

Timp Woodturners Association
Meeting Minutes
13 January 2010

The meeting was convened by Kirk DeHeer at 7:00 pm with 40 people attending.

Dale Dallon gave a brief mid-year financial report. The club now has a bank balance of \$3678.21. Dale announced we now have paid-up memberships of 65 members. That was an error. Our actual count is now 72 members.

John Martin was introduced as a new member. Several visitors were also introduced.

Robert Anderson has accepted the assignment to supervise the Wood Exchange feature of our meetings. He will handle ticket sales and the drawings.

Kirk DeHeer presented the concept of the club purchasing a sound system like the one we have been borrowing from Craft Supplies. It would be used for our own demonstrations and also loaned to the Utah Woodturning Symposium each year to be used in the Symposium demonstration areas. Pricing has not been confirmed, but it is expected the system would cost in the neighborhood of \$1000. Phil Taylor made a motion that the club officers be authorized to purchase the proposed system if the cost was less than \$1500. The motion was seconded by Robert Anderson. A vote was taken by show of hands and the motion was carried. Kirk will confer with Dave best about the source and cost of the similar system the Utah Woodturners Association purchased.

Kirk encouraged members to register for the Utah Woodturning Symposium and passed around registration forms. Registrations can also be made online. The Symposium will be held May 6-8, 2010. Beth and Bill Denner are collecting names of club members who may be interested in serving as volunteers at the Symposium. Kirk encouraged members to offer their services by contacting Beth or Bill. A sign-up sheet was circulated.

Kirk provided an informative demonstration and discussion on sharpening techniques and turning tool characteristics. Notes of that presentation will soon be available on the club website.

Stuart Davey conducted the show-and-tell presentations. Robert Anderson conducted the Wood Exchange drawings.

The meeting adjourned at 9:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Dale S. Dallon
Secretary/Treasurer