



Last week in February witnessed our AGM. Now unlike many AGMs ours is so informal it is rarely clear what happened. However the Secretary now has a year in which to write up a decent set of minutes. By the time we get round to accepting them as 'a true and correct record' we will all have forgotten.

It should go on record that we had a successful year. The standard of "amateur" demonstrators was almost as good as the professionals we had.



The final fling of the year party was again reported as very successful and many thanks were made to Mary Davies who coordinated the whole thing.



The club's finances are in good state with income exceeding outgoings by over £400 although there could well be a charge left over from 2014 which will deplete that somewhat.

Are we with the right insurance? Investigations by the treasurer suggests the club is well insured with the right company.

It was decided that the range of raffle prizes should be upgraded so that it would really be worth while having a ticket. A suggested figure of £15 was agreed for the two prizes.

Also the wisdom of having a professional at our August meeting was questioned. It was claimed many members were away most Augusts although this point was disputed about the 2014 meeting which was a well attended one.



Elections for 2015 were slid around with vague indications so that we have more or less the same committee except the chair and vice chair swap places. The resulting committee is at the end of the newsletter.

It is worth noting that five more people on average attended per month in 2014 than the previous year.



As the pictures show there was a variety of wood turning on offer. Much done by our own members or by friends of our chairman.



Notice

Daventry Show

**This years Daventry wood turning show and exhibition is to be on Friday and Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> May.**

*Can members please bring in samples of their work to go on our stand at our April meeting.*

Also we need some members to help man our stall again so can you let Nick Milton know is email is nick.milton5@ntlworld.com

**Forthcoming Attractions**

April 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 7:30 pm Malcolm Hill - Lantern  
May 14<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30 pm Hands On  
Jun 4<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 pm Steve Heeley  
July 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 7:30 pm Rob from Axminster plus Hands on  
Aug 6<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 pm Mick Hanbury  
Sep 3<sup>rd</sup> @ 7:30 pm David Tilley – Christmas Trees  
Oct 8<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30 pm Hands On  
Nov 5<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30 pm David Simms Christmas Decorations  
Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> @ 7:30 pm Hands On

*Remember members who do demos will receive payment.*

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