

MINUTES  
GAW Board of Directors Meeting– January 17, 2008

The meeting was called to order by Danny McCravy at 5:00 PM at George's restaurant. Attending were Jim Hutchinson, Nick Cook, Harry Saunders, Leigh Brookes, Danny & Jane McCravy, Suzie Tindall, Steve & Linda Pritchard, Harvey Meyer, John Rudert & Wes Jones.

The November minutes were approved. The December meeting was the holiday celebration.

-Harvey Meyer advised the program demonstrator for February will be Robin Liles & March will be Frank Johannesen.

-Danny McCravy advised the Woodworking Show will be 1/25/08 – 1/27/08 at the Airport Conference center. Wes Jones will purchase a brochure holder and provide GAW brochures at the show to advertise the club.

-Suzie Tindall gave the treasurer's report advising the checking balance is \$23,991.36 as of 1/14/08. \$14,694.30 of the balance is designated for scholarships. Suzie advised the cutoff newsletter for non paying members is after 3/31/08.

-Danny McCravy congratulated Wes Jones for accepting the position of newsletter editor.  
- Steve Pritchard webmaster will try the PDF file next month on the newsletter to simplify the webmaster's job. Steve requested a list of galleries where turners display their work so he can put on the website.

-Harvey Meyer advised the 2008 demonstrators are Jimmy Clewes, David Ellsworth, & Bonnie Klein. Secondary turners will be extended to Nick Cook, John Lucas, & Gorst duPlessis.

Harvey advised that John Rudert, Lon Fitch, & B.J. Hatcher symposium workers will be given ½ off the registration fee. The board approved. He further advised the registration fees will be same as last year if Unicoi's cost is the same. Harvey will change the registration form to reflect "single and add a spouse" versus family. Harvey priced 4 color brochures for the symposium. 4000 color brochures will run \$.12 each and they will also bulk mail the brochures for a nominal fee.

-Harvey Meyer advised the 2009 demonstrators will be Al Stirt and Alan Lacer, & an invitation will be extended to Bill Grumbine.

-Harry Saunders will revise the scholarship follow up process form to eliminate a demo due to lack of time at the meetings. He will give more room to elaborate on questions and they can also add photos taken during the class. Harry suggested the follow up form be on the website so members can access it online and email to Harry & Steve Pritchard.

-Danny McCravy advised the AAW needs two board member nominations. None were provided. Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully,  
Jane McCravy  
Secretary