



# The DoveTale

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Woodworkers of SouthEast Texas

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Members:	54	Present:	26	Visitors:	1
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Our Next Meeting will be Sep 23<sup>rd</sup>

## August 26<sup>th</sup> Meeting

We held the August meeting at our regular meeting location, 1685 Ashley in Beaumont. Business items included:

- Waid Gauthier - about \$2,575
- Richard Hicks - 55 Members
- Toys - Plenty of supplies in stock - 390 toys completed so far and a fresh supply of wood available
- Web Site - Web site is up to date
- Library - Reminder that library materials are checked out for one month at a time.

## Next Meeting

Our next meeting will be on Monday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2019 at our regular meeting facility, 1685 Ashley in Beaumont. Richard Hicks will present the program "Building a Portable Scissor Leg Table".

Directions: Take the MLK exit on IH-10, go South on MLK and then turn West on Ashley. Go two blocks and you're there. The business meeting will start at 6:30 and the regular meeting starts at 7:00.

## Swap Meet

We had a good turnout for our swap meet on August 31<sup>st</sup>. Several folks brought items and pictures of items they wanted to sell and/or swap. Jeffery Fritz had a good selection of wood and tree slabs for sale as well as some items from his collection of shop supplies.

We plan to have another swap meet early next year.

## Show & Tell



Ronnie Webb showed pictures of a bookcase he made for his sister-in-law. Ronnie used some poplar plywood from Wes Vice Hardwoods. The face veneers are a lot thicker than standard plywood. He used iron-on edge banding to finish the edges.



Tommy Ellis showed pictures of a potting table he made for his wife using pine and a Formica laminate top. He tapered the legs using his miter saw.



of bloodwood.

Richard Spinney showed a walking cane he carved from a piece of bone and a cardinal bird he carved from a piece

Paul Moore won the door prize, \$25 since he didn't have a woodworking show and tell item. John Heard and B.J. Holt won the Craft Supplies gift certificates.

## Program



Jerry Shivers showed a cutting board with a geometric quilt pattern and a M&M candy dispenser made from shop scraps.

Richard Hicks presented the program about how he made a curio storage shelf for his wife. She asked that the shelf:

- Keep the items dust free
- Allow her easy access to add or remove items
- Put almost anything on top of the shelf
- Be able to relocate the shelf later



what appeared to be imperfections in the wood.

Kris Castle showed a picture of a large gate he made using Sapele (a mahogany substitute from Africa). He discussed



The storage shelf has Plexiglas panels on the sides and front that rise up into slots so they can be easily removed. The top and bottom panels are solid  $\frac{3}{4}$ " oak mounted to the back panel with Kreg Pocket Hole screws and glue. The curio storage shelf is stained with Minwax American Oak stain and sprayed with three coats of satin finish lacquer.



lacquer.

Robert Trimmell showed vases he turned from pear and spalted oak. He finished them with Deft brush-on

The curio storage cabinet will support over 100 pounds and it's mounted directly to the studs in the wall with three inch screws. An easily removable back panel covers the mounting screws.

### No Pictures:

Jeffery Fritz showed several work benches he made for his shop from locally harvested pine. He used mortise and tenon joints that can be disassembled so he can move the benches.

A video copy of Richard's presentation is available in our club library and his presentation slides are available on our website: [www.wwsset.org](http://www.wwsset.org)

Pete De La Cruz showed a turn table he made using a heavy duty Lazy Susan from Amazon. He used a homemade jig and his router to cut the round top. He plans to use the turn table when he's trimming his bonsai trees.