

MEMBERSHIP;

Woodcrafts are great hobbies, we have members of all ages, from School age to retirees, from those with a lifetime of experience to raw beginners, both Women and Men. Our Workshop has good wheelchair access.

A FRIENDLY CLUB;

We welcome visitors to come and have a look and are pleased to welcome new members.

We offer tuition and are willing to impart skills, offer helpful advice and share our experiences with other, who enjoy working with wood and want to become better Wood-workers.

SUBSCRIPTIONS;

With maximum discount the Subs. for existing members can be as low as \$60.00.

Based on Annual Sub.	Single:	\$80.00
	Couple:	\$85.00

less discounts for prompt payment, when receiving the Newsletter by email, and when joining part-way through the year.

Youth member (under 20) fixed:	\$20.00
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CONTACTS;

President George Yardley 579 1460

Secretary Mel Yeates 573 8188

www.taurangawoodcrafters.org

GUILD FACILITIES;

CLUBROOMS;

Our new Workshop is well equipped for use by members, subject to strict safety rules.

MEMBER'S LIBRARY;

We have books on all aspects of Woodcrafts, plus Magazines and DVDs for members to borrow free of charge.

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER;

Well-presented and informative, either posted or emailed to all members.

WEBSITE;

All the information you need, photos galleries of members' work and links to many interesting and valuable sites

www.taurangawoodcrafters.org

SHOW AND TELL CRITIQUE SESSION;

We encourage members to bring their work along to both Club and Group Meetings, to receive comment and encouragement from their peers.

THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WOODWORKERS;

We encourage members to also consider joining the NAW, which produces an excellent Magazine and provides invaluable services to affiliated member Clubs.

TAURANGA WOODCRAFTERS' GUILD INC;



**A Member Club of the
National Association of
Woodworkers;**

WORKSHOP

**3 Cherokee Place
Mount Maunganui**

GUILD MEETINGS;

The full Guild meets on the 3rd Saturday of each month at 1.30pm.
Special interest Groups meet at times and places shown inside.

UP DATED 20/8/2018

WELCOME TO TAURANGA WOODCRAFTERS' GUILD

We are a group of hobby Woodworkers, keen to share our love of wood and skills with one another, with anyone who would like to join us, and with the community. We live in a land with beautiful timbers and with a long tradition of do-it-yourself creativity.

Our Club has been active since 1987, and we have some 80 members, of all ages and skill levels. We have recently completed a new purpose-built Workshop, which is well-equipped with good Woodworking Machinery and hand tools.

We have special interest Groups covering the skills of Carving, Cabinet-making, Intarsia, Marquetry, Scrollsawing, and Woodturning, each meeting regularly. The full Club also meets once a month for activities and demonstrations by the various disciplines, and for wider fellowship among members.

Members tutor two separate programs in the workshop during the school term for school children learning wood skills. We make Wig-stands for Cancer Patients, & Wooden Toys for the Salvation Army and Hospital each Christmas. We have done Restoration work for Historic Sites like the Elms Mission Station, and the Otumoetai Pa Historic Reserve.

The Major event of our year is our Annual Exhibition, usually in November, when we put our finished work on display for the Public to enjoy and perhaps to purchase, along with live displays of some of our crafts in action.

GUILD ACTIVITIES FOR EACH MONTH

Group 1; Woodcarvers

2nd and 4th Monday morning at 9.30am

Meet at the Clubrooms.

Ivan Watchorn: 07 308 7914

Group 2; Woodturners

2nd Tuesday afternoon at 1.30pm.

Meet at the Clubrooms.

Seth Douglas: 576 5815

Group 4; Woodturners

1st Tuesday morning Starters Class at
9.30am.

Group Meeting Tuesday Afternoon at 1.30

4th Wednesday morning Starters Class at
9.30am

Jim Sutherland: 543 4829

Group 5; Scrollsaw, Intarsia, & Marquetry

1st and 3rd Wednesday
morning at 9.30 am

Meet at the Clubrooms.

Japie Volschenk: 542 3633

Group 6; Open Workshops

2nd & 4th Saturday morning at 9.30am

2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 6.30pm

Meet at the Clubrooms.

All Woodskills covered.

Roy Tregilgas: 027 640 3793

Group 7; Toymakers

2nd Saturday morning at 9.30am

Meet at the Clubrooms.

Mike Buck: 574 4525

Executive Committee;

3rd Saturday at 11.00am

meet at the Clubrooms

Full Guild Meeting;

3rd Saturday at 1.30pm

Meet at the Clubrooms.

We usually have a Demonstration or Guest Speaker with ample opportunity for fellowship over afternoon tea.

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