SEGMENTED MOB MEETING NOTES MELVILLE CLUBROOMS Thursday 13 July, 2023

Present – Syd Harvey, Noel Moyes, Aiton Sheppard, Silvio Moriconi, Stan Nolan, Roger Smith and Mike Phillips.

Apologies – Ray York, Ian Hamilton, John Townsend, Ray Dallin, Tania Emmerson, Jon Braine and Joe Clark

WELCOME

Syd welcomed everyone. Whilst only a small group attended this was day two, set aside for assembling Don's 3D trivet design for those who have cut the pieces Syd handed out at the last meeting. It was a very productive meeting. Refer to 'Around the Table' for individuals difficulties with this project and the things they brought to the meeting.

WEBSITE

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1ZXKXiCAKthAjxLWn1NCrY9UhL1 xim9Cz

Ian Ludford also has our page set up on the WAWA web page the link to which is <u>https://www.woodturnerswa.org.au/segmenters/</u>

SUGGESTED PROJECTS

- 1. More hands on demonstrations.
- 2. Learning to make feature rings. (Basic through to advanced.)
- 3. Training video suggestions on website or YouTube.
- 4. Jig designs and specifications to use when preparing, cutting, assembling, or turning your project.

5. A team project from start to finish at meetings with all members being involved. This will then be sold for Seggie fund raising. Tania's artistic challenge may result in a suitable item for this.

6. Don's 3D Trivet/Teapot stand.

AROUND THE TABLE

SILVIO – brought in examples of the magnificent laminating work he has been doing. The pictures below don't really do justice to his accuracy and quality of finish.



Sylvio's laminated bowls





Silvio's diamond pattern trivet and laminated vase.





Roger's open segmented bowl



ROGER – brought in his open segmented bowl and showed the 'Steelsoft' DIY hose clamp kit he purchased through Amazon for \$29. It consists of 30' strap and 16 fasteners. Don showed his last meeting.

NOEL – has finished his 3D trivet but had to individually size the surrounding pieces to fit accurately this was very time consuming.



AITON – brought in another Jarrah kitchen cupboard door for Roger. He has cut pieces to assemble the 3D trivet and purchased a Fonson Tools stop gauge like the one Don showed at the last meeting. Problem now is how to fit it to his saw table.

The following photos are of the stages in assembling Aiton's pieces. He had no idea how they fitted and complained about being told that all angles are 30 degrees. This is confusing. The actual finished angle is 60 degrees because, those who use a mitre saw or only one rail of a wedgie sled, will flip the timber so that the two 30 degree cuts result in a 60 degree segment. Nevertheless the experience gained will assist Aiton to make another and now, with better understanding, will select wood with colours to enhance the 3D effect. Note the difference between Noel's one above and Aiton's in the following photos.





The meeting adjourned to the shed where Aiton's pieces were assembled and put through the drum sander, and timber was cut for Stan to make his 3D trivet. All who attended thought it was a most productive meeting and a lot was done and good experience gained. We recommend others have a go at this project.

2023 MEETING DATES

Apologies – Aiton is away 27 July to 20 August, and Syd is away 5 to 31 August. Noel will open up the clubroom while Syd is away and Ian is asked to do the notes while Aiton is away.

JULY – Sunday 23.

AUGUST – Thursday 3, Sunday 13 and Thursday 24. SEPTEMBER – Sunday 3, Thursday 14 and Sunday 24. OCTOBER – Thursday 5, Sunday 15, and Thursday 26. NOVEMBER – Sunday 5, Thursday 16 and Sunday 26.DECEMBER – Sunday 3 (not Thursday 7 as previously mentioned). Noel is arranging the annual wind-up, to be held at "The Seventh Avenue" pub in Midland.