All Walnut Oil finish.

**EASTERN ACTIVITIES:-** On 9<sup>th</sup> October Eastern Members helped Kooloora Holiday Care program to build Possum Boxes. The boxes will go to WIRES to help rehouse animals effected by the bushfires earlier this year.

**EASTERN MEETING:-** 1<sup>st</sup> November the group decided to close the shed from Sunday 20 December to Friday 8 January inclusive.



Mario Dato, Antonio Imparato, Charles George and Geoff Cook with some of the Kooloora Kids. Not in the picture is Nicole Arathoon.



Antonio helps one of the kids who is concentrating hard on getting the Screws in just right.



The finished product.

SHOW and TELL – OCTOBER MEETING



Philip McLeod – Western Red Cedar bowl Organ oil finish & Clock with new Scout Logo.



Gerry Brady – Camphor Laurel large bowl Sanding Sealer and Carnauba Wax finish.



Steve Shakeshaft - Laminated Bowl, timber unknown.



Catherine Ritter – Spalted Sassafras bowl.



Antonio Imperato – small Lidded box, timber unknown.



Mario Dato – Raw Jacaranda bowl, small Lidded box & various pens.



Charles George – Wooden Train Engine and various Rolling Pins

## SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS REGION.

Southern Highlands are continuing to get their new premises sorted out. They have to get electrical work done as well as other things. They are trying to get some compensation from Harbison Aged Care to compensate for the work that they did in that shed. They are currently meeting via Zoom except when they are working on their new premises. The Zoom meetings have between 8 and 25 members attending. The address of their new premises is: Moss Vale Showground, 16 Illawarra Highway, Moss Vale NSW. 2577.

Their AGM is due in October and it looks as though the same people will be re-elected unopposed.

Southern say they should be open by Christmas.

## GUILD AFILIATES CALENDER OF EVENTS

### BANKSTOWN REGION

Bankstown Region has their shed open on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month from 0800 to approximately 1430.

They meet at the Girl Guide Hall, 157 Waldron Street, Chester Hill. 2162.

### **Our meeting Dates for 2021 are:**

TBA.

### SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS REGION

Tuesday	Friday	Saturday (By Arrangement)
9 am – 12.30 pm	9 am – 12.30 pm	

Moss Vale Showground, 16 Illawarra Highway, Moss Vale NSW. 2577.

**Monthly meeting 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of month 11.00am -4.30pm**

**Committee** (meets monthly at time as advised)

The AGM was held on 28<sup>th</sup> September. The following positions were filled as indicated.

President: Martin Nadas 4862 2268

Vice Pres: Steve Walker

Secretary: Michael Adamietz 0456 856 080

Treasurer: Gerald di Corpo

### SYDNEY NORTHERN BEACHES WOODTURNERS

**The Sydney Northern Beaches Woodturners are located at the  
Narrabeen RSL Club, 116 Nareen Parade North Narrabeen, 2101.**

**Please Note: they are in the process of moving to the  
Girl Guide Hall, Forrester Avenue, Forrester, 2087. (near the Scout Hall).**

**The Workshop is at the front lower section of the building and is available to members daily.**

**Tuesday, Friday and Saturday sessions are set aside for learning, training, guidance and toy making. Open: 9.00am**

**Meetings and Demonstrations are held on the third Sunday of each Month.**

**Secretary: Barry Brown 0424 525 370**

**MENAI REGION WOODTURNERS DATES 2019.**

<b>Men's Shed at Barden Ridge (100metres down on right from Golf Driving Range ) 5:30PM to 8:30PM</b>	<b>Men's Shed at Barden Ridge (100metres down on right from Golf Driving Range ) 5:30PM to 8:30PM</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month</b>

**EASTERN REGION CALENDAR DATES.**

Shed Openings are at 169 Bilga Crescent, Malabar.

Our Shed is open Saturday from 1000 to 1600, can be extended if necessary.

The group meets on the first Sunday of the month for an administrative meeting, BBQ lunch and "Show and Tell".

**MACARTHUR REGION WOODTURNERS**

The Macarthur Region Woodturners meet on the last Sunday of each month.

From 9:30AM to 2:30PM.

At the Robert Townson High School, Shuttleworth Avenue, (enter off Spitfire Drive), Raby. 2566.

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Antonio Imperato 0408 550 678

Philip McLeod 0418 267 096

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