

NAWCC Pacific  
Northwest  
Chapter 31

**Upcoming Events**

- **Mar 15, 2009** – Monthly Meeting @ Beaverton Library
- **Mar 22 & 23, 2009** – Multi-Chapter Meeting in Connell, WA
- **May 15 – 17, 2009** – PNW Regional in Kent, WA
- **Jun 6, 2009** – Lathe Workshop @ Monarch Hotel

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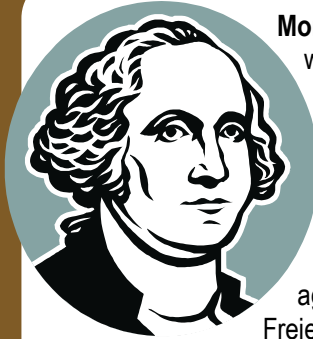
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# TIMEOUT

March , 2009

## *President's Message*



**Monthly Meeting Time:** Please note that our monthly meeting opens with the mart at 2:00 pm, and the business and program convening at 2:30 pm.

I am sorry that we missed the February meeting and lunch held at the Monarch hotel. The word received was that everyone had a good time, the buffet lunch was wonderful, and mart items changed hands. This theme is well accepted, and let us plans it again for February 2010. I would like to thank Kris and Leo Freiermuth for making arrangements with the Monarch.

**March Meeting:** Will again be at the Beaverton Library on March 15<sup>th</sup>, note times above.

**This and That:** The **June 6<sup>th</sup> 2009 Workshop** has scheduled with the Monarch so see for the registration in the TimeOut. Presented at this workshop will be shaping and sharpening cutting tools for use with the jeweler's lathe, and their use. Small metal and wood parts will be turned illustrating the use of your lathe. Now that you have your lathes cleaned and oiled, why not learn how to use them!

The Inland Empire NAWCC Chapter 53 will be holding their annual Multi-Chapter Mart and meeting on **March 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> in Connell, Washington**. The famous Saturday evening spaghetti dinner and program gets things started off, something you won't want to miss. This is a fun event with lots of good horological items being sold. For those with an RV, Coyote Run RV Park is a new park in Connell and can be contacted at toll free 877-273-9484.

Also mark your 2009 calendar with **May 15-17 for the Pacific Northwest Regional** being held at the Kent Commons in Kent, Washington. Registration form can be found in the Mart magazine that accompanies your NAWCC Bulletin.

I received e-mail from Puget Sound Chapter 50, and they will be hosting a **Multi-Chapter meeting in September**. Further details will be forthcoming when finalized by their chapter, so watch for information in upcoming TimeOut.

If you have a favorite clock or horological story to share with the chapter, please contact either Jeff Major or myself and we will help in preparing it for printing in the TimeOut, within reason of course.

Terry White  
President of Chapter 31

The regular meeting of NAWCC Chapter 31 at the Monarch Hotel was called to order at 2:30 PM by Vice President Mary Gonzales. 36 members and 2 new members, Denise Johnson & Mrs. Wenzel and guest Mr. Wenzel were in attendance.

**Approval of Minutes** - Unanimously approved.

**Treasurer's Report** - was presented by Betty Chisum.

**Sunshine Report** - Betty C. announced the passing of long time member Earl Mantifel,

**Membership Report** - John Bailey reported 90 members had renewed.

#### **New Business -**

Charles Schubert entertained we consider joining the Council of California Chapters. This group maintains a web-site of Horologic Calendar Events and would like to form a consortium of Chapters on the West Coast, so that events could be readily available to people and to avoid conflicts in dates of events. It was stated the group would change their name to reflect the change of their participants if we would official join them i.e. West Coast Council of Chapters. Several questions were asked about cost of membership and some concerns.

**Action Item:** Charles indicated he would contact the group for more details

#### **Date reminders:**

**Mar 22 & 23, 2009** - Multi-Chapter Meeting in Connell WA

**May 15 - 17, 2009** - PNW Regional in Kent, WA

**Luncheon Meetings** - Several members mentioned how nice it was to have a meal with the Chapter meeting and wondered about possibly having a lunch meeting every other month or every third (3<sup>rd</sup>) month. It was also suggested we invite Chapter 157 to join us.

**Action Item:** Kris Freiermuth will check with The Monarch about possible menus in the \$12 to \$15 range and about the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday availability.

#### **Old Business -**

**Work Shop** - A reminder there will be another Work Shop 6 June 2009 at Monarch Hotel from 1Pm to 5PM. The topic will be how to sharpen lathe tools and how to turn needed parts for clock restoration, both wooden and metal turning. Mike Robinson will facilitate this educational program. Watch the Time-Out for the registration form and further information.

**Program Chair** - David Jacobs announced there was not a program for today, however in April George Matto will present a follow-up program concerning Antikythera mechanism, which he presented in October of 2008. It was recovered from a Greek Island (somewhere between Kyttheera and Crete). The March program will be announced - pleased check the Time-Out for information.

Details of coming events and programs will be in the Time-Out publication.

Meeting was adjourned at 4PM.

**NEXT MEETING: SUNDAY 15<sup>th</sup> of March at the Beaverton Library**

\*\*\*\*\* *From the Program Chair — Dave Jacobs* \*\*\*\*\*

The Program for the March 15th Meeting will be a video presentation about the Seth Thomas Clock Company.

After a brief biography, Ralph Pokluda chronicles the working life of Seth Thomas and the company he founded. He discusses Seth's founding of the company and the development of the product line, both movement and case design. Most importantly, Ralph goes into detail on the business philosophy that made the company one of the most successful and enduring in the history of American industry.

This Video is 44 minutes in length and you are welcome to bring a Seth Thomas clock or other item to share with the membership.



## UPCOMING LATHE WORKSHOP

Saturday June 6<sup>th</sup>, 2009

1: 00 to 5:00 pm

at Monarch Hotel, Clackamas, Oregon

Presenter: Mike Robinson

### Agenda

- How to shape and sharpen cutting tools for use with the jewelers lathe
- How to make small metal parts on the lathe
- How to make wooden items on the lathe

▶ NOTE: ◀ If you are shopping for jewelers lathe and accessories, there will be some for sale at this workshop!

Pre-Registration is required so we know how many chairs will be needed.

*Please reserve me a chair at the June 6<sup>th</sup> Horology Workshop*

Fill out and send to: Terry White, 9480 S. Gribble Rd, Canby, OR 97013 (ph 503.263.8357 )  
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Our Inland Empire NAWCC Chapter 53 would like to invite you to our Multi-Chapter Mart and meeting to be held on March 21 and 22 in Connell, Washington.

Saturday evening, we will have a Spaghetti dinner and program. Have a pocket watch that needs a fresh nice Silver case? Easy to solve - Make One! Very easy!, see it done at our Saturday evening program.

The Mart will be Sunday at 9:30 AM followed by a Catered dinner and program.  
Registration details are attached, and are also posted on the internet at:

<http://daa3.clearwire.net/Connell.doc> - All registrations are mail-in as detailed on the registration sheet.

Also, All NAWCC members are invited to any of our Chapter 53 activities.

Please visit our web page at: <http://daa3.clearwire.net/NAWCC53/>

Watch for future activities that fit your schedule. Thanks - hope you will be able to attend

## 2009 NAWCC Pacific Northwest Multi-Chapter Meeting March 21 & 22, 2009

Connell Community Center, 211 E Elm St, Connell, WA

**Saturday, March 21, Dinner at 6:00 pm — Registration opens at 5:00 pm**

We will be serving a home-cooked spaghetti dinner with salad, bread and dessert (we'll have one pan of meatless sauce). There will be a program after dinner.

**Sunday, March 22 — Set-up & Mart opens at 9:30 am — Buffet at 12:00 noon**

We will have a catered dinner with roast beef, ham, salad bar, etc. and dessert. We'll have the "Free Table" today. Bring anything horologically related that you would like to set free—someone else will love to take it home! This is always a lot of fun, so be sure to bring lots.

**Motels in the area**

M & M Motel	S Columbia, Connell	509-234-8811, 800-353-9981
Tumbleweed Motel	433 S Columbia, Connell	509-234-2081
Connell Park Estates	200 W Hawthorne, Connell	509-234-1332-RV parking with hookups

Motels are also available in Pasco, Kennewick, Richland

**We don't charge for the mart tables, however, if you claim a mart table, you will be expected to pay for Sunday's lunch. Also, you may be asked to share a table if demand necessitates.**

Reservations and advance payment for Saturday and Sunday must be RECEIVED by Monday, March 16. Make checks payable to NAWCC Chapter #53 and mail to Larry Pearson, 2292 Granite Dr, Walla Walla WA 99362. If you have questions or if you can help in set-up, cooking, or cleanup on Saturday and/or Sunday, please contact Larry & Betty Pearson 509-529-8869 or [rainbow@bmi.net](mailto:rainbow@bmi.net)

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Saturday Meal # ----- @ \$8.50 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Sunday Meal # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$17.50 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Sunday mart tables needed:

½ table \_\_\_\_\_

1 table \_\_\_\_\_





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