

**DALLAS AREA WOODTURNERS**  
**Christmas Party, December 1, 2006**

The 2006 DAW Christmas Party was held at the Holiday Inn Express off of Campbell on Central Expressway. The dinner was buffet style with prime rib and turkey. Jimmy Cusic's Texas State Fair winning entry was on display along with the two DAW collaborative efforts from years past. Mark Montgomery and Warren Hancock (a friend from the Plano Community Band) provided Christmas music with their Euphoniums.

Randy Rice, President, was the Master of Ceremonies and was assisted by other board members, including members of the 2007 board, and Auctioneer Larry Genender.

The women had a separate drawing for three gift certificates to area merchants.

- **Susan Cusic** won a \$50 certificate to La Madeline.
- **Doreen Younghusband** won a \$60 certificate to Chili's.
- **Joanie Genender** won a \$60 certificate to Borders.

Events included a raffle and an auction with the last event of the evening being the quarterly raffle drawing for the Jet Mini Lathe—won by **Virgil Locklair**.

**GENERAL RAFFLE ITEMS INCLUDED:**

- Ten bottles of Titebond glue and club patches.
- Fifteen gift certificates.
- Eight CA glue packets.
- Two Timberwolf bandsaw blades.
- Two "Best of Fine Woodturning" CD's

**OTHER RAFFLE ITEM WINNERS INCLUDED:**

- **Lynn Blanchard**, big leaf maple burl turning block from Curly Woods.
- **Bob Matern**, wine stopper.
- **Lynn Blanchard**, autographed Brooks Robinson baseball from Sherwin Williams.
- **Gary Nelms**, burl turning blank from Woodcraft.
- **Chuck Backer**, sand paper assortment.
- **CJ Solberg**, spindle gouge from Craft Supplies.
- **Karen Rice**, Lyle Jameison sharpening jig.
- **Pete Yavner**, toolbox.
- **CJ Solberg**, turning block.
- **Fred Groves**, turning block.
- **Bob Younghusband**, Beall buffing system donated by Jon Searles.
- **Richard Duval**, Norton sandpaper assortment.
- **Norm Shirk**, 5" buffing pads.
- **Lynn Blanchard**, Norton sandpaper assortment.
- **Paul DeMars**, Texas ebony turning blank.
- **Randy Rice**, calipers donated by Roger Smith and a toolbox light.
- **Paul DeMars**, two Bessey Clamps.

- **Randy Rice**, bowl gouge.
- **Bob Larson**, peppermill book and mechanisms.
- **Bob Larson**, dust masks donated by Randy Rice and a toolbox light.
- **Jimmy Cusic**, mesquite turning blank.
- **Lynn Blanchard**, Power Crafter High Speed Turbine Carver.
- **Bob Matern**, Barracuda chuck.

**AUCTION ITEMS**  
**Auctioneer: Larry Genender**

- Segmented bowl by Bob Larson, \$150, **Sharon Ayers**.
- Inlaid wine stopper by Bob Younghusband, \$35-**Mark Montgomery**.
- Marbled Christmas ornament by Bonnie MacDonald, \$160-**Ken Mays**.
- Ben by Bob Younghusband, \$55-**Kevin Bassett**.
- Inlaid vase by Tom Crosby, \$160-**Joanie Genender**.
- Christmas ornament by Kevin Bassett, \$85-**Clark Williams**.
- Snowman by Sharon Ayers and Bill Oliver, \$150-**Jon Searles**.
- Square Texas platter by Bob Matern, \$180-**Anita Rodgers**.
- Inlaid wine stopper by Jon Lindgren, \$60-**Lynn Blanchard**.
- Box Elder vase by Ken Rodgers, \$162.50-**Bob Matern**.
- Pear and apple by Brian Evans, \$75-**Sharon Ayers**.
- George Hatfield pepper mill, \$75-**Steve Worcester**.
- Carved/pierced vase by Kircus from Jimmie Arledge's Collection, \$180-**Bob Larson**.
- Wine stopper by Pete Yavner, \$30-**Brian Evans**.
- Christmas ornament with stand by Bill Hancock, \$45-**Bob Younghusband**.
- Mesquite bowl with lid by Dan Henry, \$110-**Clark Williams**.
- Snowman by Bill Hancock, \$61-**Bill Oliver**.
- Platter by Larry Degender, \$130-**Bob Matern**.
- Threaded & lidded box by John Solberg, \$100, **Brian Evans**.
- Segmented bowl by Jon Searles, \$75, **Sharon Ayers**.
- Bowl by Ed Heuslein, \$150, **Jimmy Cusic**.
- Pen by Chuck Long, \$40, **Bob Younghusband**.
- Bowl with slumped glass by Steve Worcester, \$185, **Ken Mays**.
- Spindle gouge from Craft Supplies, \$85, **Lynn Blanchard**.
- Bud vase by Craig Timmerman, \$60-**Chuck Backer**.
- Lidded box by George Hatfield, \$75-**Pat Arledge**.
- Plate by Paul Grindstaff, \$40-**Norm Shirk**.
- Weed pot by Clay Schoessler, \$25-**Paul DeMars**.
- Wine stopper by Pete Yavner, \$20-**Dan Henry**.
- Kaleidoscope by Paul Knox, \$241.50-**Ken Mays**.

The raffle took in \$710 and the auction provided \$3000 for a total of \$3710.

We also extend our appreciation to some of our favorite vendors who contributed merchandise or gift certificates for use in the raffle. Given their generosity, it's no surprise that the raffle also broke all records. So, when you're making out your list for Santa Claus, and then all through 2007, please keep these companies in mind and don't be bashful about mentioning your DAW affiliation when placing an order:

Beall Tool Co.	<a href="http://www.bealltool.com">www.bealltool.com</a>	800-331-4718
Bessey Tools	<a href="http://www.jamesmorton.com">www.jamesmorton.com</a>	
Blankity-Blanks	<a href="http://www.blankity-blanks.com">www.blankity-blanks.com</a>	866-744-9663
Choice Woods	<a href="http://www.choice-woods.com">www.choice-woods.com</a>	888-895-7779
CPH International	<a href="http://www.starbond.com">www.starbond.com</a>	800-900-4583
Craft Supplies	<a href="http://www.woodturnerscatalog.com">www.woodturnerscatalog.com</a>	800-551-8876
Curly Woods	<a href="http://www.curlywoods.com">www.curlywoods.com</a>	469-742-0097
Cutting Edge Tools	<a href="http://www.cuttingedgetools.com">www.cuttingedgetools.com</a>	800-790-7980
Lyle Jamieson Tools	<a href="http://www.lylejameson.com">www.lylejameson.com</a>	231-947-2348
Minwax	<a href="http://www.sherwin-williams.com">www.sherwin-williams.com</a>	
Norton	<a href="http://www.nortonabrasives.com">www.nortonabrasives.com</a>	
Penn State Industries	<a href="http://www.pennstateind.com">www.pennstateind.com</a>	800-377-7297
Powercrafter	<a href="http://www.craftingstudio.com">www.craftingstudio.com</a>	888-643-9423
Rockler	<a href="http://www.rockler.com">www.rockler.com</a>	972-613-8848
Ruth Niles	<a href="http://www.torne-lignum.com">www.torne-lignum.com</a>	717-486-5232
Suffolk Machinery	<a href="http://www.suffolkmachinery.com">www.suffolkmachinery.com</a>	800-234-7297
Shade Tree Woodcraft	<a href="http://www.shadetreecraft.com">www.shadetreecraft.com</a>	956-425-5065
Tauton Publishing	<a href="http://www.tauton.com">www.tauton.com</a>	800-888-8286
The Sanding Glove	<a href="http://www.thesandingglove.com">www.thesandingglove.com</a>	757-665-4597
Titebond Glue	<a href="http://www.franklininternational.com">www.franklininternational.com</a>	
Treeline	<a href="http://www.treelineusa.com">www.treelineusa.com</a>	800-598-2743
Unique Mesquite	<a href="http://www.uniquemesquite.com">www.uniquemesquite.com</a>	866-597-6100
Woodcraft	<a href="http://www.woodcraft.com">www.woodcraft.com</a>	972-241-0701