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### Observations from Gosnells WEWS July 2012

**Bill Wallbank** was demonstrating pyrography using equipment that he had made himself.



Bill had a display of his work that included 14 wall plaques and two bowls on wood that he had cut by band sawing pieces for the plaques.

At the time of my visit, Bill was making some burner tips, but he took the time to explain the construction of the unit and burners. Bill also explained how he obtains the base drawings.

A feature of Bill's demo was allowing members to try pyrography for themselves.

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**Bill Wallbank** as our resident pyrography expert demonstrated his craft to a steady stream of interested viewers.

Bill had prepared several turned bowls and platters and invited members to have a go.

Under Bill's guidance they were very pleased with the results achieved.

There were many examples of pyrography on show.

Bill provided considerable information, including how to make your own machine, and also the availability to use a computer program with keyboard layout, to compose your own original patterns.

