

# WOODWORKERS



## of Southwest Michigan

<http://www.woodguild.org> March 2018

### Next meeting:

March 13, 2017 @ 7:00pm

**Al Collison's Shop at  
10292 Douglas Ave.**

Take Douglas North to Cooper, it is 2 ½ miles North of Cooper, on the right (East) side. Or you can take 131 to D ave East to Douglas and turn left, (North). Al will have an orange cone and flashing light out to get your attention.

**Agenda:** Dale Smith: This month's program will be a presentation on the scroll saw and all the different types of woodwork projects this versatile tool allows you to do. Our presenter will be Dale Smith, from the Grand Rapids Woodcraft Store. Dale also has his own Dale's Woodworking Business, and teaches several different classes for Woodcraft on week-ends.

The February meeting was held at the Kalamazoo Makers Guild. I was not able to attend. I am not aware of any meeting notes captured by members in attendance. - Newsletter Editor

From the Woodguild e-mail box:

Please allow me to introduce myself: my name is Tim Liby, and I am the new owner of **RSL Hardwoods** (previously *Handley's Hardwoods*). Although I have lived in the Kalamazoo area for the last 15 years, I hail from Indiana where I learned the art of woodworking from my father (who my business is named after). The values he brought to his business are the ones I desire to bring to mine: customer-focus, consistency and quality.

I am also the owner of RSL Custom Furnishings, and as a furniture-maker, I understand the value in acquiring the right, high-quality wood for your project. That is why I am committed to providing quality, kiln-dried hardwoods and live-edge slabs.

In this time of transition, I will be offering services by appointment only. However, in the near future, I will be offering full and regular business hours. You are free to reach out to me by phone or email at any time. I look forward to meeting you and helping you find the lumber you need for your next project – big or small. In fact, I am so excited to meet you, that I am offering 10% off your first purchase with me. Just mention this email when you come in and you will get 10% off of your first purchase of 100+ bd. ft. Hurry, though, because this offer expires one month from today (March 19, 2018).

***Have a great day!***

Thanks,

**Tim Liby, RSL Hardwoods**  
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I have two canoe paddles that need to be touched up, varnished, and recoated with protective polyurethane (or whatever that protective substance is) on the blade tip. Can you refer me to a woodworker who might be able to do that project for me? Thank you.

Please get in touch with Scott McDavid or Mike Cline if you are interested in helping this individual with his canoe paddles.

## Woodworkers Guild of S.W. Michigan

7572 S. 10th St  
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The Woodworks Guild of South West Michigan is a group of hobbyist and professional woodworkers of diverse woodworking interests that meet monthly to share knowledge and craftsmanship skills that serve the many facets of woodworking.

Meetings are held second Tuesday of each month from September through May. Meeting time is 7:00pm at a local shop or location of interest.

Annual member ship dues are \$25/year.

Find us on the web at [www.woodguild.org](http://www.woodguild.org)



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