



## The Blueprint – January 2009

Welcome to Humboldt Woodworking Society  
P. O. Box 626 Arcata CA 95518-0626  
[www.woodworkers.name](http://www.woodworkers.name)

The Humboldt Woodworking Society is a group of professional, amateur, and hobbyist woodworkers. We meet monthly to share ideas and techniques, participate in WoodFair each year and have a good time talking shop and helping one another grow in our craft. Annual dues are \$25.00.

### **PIZZA FEED AND ELECTION OF 2009 OFFICERS**

#### **WHEN**

Thursday, January 29, 2009  
6:00 pm to 9:00 pm

#### **WHERE**

Babe's Pizza Parlor  
Cutten Plaza  
4015 Walnut Drive, Eureka

**DIRECTIONS:** From Hwy 101 (Broadway) in Eureka, go east on Harris. Turn right on Dolbeer and follow it as it becomes Walnut Drive.

We will have an election of officers for 2009. The Board of Directors nominates the following slate:

President – Steven Baer  
Vice President – Harvey Raider  
Treasurer – Dave Ashford  
Secretary – Susan Bicknell  
Program Coordinator – Doralee Smith  
Membership Coordinator – Bert Hafar  
Web Master – Michael Masumoto  
Librarian – Lynn Dixon

We welcome any additional nominations or volunteers. If you wish to nominate someone, please ask them about their willingness to serve before nominating them.

**PAY YOUR ANNUAL DUES (\$25) BY FEBRUARY 18, 2009. Mail your check to HWS, P O Box 626, Arcata, CA 95518-626.**

**FUTURE MEETINGS and EVENTS:**

<b>When</b>	<b>Who or What</b>	<b>Where</b>
January 29, 2009 6 - 9 pm	Pizza Feed and Election of Officers	Babe's Pizza Parlor Cutten Plaza 4015 Walnut Drive, Eureka
February 26, 2009	Tim Thornton Mad River Woodworks	189 Taylor Way Blue Lake
March 26, 2009	David Terry Seguin Woodworks	4 W 4 <sup>th</sup> Eureka
April 4, 2009 Saturday 6-9 pm, and continuing to the end of the month	Arts Alive! At Old Town Art Gallery Exhibition and Sale of Members Work	Old Town Art Gallery 233 F Street, Eureka
July 11 and 12, 2009 9 am to 5 pm Saturday and Sunday	WoodFair 2009	Almquist Lumber 5301 Boyd Rd Arcata

Doralee Smith, Program Coordinator, is actively seeking suggestions for future programs. If you would like to host a meeting, or if you have a suggestion for a topic for a seminar, panel discussion, or instructional class, please pass them along to Doralee at [rivrwmn@suddenlink.net](mailto:rivrwmn@suddenlink.net) or 825-9010.

**OFFICERS Contact Information:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>email</b>
Gary Richmond	VP, Acting President	725-3693	<a href="mailto:ironhorse45@hotmail.com">ironhorse45@hotmail.com</a>
Dave Ashford	Treasurer	442-9479	<a href="mailto:davisashford@wmconnect.com">davisashford@wmconnect.com</a>
Susan Bicknell	Secretary	768-1975	<a href="mailto:shbdwb@hotmail.com">shbdwb@hotmail.com</a>
Kai Herd	Librarian	476-9371	<a href="mailto:kai@acm.org">kai@acm.org</a>
Bert Hafar	Membership Coordinator	443-9260	<a href="mailto:bhafar@sbcglobal.net">bhafar@sbcglobal.net</a>
Michael Masumoto	Web Master	476-9371	<a href="mailto:kai@acm.org">kai@acm.org</a>
Doralee Smith	Program Coordinator	825-9010	<a href="mailto:rivrwmn@suddenlink.net">rivrwmn@suddenlink.net</a>

**MEMBERSHIP FORM:**

New members are welcomed at any time into the Humboldt Woodworking Society. Current Members, please share our newsletter with any prospective members. Use this form to join and/or to pay dues for continuing members. Annual Dues are payable in January for continuing members. New members may join any time and their dues may be prorated

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email address \_\_\_\_\_

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## **BOAT BUILDERS!**

Terry Huff is looking for boat builders and folks who are interested in boat building, There may be opportunities he would like to explore for mutual assistance or for organizing people with mutual interests. If you are a boat builder or are interested in boat building, contact Terry at 667-0103

## **PREPARE NOW FOR OUR APRIL SHOW AND WOODFAIR 2009**

1. Start preparing now by building those items you will show and sell.
2. We still need picture frames and pictures to display. (See web site for explanation.)
3. Save the dates!

April 4 6-9 pm for Old Town Art Gallery ARTS ALIVE!

July 11 and 12, 8 am -5 pm for WoodFair 2009

### **APRIL SHOW AT OLD TOWN ART GALLERY**

The Board of Directors agreed to the following procedures and conditions for acceptance of work for the show in April:

1. All works must be approved in advance. All works must be for sale. Members must submit glossy photos of sample works. Initial acceptance of works will be based on review of the photographs. Photographs must be received no later than Wednesday, March 11, at Humboldt Woodworking Society, P O Box 626, Arcata, CA 95518-626. Accepted exhibitors will be notified by phone or email within three days.
2. All preliminarily accepted works must be delivered to either the home of Dave Ashford (703 Redmond Rd, Eureka), or Susan Bicknell (1850 Johnson Rd, Hydesville) by March 25. Final acceptance is based upon review of appearance of works at time of delivery.
3. The BOD will appoint an impartial jury. Jurors who are also submitters must recuse themselves from considering their own works.
4. Criteria for acceptance:
  - a. If “subject matter” applies to the item, subject matter must be appropriate for general audiences, including children.
  - b. All items must be clean and finished.
  - c. Methods of construction must be appropriate for the item’s intended purpose.
  - d. All items accepted must be of fine woodworking quality
  - e. Items that differ significantly from the submitted photographs may be rejected.
5. All items must have a tag securely attached with the price, the name of the maker(s) and a description including at minimum what the item is, what kind(s) of wood it is made from, and methods of construction.
6. Exhibitors are encouraged to provide methods for displaying your works. Please consider what might be appropriate for your particular items. For example, plate racks might work for cutting boards. Small shelves might present bowls well. This may be important particularly if you have numerous small items.

## BEES' WAX

Save your old bees' wax candles. Only bees' wax – no other kinds of wax. And NO DYED bees' wax. Do not throw away those ugly half-burned candles. Please give them to Susan Bicknell at any meeting or call her at 768-1975. These half-used candles are an excellent source of bees' wax for the polish made up of bees' wax and mineral oil. Susan makes up the stuff and packages it for sale to raise money for our scholarships for CR woodworking students.

## CLASSIFIED ADS:

### SCROLL SAW WOODWORKERS! WOOD FOR YOUR SCROLL SAW PROJECTS AT VERY REASONABLE PRICES. \$2 - 6 PER PIECE.

Kiln dried hardwood prepared for your scroll saw projects. Thicknesses vary from around ¼" to ½". Many species, some exotics, but predominantly walnut, cherry and maple. Each piece is around 8 inches wide and 2 feet long. Some pieces are bundled in flitches of varying numbers of book matched pieces. Call Tom Frederikson at 444-3880.

### PEPPERWOOD ROUNDS AVAILABLE

Pepperwood rounds, 15-16" long and 12" diameter that have been dried outside for two years are available from Bill Shapeero of Hydesville. For more information, call Bill at 768-3287.

### LOCAL HARDWOODS

Local hardwoods are available from Ken Forden of Whitethorn Construction. For hardwood supplies or more information about local hardwoods and what can be done with them, call Ken at 986-7412.

## ALMQUIST LUMBER



 **Saturday Seminars**

10-11am & 2-3pm **FREE**

Woodworking Society  
Members Receive  
10% Off Hardwood  
Every Sunday!

825-8880

**START THE YEAR RIGHT!**

*Almquist*  
lumber company

5301 Boyd Rd, just off Giuntoli Lane at Hwy 299

Discount is good until further notice.