

BCWG April 2023 Meeting Minutes

**The April meeting was hosted by Hanns Heil at Lakeshore High School in Stevensville
26 Members, Hosts and Guests Were Present
The next meeting will be on Tuesday, May 16 at 7 PM at
Michigan Maritime Museum
260 Dyckman Ave., South Haven, MI**

The meeting was called to order by President Dennis Szymanski.

Announcements

An update to the vendor discounts available to Guild members now includes the following:

Johnson's Workbench South Bend
Klingspor
Ace Hardware St. Joseph
Fresh Decor Benton Harbor
Sherwin-Williams, 1892 Pipestone, Benton Harbor (new)
Scottsdale True Value, 4032 M-139, St. Joseph (new)

Guild members simply need to provide their names and mention that they are members of the BCWWG.

Presentation

Host Hanns Heil gave a very interesting tour of the woodworking, auto repair, welding, machining, computer and robotic shops located onsite at Lakeshore High School in Stevensville, MI. The quality and quantity of equipment available was astounding and was more typical of facilities provided for an entire county serving numerous school districts. Hanns is in charge of the woodworking facility and commented that approximately 10% of the 800 students in grades 9-12 take his courses as an elective.



Lakeshore High School Woodshop Boat Project

Show & Tell

Wayne Rendell

Wayne brought a cherry chair finished with wipe-on polyurethane.



Wayne Rendell's Cherry Chair

Louis Nordell

Louis brought a series of setup squares made from laminated baltic birch, finished with red poly.



Louis Nordell's Setup Squares

Jim Woodfin

Jim displayed a turned cherry bowl finished with brushed-on lacquer.



Jim Woodfin's Cherry Bowl

Chris White

Chris presented a pair of flag cases, one made from cherry and the other from walnut.



Chris White's Flag Display Cas

Wayne Rendell won the "Sawdust in the Hat" drawing for a \$25 Lowes gift certificate.

Regards, Lindsey Smith - Secretary