



West Midlands Woodturners

Secretary – Peter Hockley ☎ 0121 779 3220 email peterhockley3@aol.com

June 2006

Chairmans Comments

At the time of writing this newsletter I had no notes from Brian - - - I think he may be away enjoying warm weather.

English Timber

At the AGM a request was made for a supplier of English Timber to attend a HANDS ON event. John Witham has invited Tony Wilson who visited us last year and offered to supply at very competitive prices. John has arranged for him to come to our July 9th hands on meeting.

If anyone has any special requests for specific woods or sizes of wood please speak to John W. Tel 02476 394304 **As soon as possible!!**

Secretary's notes

The AWGB is looking for a PR officer from the membership. If anyone is interested you could pass your information to me and I will pass it to the subcommittee looking after the appointment.

I have had a call from Ray Povey (a recent member of the club who left because of his failing sight)– He is now registered as partially sighted and despite trying to continue turning has not been able to do so. He is now reluctantly getting rid of his equipment:

Record 36 lathe, Axminster Chuck, Multi star duplex chuck, ½" drill style chuck and a set of tools –All £300 ono.

Router table unused £60 ono

Record Dust Extractor £60 ono

If you are interested call him on 0121 604 6741

At the last meeting the club was presented with a Draper Hobby fretsaw to sell for club funds. If anyone is interested, no offer

over £10 will be refused. Contact me and I will bring it to the next meeting.

At the last hands on day John Witham lost a live tail stock – if anyone has found it in their things please bring it back as he misses it .

Peter

School

July 2nd is the School Fair. Any member of the club is very welcome there. We will be there setting up from approx 11 am although the Fair starts at approx 12.30 until 2.30.

WE always get a great welcome from the headmaster and the other helpers.

Please come to the fair and fly the flag if you can. If you come we will find you a job, so your time will not be wasted!!!

Programme 2006

July 2 – School Fair

July 9 – half day - Hands On

Sept 10 - half day – Jerry Marlow

Oct 8 – full day – Gary Rance

Our Next Meeting

July 9 – half day - Hands On

Start approx 2.00pm finish approx 5.00 pm. Cost £2.00

Do not forget a cup for your tea.

If you can bring an idea to pass on to the rest of us that would be a bonus.