

Wood Turners of Polk County

March 9, 2006

Minutes

John Russell called the meeting to order at 7:10 PM.

New visitors were:

George Walker, Brooksville, Pa.

Art Turner, Polk City

Gray Bates reported that Clif was in Bartow Hospital. Motion passed to send flowers.

There was no financial report, but Clif told Gary that the current balance was about \$600

Ted Smith read the February minutes, which were approved.

Old business:

John reported that he contacted the deputy Sheriff about the club teaching youth in a program. The deputy was unable to attend this meeting, but will come to the next meeting.

Al Hockenberry reported on the upcoming Orlando woodworking show and the arrangements for the club attending and manning the both.

New business:

John Rusesell has converted about 15 of the VCR tapes to DVD, and it was agreed that he would continue to convert with the rest of the VCR's as time and resources permitted.

At the next month meeting, Sherry Hockenberry will demo bowl treatment. The meeting place will remain the same for April.

John reported that the FWS awarded the club \$750 for education. Some discussion followed on how best to use this grant. Discussion to continue next month.

Show and Tell:

Bill LeClerc - showed his weed pot and Salt bowl.

Carl Swonger – showed a small cedar bowl with a decorative metal? top, and a new hollowing tool he purchased (McNaughton - Kelton).

Ed Kittleson - showed a 3 sided pepper mill and a very nice vase with ebony base and fenial.

John Russell – showed three small boxes he turned, with fenials on the lids.

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Everyone had exceptional items.

The meeting was adjourned at about 7:50PM followed by a demonstration by George Dinsmore on ebonizing wood. He passed out a sheet on products to use and showed many turnings that he had ebonized.

Approved April 1333, 2006 with the above corrections.

Ted Smith