

August 2, 2021

Hello Everyone,

Hoping this email finds everyone enjoying their summer so far. Seems the weather is keeping us on our toes trying to decide if we need shorts or pants, a t-shirt or a sweater, a sun hat or an umbrella. We seem to have had it all and in just a few short weeks.

I know many people are now getting out and about, especially since it appears many have been double vaccinated. I've seen on Facebook & Instagram that some people are starting to teach woodturning & woodworking again in their shops; this seems hopeful and is great to see. Unfortunately with my conversations with Dunbarton High School, it is a waiting game – they still see all permits as cancelled and will advise when they feel it may be appropriate to allow permits for use of classrooms to be issued again. I will keep everyone informed.

William Wood-Write is looking to support local clubs and after a little persuasion, they have given us an email code – originally it was an old fashioned mail in coupon ☺

WGO members can use the code WOODWRITE10 at checkout; you have to be logged into your profile while checking out. This discount applies to the subtotal before tax and shipping. This offer can only be used once per customer, on any purchases made before August 15th of 2021. Happy Turning!

We are still collecting bead bowls for Sick Kids as well as wig stands, although we have learned recently that the Odette Centre has been unable to give away any wig stands due to the Covid situation so they have a few extras. We all know they will go through those quite quickly – so please keep turning!

If anyone attended the AAW virtual symposium, I would love to hear from you. Let us know how it was, if there were any great take-aways from it. I had attended last year and due to time restraints, I was unable to do so this year, although I do know that if you purchased a seat you were able to re-watch the entire symposium at your leisure.

If you did attend and are able to write a short synopsis that we could share with the membership, this would be great.

I think that's all for now; if anyone is in the Stouffville/Uxbridge area please think about stopping by for a visit. It is always nice to see a smiling face ☺

And for all you guys that are out there golfing....



"Golf's pretty easy. You just hit the ball, then lean to the side and say 'FORE!'"