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MEETING FOR JULY CANCELED

WOODCHIPS: BY: GEORGE HANCOCK EDITOR

DEAR MEMBER AND GUEST:

This Virus thing is about to wear me slick! I'm sure it is you too.

Still, it is a serious threat that we have to take seriously. Your board had a meeting and enough attended to make a quorum. We were divided as to having a meeting or not having a meeting for July. The rising cases broke the deadlock and we decided to cancel again. Most of us being in the high risk group it's, "PROBABLY THE SMART THING TO DO". We will see how the month plays out as to what August brings.

I'm sure some of you are busy in your shop making beautiful things. I have been busy at my office, and what I have been able to do at the shop is an attempt to better organize it. I'm making a little headway.

I'm sure all of you know that SWAT is canceled. All of you who were signed up should have received a refund by now. I got mine last month. I know some clubs are turning to ZOOM meetings, but it's not the same. However, if this hangs on we can look into it. I don't think it's too difficult. We would just need a camera and operator, and a demonstrator. I've been involved in some ZOOM meetings recently. Again it's not the same, but its better than nothing, "JUST". Contact President Randy with suggestions. Randy Coats [recoats@outlook.com]

I just found out this weekend from Jimmy Edwards that the Ector County Fair is canceled for this year. Make some pretty things for next year.

Just a suggestion. Maybe you can take some photos of your current work and send them to me in an email to ghancock@suddenlinkmail.com. for next month's newsletter. A photo and brief description. Send it it JPEG or ADOBE PDF format, and I can incorporate it into the newsletter. DON'T SEND ME POTOS OR TEXT MESSAGES OFF YOUR PHONES. I know it's easy for you, but it's not for me.

THINGS TO REMEMBER:

hope all of you are healthy, and able to stay occupied. At least we have a hobby, some a job (I hope), and Amazon is still shipping.

Renew your AAW Membership.

TAKE CARE George

- **Plan to Attend Club**
- Functions.
- Club Dues should be paid at or before the January meeting.
- Make an attempt to participate, and make your needs and ideas

PROGRAM

POSTPONED!

We are on the web Www.comanchetrailwoodturnes.org

BUSINESS NAME

George Hancock's Shop 1709 Clark Street Midland, Texas 10:00 A.M. Second Saturday COMANCHE TRAIL WOODTURNERS IS A PROUD CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF WOODTURNERS, SINCE AUGUST 17, 1996 (AAW). IN ADDITION IT IS ALSO A SPONSERING CLUB OF THE SOUTHWEST ASSOCTION OF WOODTURNERS, (SWAT).

SINCE ITS INCEPTION THE PURPOSE OF THE CLUB HAS BEEN TO PROMOTE WOODTURNING AND PROVIDE A VENUE WHERE THOSE HAVING A PASSION FOR TURNING AND WOODWORKING IN GENERAL CAN HAVE A PLACE TO SHARE IDEAS, HELP ONE ANOTHER, AND DEVELOP NEW SKILLS.

SERVING THE MIDLAND AND ODESSA COMMUNITIES, THE CLUB HAS GROWN OVER THE YEARS AND IS BLESSED WITH A NUMBER OF WORLD CLASS TURNERS. EACH OF THESE SKILLED INDIVIDUALS ARE MORE THAN WILLING TO SHARE THEIR KNOWLEDGE WITH LESS EXPERIENCED TURNERS, AND TO PROVIDE HANDS ON INSTRUCTION IF REQUESTED.

OUR MEMBERSHIP INCLUDES THOSE SKILLED IN PEN-MAKING, SEGMENTED WORK, BOWL TURNING, FURNI-TURE MAKING, SHARPENING AND JUST ABOUT ANYTHING THAT INVOLVES WOOD.

NEVER HESITATE TO ASK FOR HELP!

PROMOTING THE ART OF WOODTURNINGAND FELLOWSHIP





Meeting:

July Meeting Canceled

10:00 a.m.

1709 Clark St.

Midland, Texas