



NEXT MEETING:

OCTOBER 23, 1991

7:30 P.M.

SCHINDLER CHANCE HARDWOODS

29 WEST MALL

PLAINVIEW, NEW YORK - 756-9292

GUEST SPEAKER:

SAL MARINO OF CONSTANTINES

WE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THAT SAL MARINO, AN EXPERT WOODWORKER AND TEACHER AT THE WELL KNOWN CONSTANTINES WOODWORKING COURSES WILL SHARE HIS EXPERTISE WITH US. SAL HAS GRACIOUSLY FOUND TIME IN HIS BUSY SCHEDULE TO SPEND AN EVENING WITH US, DISCUSSING "THE USE AND CARE OF BASIC HAND TOOLS" AND "JOINERY: GLUING AND CLAMPING." DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY TO LEARN A NEW TECHNIQUE OR GET AN ANSWER TO THAT NAGGING QUESTION FROM MASTER WOODWORKER SAL MARINO.

NOVEMBER & DECEMBER MEETINGS

Please note the change of dates for our November and December meetings:

November Meeting: Wednesday, Nov. 20th December Meeting: Wednesday, Dec. 18th

Normally the club meets the <u>FOURTH</u> Wednesday of each month (not necessarily the last Wednesday!). However, we are changing the schedule for November and December because of he holidays.

November 20th Meeting: Harry Wicks - "Mr. Do It Yourselfer" will share his knowledge of woodworking with us. Harry has shared his expertise with you for years in magazines like Home Mechanix, Popular Mechanics, etc. Now we are fortunate to have him for the entire evening of November 20th. Don't miss it!

December 18th Meeting: Our 1st annual Wood Toys for Tots Exhibition. Get busy now building a toy for an unfortunate boy or

girl. Bring a smile and the joy of the holiday season by sharing craftsmanship with a child. Toys can be any size or shape, a toy car, plane, doll cradle, etc. All toys will be on display at our Wednesday December 18th meeting. The toys will then be donated in you name to needy children around L.I. By special arrangement, both Dave Chance and Armour Products in East Northport have offered a 20% discount on wood and supplies for the Toys For Tots program. So come on! Get into the holiday spirit early! Make time in your busy schedules and share your woodworking talents with someone less fortunate. I'm sure that just knowing the joy you'll be bringing to a child will make this holiday season a little more meaningful and one you won't forget for a long time to come.

<u>UPCOMING EVENTS</u>: We are already making arrangements for speakers for 1992. If you know of an interesting speaker or simply want to know more about a particular topic, please contact Bob Wessmiller.

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

The club has now been in existence for a year. When we began, we deliberately made the decision not too expand to quickly. Since we had limited funds, we called upon our members to make presentations at Now that we have had some meetings. experience at running the Club, the Board has decided to let the Club grow and call upon outside speakers even though they may incur cost. Bob Wessmiller, our program coordinator has some interesting programs planned. However, to plan 10 a year is a big task. He would appreciate help in suggestions and help in getting speakers or members volunteer presentations. We have a tremendous amount of skill in the club and it should be utilized.

Though it is important to develop stimulating programs, I personally do not view the presentations as the primary functions of the club. What I get most from the club is the "shop" talk prior to and after the formal presentation and the contacts I have with members throughout the month.

Jeff Berson, our Treasurer, is developing a print-out of peoples' skills and interests. It will be circulated and it will be up to you to "tap" into their knowledge. The more you mingle, the more you make yourselves known, the more you will get from the club. I think we have something great going here.

As with any club, there must be some formality. The board has now finalized a constitution which will be presented to members and there will be an election of officers.

One final thing, we are going to try and make the newsletter newsy. If any of you have items, such as information about upcoming events, any "tricks of the trade", any new tools you've bought and wish to review, any tool you wish to swap or sell, etc., please send them to our secretary, John DeFilippi.

Until next month,

Brian Hayward

BUS TRIP, SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20

There is still a seat or two left for our Bus Trip to Hanford Mills - woodworking 1860's water powered saw mill. For last minute reservations contact Bob Wessmiller at (516) 427-5057. For those already signed up: Remember the bus leaves promptly at 8:00 A.M.

CALENDAR: In an effort to keep you informed of upcoming events in and around the Tri State area we plan in future issues to offer information on when and where programs of interest to woodworkers will take place. Please contact John DeFilippi with any information you may have that would be of interest to fellow workers.

BUY - SELL - SWAP

WANTED:

Small Machinists Lathe, in good condition, with motor and all accessories. Reasonable. Call Bob Wessmiller 516/427-5057.

FOR SALE:

Antique and useable woodworking hand tools. Planes, levels, chisels, etc. If interested call Bill Hermanek 516/360-1216.

1991-1992 DUES: As the Club begins its 1991-1992 year, dues are payable at this time for the year. Dues are \$10 per year and should be paid to Jeff Berson at the next meeting or by mail (call Jeff at 516/775-6096 for details). If dues are NOT paid by the November meeting, names will be

removed from the mailing list.

NEWSLETTER FORMAT: With this issue, we have changed the format of our monthly announcement. It is now a 2-page, 2-column newsletter. How do you like it? Please feel free to send John DeFilippi anything you would like published in the newsletter.