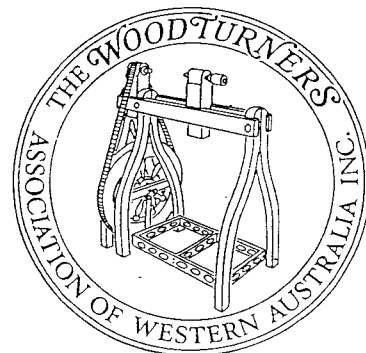


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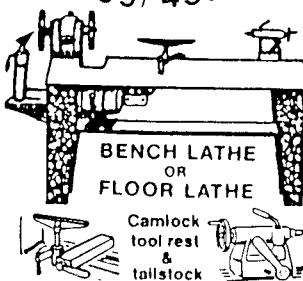
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## HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT TO THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

The retiring President, Cyril Jones, gave a full report of the year's activities, most of which have been reported during the year in the magazine.

There were, however, special thanks to several members for their work over the year, such as John Lathwell for organising the workshop weekends, Bill Botman for organising the competitions, Nancy Launer as Secretary and Gordon Ratcliffe as Safety Advisor.

The highlight was the presentation of life memberships to Member No 1, Keith McQueen who was responsible for the formation of WAWA and organised the original meeting at their caravan park in Eneabba and was the Association's first president. The second life membership was awarded to Geoff Barkla for his dedicated service as editor of the magazine for six years, President for two years and committee member for most of the time the Association has been going. Everyone wholeheartedly supported the awarding of life membership and also appreciated the fine work of other retiring committee members and organisers.

Membership stands at present at 734, far from the original envisaged 50. For the coming year nomination fee is to remain at \$20. Weekend workshops will increase from \$3 to \$4.

The President wished the incoming President, Jon Crofts and the new committee a successful year.

### EXHIBITION OF EXCELLENCE.

The Association opened its second Exhibition of Excellence on Sunday the 9th August in the foyer of Allendale Square. The official opening was performed by the Minister for the Environment the Hon R.J. Pearce who mentioned that his father had been a carpenter and so he appreciated the enduring qualities of wood.

The exhibition featured the work of many of our most skilled members and the variety of the display, together with the very professional presentation, reflects great credit on those participating and to the Association in general.

Special thanks must go to Milton Rundle who managed the organisation and to Keith Stout for the display panels, John Lillywhite for organising the rosters, Geoff Barkla for the publicity and to the assisting committee Gerald Young, Gordon Wilkins, John Lathwell and Jim Clark. Thanks also to the willing volunteers who supervised each day.

### SWAN COTTAGE HOMES.

At the invitation of the Board of Management of Swan Cottage Homes, W.A.W.A. mounted a presentation of lathe turned articles featuring various Australian woods in the Cottage's Art Gallery at Bentley. Mr Richard Cleaver, Founder/Chairman of the Cottages officially opened the exhibition on Sunday 27th June and complimented the turners on the high standard and diversity of work on show. John Lillywhite and his band of helpers did a fine job in setting up the display and we owe sincere thanks to the staff and volunteers of Swan Cottages who ably cared for the display which was open daily till the 29th July. The Gallery is a beautiful centre and we are privileged to be allowed to use it. Not all the 70/80 items on display were for sale, but in excess of 30 items were sold and some

turners were contacted for other articles. It was a pleasure to be associated with the packing up of the exhibition as I heard many favourable comments as people called to collect their purchases.  
Len Nicholls.

### ASSOCIATION WEEKEND CALENDAR.

Date:	October 17/18th
Venue:	Toodyay.
Competition:	Coloured Bowl.
Beginners and Intermediate:	Maximum Size 300 mm
Open:	Unlimited size. 50% of wood showing.
Host Group:	Avon Valley.
Date:	November 21/22nd
Venue:	Brookton.
Competition:	Any item or items from 75 x 75 x 300mm
Host Group:	Central and Southern.
Date:	December 12th Saturday only.
Venue:	'Noalimba' Bateman.
Competition:	Best thing turned this year. At least 80% turned. All categories. To be judged by a panel.
Host Group:	Weekend Sub Committee
Evening Meal:	To be paid in Advance \$8 per head. Bookings to W.A.W.A. Secretary. Menu shown in Christmas Programme Page 5

### MEMBERSHIP FEES.

All members are reminded that fees for the coming year are now due and should be paid promptly to our membership secretary, Cheryl Russell. If fees remain unpaid at the 31st December, your name will be removed from the membership list. The subscription for this year is \$20. Please pay now.

### ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT.

The Treasurer, Milton Rundle, presented the financial statements to the A.G.M. Expenditure for the year amounted to \$28033, an increase of 66% over last year and income was \$34882 an increase of 37% over last year. Surplus for the year was \$6848, a decrease of \$1718 over last year. The Association had a healthy bank balance at the end of the year.

### AUSTRALIAN WOODCRAFT ASSOCIATION.

Our Association has joined the Australian Woodcraft Association and further details of this will be in the next edition of the magazine.

### THE ASSOCIATION OF WOODTURNERS OF GREAT BRITAIN.

Milton Rundle has been in contact with the Chairman of the UK Association, Mr Tony Waddilove. The Association is investigating links with other overseas groups but in the meantime he has suggested that any of our members visiting the UK should get in touch with the editor of the UK newsletter who is:

Isabel Winstanley  
22 Meadway Marland  
ROCHDALE OL1 3NP UK  
Phone: 0011 44 706 32039

Isabel will be able to put you in touch with local branches as appropriate.

**WORKSHOP MEETING 17/18th OCTOBER.**  
**TOODYAY RACE COURSE, TOODYAY ROAD, 1.5kms**  
**PERTH SIDE.**

Welcome to all W.A.W.A. Members, partners and visitors. The meeting is for the promotion of woodturning through demonstration and exchange of ideas and fellowship with hands on and tool sharpening for the benefit of new members and any who have a problem.

Your Host Group is Avon Valley Toodyay. Convenor: Glyn Harrison, M.C: Jack Ling. Hosts: Phil Johnson, Con Drew and Brian McKenzie.

**Saturday:**

8.00am Chuck Wagon, Lathes arrive, unload.  
 9.00 Registration and Fellowship.  
 Hands on Jim Clark, Keith Stout, Ron Smith.  
 Tool Sharpening Ivor Bridges. Bring your tools.  
 Competition Set-up.  
 Arbortec and Portagrinder Gordon Ward.  
 10.00 MORNING TEA  
 10.30 Multicentre turning Arthur Malacari  
 11.30 Stone Turning Glyn Harrington  
 12.00 LUNCH

**Ladies:**

1.00pm Bus tour of Emu Farm and Cooringa Vineyard

1.00pm Finishing Keith Seaman  
 2.00 Vacuum Chuck turning base Milton Rundle  
 2.00 Competition entries close voting commences  
 2.45 AFTERNOON TEA  
 3.15 Bring your gadgets for 'Inspector Gadget'  
 Gordon Ward, Keith Seaman  
 6.00 Evening Meal. Salad (bring a plate) Sheep on a spit.  
 5.00 Evening Old Time Films and Cheese and Winetasting.

**Sunday:**

8.00am Executive Committee Meeting  
 8.00 Hands on Jim Clark, Keith Stout  
 Tool Sharpening Ivor Bridges  
 9.00 Log Cutting (including log holding jig) Keith McQueen. Sawn bowl blanks immediately rough turned by Keith Stout, Brian Launer  
 10.00 MORNING TEA  
 10.30 Hands on Lathes  
 Demonstration of portable hydraulic chain and circular saw by Deadwood Saw Milling, also sale of wood.  
 11.00 Competition voting closes  
 11.45 Load Lathes, etc.  
 12.00 LUNCH  
 1.00pm President's Forum - Show And Tell Competition results. Door prize. Guess the wood results.  
 3.00 All hands for final cleanup.

Accommodation etc., on page 10 June/July Issue W.A.W.A. Newsletter.

**POWER HACKSAW BLADES.**

Alltools, of 204 Collier Road, Bayswater, have available boxes of 10 blades size 12" by 1" which they are selling for \$15 a box. Anyone interested should phone 272 7611.

**WORKSHOP MEETING BROOKTON 21/22nd NOVEMBER**  
**AT W.B. EVA PAVILLION BROOKTON HIGHWAY.**  
**(Just as you approach town).**

Welcome to all W.A.W.A. Members, partners and visitors. Hands on and tool sharpening for those who have a problem. Your host group is Central and Southern Group. Convenor: Jeff Nottler M.C: Dick Keyser. Hosts: Kevin Pritchard, Harold Shipley, Cam Chittleborough.

**Saturday:**

8.00am Chuck Wagon and lathes arrive - unload  
 9.00 Fellowship and Registration  
 Hands on all day with Jim Clark, Ralph Smith, Ron Smith. Tool sharpening with Ivor Bridges.  
 9.30 MORNING TEA  
 10.00 Dick Morley - Gadgets  
 11.00 Ron Goodson - Stains, waxes, finishes  
 12.00 LUNCH (B.Y.O.)  
 1.00pm Len Nicholls - Lidded boxes

**Ladies:**

1.00pm To be arranged.

2.00 Competition entries close voting commences  
 2.00 Gordon Ward - Ultra thins  
 3.00 AFTERNOON TEA  
 3.30 Gordon Wilkins - Hollow Turning  
 4.30 Ralph Smith - Router  
 6.00 EVENING MEAL Cold Meat, Salad Platters.  
 (Members bring a plate)  
 7.00 Video

**Sunday:**

8.00am Committee Meeting.  
 9.00 Keith McQueen - Basket Weave  
 10.00 MORNING TEA  
 10.30 John Shinnick - Pepper Mills  
 11.00 Voting Closes  
 11.30 Jim Clark - Needle Cases, Thimbles  
 12.30pm LUNCH (B.Y.O.)  
 1.30 President's Forum - Show and Tell  
 Competition Results.

Home Stay Contact: R Nottle 096 427024  
 Bedford Hotel: 096 421172  
 Caravan Park Brookton Shire: 096 421106  
 Club Hotel: 096 421055

**THINK ON THIS.**

If you think you are beaten, you are.  
 If you think you dare not, you don't.  
 If you like to win but you think you can't it is almost certain you won't.  
 If you think you'll lose, you've lost.  
 For out of this world we find success begins with a fellow's will.  
 It's all in the state of your mind.  
 If you think you are outclassed, you are.  
 You've got to think high to rise.  
 You've got to be sure of yourself before you can even win a prize.  
 'Life's battles don't always go to the stronger or faster man.  
 But sooner or later the man who wins is the man who THINKS HE CAN'.

## COMING EVENTS.

### BRUCE LEADBEATTER DEMONSTRATION.

Members are reminded to book NOW for this unique event. It is a great opportunity to benefit from the wide ranging experience and skills of this outstanding Australian in the wood turning field. For \$20 you can have a full day and evening of activities with Bruce giving talks, demonstrations and hand-on opportunities. Large screen video coverage of the demonstration will ensure an excellent view for all.

Place: Veteran and West Australian Car Club's Centre, 265 Hale Road, Cnr. Tonkin Highway and Hale Road, Wattle Grove.

Time: 9am onwards Saturday 7th November, 1992.

Cost: An unbelievably low \$20.

Bookings now accepted by:

NANCY LAUNER or JOHN LATHWELL

Lunch: B.Y.O. Morning and afternoon tea provided. Barbecue facilities. B.Y.O. Meat and Salad. Tea and Coffee available.

Evening: Slide show.

AN OPPORUNITY NOT TO BE MISSED. Bookings are filling well - act now to secure your place.

### WOODTURNERS OF DENMARK INC. 1993 OPEN ANNUAL AWARD EXHIBITION 10-25th JANUARY, 1993.

Venue: Goundreys Old Butter Factory Gallery, Denmark. 10am - 4.30pm daily.

Over \$1000 worth of prizes to be won over seven different classes. The judge will be Vic Wood. Entry forms and enquiries to:

The Woodturners of Denmark Inc.  
Post Office Box 51,  
Denmark. WA. 6333.

Coordinator: Liz Marshall 098 451081

**VIC WOOD HANDS ON WORKSHOPS JANUARY 1993**  
BUNBURY: Monday - Tuesday 18/19th January, 1993.  
PERTH: Thursday - Friday 21/22nd January, 1993.  
Fee: \$125. Two Day Hands On.

Vic brings a talent for stimulating creativity and is a highly respected woodturner. He has gained eleven major Australian Awards. This will be a great opportunity for turners to continue on from the successful workshops of Stephen Hughes and Michael Hosaluk in January of this year. Limited numbers so please book early. Booking fee \$60. Balance at time of Workshop.

Contact: Gerald Young 09 399 5002 or  
Nancy Launer 097 52 3998.

### MELVILLE GROUP. Christmas Social 26th November. (No December meeting)

Time: 7.30pm prompt.

Venue: Larger Hall. Next to the usual meeting place, Murray Road, Palmyra.

Please bring items for the Show and Tell. Also, please bring a plate for supper and your own drinking glasses. Music by Wally Harland and his band. Queries to Russ (Convenor) or Cheryl Russell (Secretary) 337 7631

## FEATURE WOODS.

One of the side-benefits of our 'Exhibition of Excellence' was the admiration shown by a viewer and his later indication in discussion that he was able to supply to turners some of the more treasured timbers such as jarrah burls, birds-eye and curly jarrah etc. Steve Erceg is a partner in 'The Old Firewood Company' and has realised that there is a much better future for some of the "firewood" he collects. Reasonable quantities of various feature woods are held at his home in South Perth but larger stocks/greater varieties are held in the "bush" or could be identified for particular needs. The local stocks have been viewed and found to be absolutely excellent.

Steve's phone number is 367 5670 and he is at home mostly "after hours". He is particularly interested in swapping timber on the basis of the return of an article or two from the turnings therefrom. Everything is legitimate from the point of view of CALM etc.

### Elaine BOYD A LADY TURNER'S POINT OF VIEW.

When I asked lady turners to tell me how and why they came to take up turning there seemed to be certain areas where many had similar experiences. Some of the reasons for taking up turning were: (a) from necessity [an example was the Rockingham woodcarvers who couldn't procure suitable turned articles], (b) opportunity and (c) the love of wood and the desire to work with wood.

The difficulties they had to face when they first started (and there seemed to be plenty) made many feel that they were on their own in a man's world. One of the problems in particular was the lack of knowledge of woodworking tools and their uses.

I found very few lady turners came to W.A.W.A. weekends. Maybe this was because women keep their weekends for their families and their hobbies are for weekdays. Also, they didn't try to compete with other turners, but preferred to make things for their homes, for friend or for sale.

When I gave my opinion that concentration was more important than good eye sight, one member told me that her blind sister is a wood turner. I found that very interesting and I had heard that Del Stubb teaches blind people to turn.

This year the first Women in Wood workshop was held at Manjimup. The three main areas of interest were joinery, woodcarving and woodturning. In the two days, women who had never used a lathe before, were able to complete a project. At the Moora weekend, held in August, contributions to the display of Turning Done by Women came from as far away as Geraldton (member number 15 Dolly Harrison) to Jarrahwood in the south. I am grateful to all the ladies who helped make it a joint effort not just the lady turners. As Merryl Saylor found when she held an all womens class - the men have problems too. We don't want to be sexist, we like to share.

It was the point of view of many women, that if it hadn't been for the sharing of knowledge and help from some of the older W.A.W.A. members they would never have continued with their turning.

MARK YOUR DIARY NOW FOR:  
**BRUCE LEADBEATTER 7th November, 1992.**  
**VIC WOOD BUNBURY 18/19 January, 1993.**  
**PERTH 21/22nd January, 1993.**

## REPORT ON WORKSHOP MEETING LOFTUS CENTRE 18/19th JULY.

There were 116 members at this meeting with 42 associates and 10 visitors and a very well run and happy gathering it was. Under the guidance of Lee Chase, the ladies had a magnificent display of soft toys - 225 to be exact. One wondered if we'd stepped into Toyland by mistake! Dolls jostled with bears, rabbits, Humpty Dumpty, clowns and various cute animals - all cuddly. Congratulations ladies.

Jon Crofts had a wonderful display also - "By their fruits you should know them!" It was not only educational but a very attractive feature and many paused to admire. Pam McQueen won the door prize, two lovely hand made pottery mugs - a delight for any home.

Only Intermediates and Open were represented in the competition but oh the standard. I'm so glad I wasn't a judge. RESULTS. INTERMEDIATE. 3rd Bob Nichol, 2nd Harry Norman, 1st Kev Bryant. OPEN. 3rd Len Nichols, 2nd Ron Goodson, 1st Alan France. LADIES CHOICE. Ron Goodson.

Saturday evening was fun with a quiz by Max Hayles on the lines of Sale of the Century; with beauties Mavis Hayles and Trudie Botman distributing prizes. It was moments like these you needed a mintie! The day ended with a lovely meal and it was a happy crowd that drifted home - not late at all for we oldies!!  
Thora.

### TOYS FOR CHRISTMAS CHARITY.

All members are requested to make at least one wooden toy and to donate it to the W.A.W.A. effort to bring some joy to needy children this coming Christmas. The Melville Group which initiated a similar activity last year and whose toys were supplemented by those from other Groups, has offered to co-ordinate the Association effort this year. The Executive Committee has accepted Melville's offer.

Toys should be accumulated by Groups and brought to the Melville Conventor's house by arrangement with:

Mr Russ Russell,  
19 Mopsa Way,  
Coolbellup. 6163.  
Phone: (09) 337 7631

It is planned to display all the wooden toys together with the soft toys made by the ladies at a function to be held at the above address at 7.30pm on 25th November, 1992. Arrangements are being made to hand over the toy gifts to the selected charity representatives at this function which it is hoped will be attended by the media. Keep this date free and make it a great evening. Please let Cheryl or Russ know if you intend to be there. B.Y.O. (plate and drinks). See you there. Gerald Young.

### SHOPPING CENTRE DISPLAYS.

Shopping Centre displays, demonstrations and sales are for every wood turner. From several years of experience, it has evolved that for a smooth operation, some simple but necessary rules have to be applied.

- \* Goods for sale must be of a high standard.
- \* Everyone with goods for sale is expected to assist at the stall for one full day or two half days. Those in employment assist on Thursday evenings and on Saturdays.
- \* When giving demonstrations of wood turning, only small articles are turned and must be prepared to the round state, mainly for safety reasons.

Shopping Centre demonstrations and sales are not a source of income in the general sense but are good venues for the sale of surplus turned articles enabling the wood turner, if successful in turning, to be provided with means to purchase more tools and wood. The exchange of ideas, the development of selling techniques and good fellowship is generated at the venues.

Wives of wood turners contribute many hours in the running of the stall and many are very knowledgeable about members' articles and the requirements and tastes of the buying public. A donation is subtracted from the total sales amount and given to W.A.W.A. funds.  
John Lillywhite.

### DEMONSTRATIONS.

The July meeting at Leederville was hosted by the Northern Group who were responsible for an interesting programme of talks and demonstrations. Saturday's programme commenced with yours truly turning a natural edged bowl, followed by Max Hayles explaining the construction details for his Cobb and Co. coach wheels. Also on display was his coach, a piece of workmanship that was a credit to its maker.

Saturday afternoon, Chiropractor Nathan Helms delivered a most interesting talk on the relationship between the spine and bodily health, explaining how the nerves affecting the body organs pass through the spinal column, thus spinal damage can affect all organs.

Sunday's programme saw Vic Paust discussing the making of toys for various charitable organisations for distribution to the under privileged. Max Hayles followed with a talk on the propagation of trees. Max and some of our members have been raising trees from seeds then making them available to farmers and "Men of the Trees", also helping in the planting of them.

On the commercial side, we saw a preview of a router lathe cutting spirals, a fluting attachment and a spindle copying attachment. Members interested in these items should contact Timbercon.

For our August meeting the association travelled to Moora to be hosted by the Midlands Group. Elaine Boyd started the ball rolling with a most interesting talk on 'Turning from a Woman's point of view', discussing how some women came to take up turning and the problems they encountered. She concluded with a women's display of turnery which could be the envy of many male turners and clear proof that most problems had been solved.

Guest turner, Vaughan Richmond, was our main demonstrator over the two days. He commenced by giving a talk on the 'History of Woodturning' dating back to the early Egyptian times through to the nineteenth century period of designer craftsman, William Morris. Vaughan then went on to demonstrate turning and decorating a thin walled bowl also decorating with other mediums such as acrylics and gold leaf. Turners staying at the school hostel also witnessed a first class slide show of Vaughan's artistically turned work.

Demonstrators assisting were Keith Johnson with his vacuum chuck and various attachments, also Keith Stout displaying and discussing decorative turnery in the Stephen Hughes style. Thanks to all those who demonstrated with special mention to our guest speakers and demonstrators who willingly gave of their time for our entertainment.  
Keith Stout.

**WORKSHOP MEETING 12th DECEMBER.  
NOALIMBA RECREATION AND ACCOMMODATION  
CENTRE, MANDALA CRESCENT, BATEMAN.**

Welcome to our 'Christmas Event' all W.A.W.A. Members, partners and visitors. This will be a fun and prize giving day. Your Host, the Weekend Sub Committee. Convenor: Gerald Young. M.C: Max Hayles. Safety Advisors: John Clark and Gordon Ratcliffe. Trade Suppliers: The Woodturning Centre. Deadwood Coy.

**Saturday Only:**

8.00am Chuck Wagon arrives.  
9.00 Registration and Fellowship.  
Competition set-up - Eric Walker.  
Show and Tell - Keith Seaman.  
"Best thing you have made this year" - Final Entry 12.00 noon. Judged by a panel.

Ladies: LADIES CRAFT EXHIBITION. Examples of work completed during ladies activities/demonstrations over the past year.

9.00 MINI TURNING COMPETITION. Subject: A realistic egg gauged 30mm dia +/- 0.5mm tolerance, off the tool finish only. Wood and tools supplied. Own tools may be used if preferred. Mini lathes to be used: 15 minute time limit. Ladies to judge after measurement.

TOY EXHIBITION. Bring along the toys that you or yours have made for your family or friends. NOTE: The toys made for charity are to be displayed at the Melville Group's function in November. See notice elsewhere in this newsletter.

VIDEO SHOW. Mike Darlow's instructional tapes will be shown throughout the day.

9.55 President's Welcome.  
10.00 MORNING TEA.  
10.30 Mini Competition continues.  
12.00 LUNCH. B.Y.O.  
1.00pm Mini Competition continues.  
2.30 AFTERNOON TEA  
3.00 Mini Competition continues.  
4.30 Egg competition prizes given.  
4.45 Load lathes and wagon.  
6.00 EVENING MEAL. Served at Noalimba's dining room. \$8 per head which must be booked at least 7 days ahead. Book at desk or with Secretary.

**MENU:**

Antipasta: Cheese, Sausages, Onion etc.  
Main Course: Supreme of Chicken Florentine, or Baked Loin of Pork  
Served with tossed salad, baked potatoes, cauliflower cheese, roast pumpkin and garden peas.  
Dessert: Fresh fruit salad and creme chantilly.  
Decorated cheese cake.  
Apricot crumble and custard.  
Soft drinks, tea and coffee.

7.30 Announcement of 1992 accumulated competition points winners and awards and also results of the "Best thing you have made this year" competition and awards.

7.30 Show and Tell - Keith Seaman.  
8.15 approx Closing address by our President.

For those wishing to stay overnight, Friday, Saturday or Sunday at Noalimba, accommodation and meals may be booked by phoning the Manager on (09) 332 7000 at least five days in advance.

**SALES AND EXHIBITIONS.**

Sunday 25th October, 1992 South Perth Primary School P and C Annual Fete. Demonstrate and Sell 10am to 4pm.

Saturday 5th December, 1992 Cottage Hospice Fair at Jackadder Lake, Woodlands. Set up 8am sell and demonstrate.

Saturday/Sunday 16/17th January, 1993 Claremont Show Ground Hobby Spectacular. Sell and demonstrate. Set up Friday 15th. Run by Floreat Rotary Club mainly in aid of Appealathon.

Exhibition only TAFE Library, Bentley. 2nd March 1993 to 8th April, 1993.

Further information contact: J.Lillywhite 339 2359. N.Basden 349 1082. L.Nicholls 339 6490

**SHAVINGS FROM THE COMMITTEE.**

WEEKEND WORKSHOPS. The survey that went to all members in May resulted in 156 replies. Thanks to all who responded. The analysis so far is both interesting and encouraging. Accompanying letters were predominantly positive and helpful. You may be assured your suggestions will be considered carefully. For survey results see next page.

ASSOCIATION CLUBROOMS. The survey indicated that 67% were in favour of having a central headquarters. Of those against the proposal, over half only objected on the grounds of anticipated extra expense to members. The committee is very conscious of the requirement for financial viability in any option for acquisition of clubrooms and will only examine viable propositions. Other aspects to be considered include location, impact on local groups, suitability for WE Workshops and instructional classes, rental v ownership, possibility of sharing with other craft groups.

Results shows that respondents perceived the following range of uses.

Some group meetings	88%
Perth Central WE Workshops	93%
Informal meetings	87%
Formal Instruction/Practice	90%
Social Events	70%
Other (including Sales Centre, Library, Store rooms, Exhibition, Share with other groups)	25%

President's Forum should be a good place to air your ideas and generate useful discussion. Go to it. Gerald Young.

*from the meeting  
on 20th September  
not Sunday morning  
John Scott*

### SHAVINGS FROM THE COMMITTEE. SURVEY RESULTS.

#### Members.

Skill Level	53 Novices	52 Intermediate	15 Advanced	24 No category
Activity	56 Recreational	62 Occasional Sales	15 Regular Sales	23 No category
Weekend appreciation.	96 Satisfied	17 Dissatisfied	43 No comment	
Willingness to Contribute to the WE Activity	75 Willing	28 Unwilling	53 No comment	
WE Workshop timing preferences.	79 monthly	31 bi monthly	65 2 days	36 1 day only
Show and Tell	75 Saturday	26 Sunday	30 Both days	
Volunteers.	19 for committee	34 for sub committee	84 general assistant	
Spouse attendance.	75 yes. (ie. nearly 50% of respondents)			
Instruction.	77 members stated a need for instruction.			
The following numbers were interested in financially self supporting classes:				
Practical Turning Skills.	33 Basic	62 Advanced		
Design Skills.	64			

### W.A.W.A. METROPOLITAN GROUPS MEETING TIMES, DATES AND VENUES.

MELVILLE. 4th Thursday 7.30pm Palmyra Recreation Centre, Cnr Murray Rd and Canning Hwy, Melville. 6156.

MANDURAH. 2nd Tuesday 3pm Mandurah High School, Giblia Street, Mandurah 6210. Check with Convenor for locations during school holidays.

MIDVALE. 1st Friday 7pm The Woodturning Centre, Stanhope Gardens, Midvale 6056.

MUNDARING. Every Friday except 1st in month. 7pm Venue about to change, check with Convenor first.

KENWICK. 1st and 3rd Wednesdays 7.30pm Liddlelow Homestead, Cooper Avenue, Kenwick 6107.

NORTH OF RIVER. 4th Tuesday 7pm Balga TAFE Campus, 18 Loxwood Road, Balga 6061.

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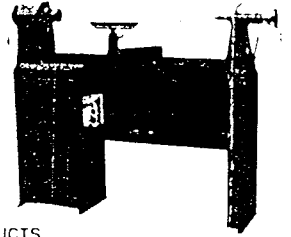
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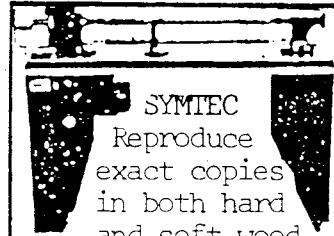
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