

NEWSLETTER - JUNE 2023

Next Meeting: Saturday, June 10th

9 am - Mart, Silent Auction, and Social Hour 10 am - Business Meeting, Show and Tell, and Educational Presentation

> Fountain Hills Community Center 13001 N La Montana Drive Fountain Hills, AZ (480) 816-5200

Remember to bring some items for our Mini Mart, Show and Tell and Silent Auction

President's Message

It's June already - and the temperatures here on "the surface of the sun" are heating up! I plan to bring more clock & watch "stuff" (donated by Alpine Clocks and The Clock Doctor) to the meeting for sale. 100% of the proceeds will go directly to the Chapter. Please plan to attend and buy some goodies which will help the chapter financially! I don't want to haul anything home again!

Of utmost importance at this month's meeting is determining if we will have enough volunteers to pull off a successful March regional in 2024. The decision will be made at our June meeting. **YOU** will decide if we will hold a regional in 2024...... or not! Yes, it is entirely up to you! We still need volunteers to fill open positions. A few positions are filled, but more members need to step up and volunteer their time and talents. We will need a total workforce of around 24 people to fill all of the openings. With that number of volunteers, no one will be burdened with the total responsibility for a task, as each function would be shared.

We must get this resolved in June - - - - or we will cancel all of our 2024 Regional plans and commitments.

I hope you will join us at our June meeting. Don't forget to bring some items for the show and tell and silent auction. Free coffee and donuts are available,..... and your donation to help defray the cost is always welcome. As usual, you're invited to join us for lunch and good conversation at Phil's Filling Station following the meeting.

See you there,

Jim Powell. President

Educational Presentation

Tools of the Trade

by Jim Powell

Jim will present an in-depth, hands-on technical program covering the various "TOOLS of the TRADE" that many of us use in our hobby to make and repair items. Jim will cover a variety of watch and clock repair tools, wood and metal working tools, and measuring/layout tools. You may be familiar with some of them, but others you might not! This will not be a computerized or PowerPoint presentation, as Jim likes to visit extemporaneously & interact with the audience about the items displayed on the tables. So, please plan on attending and examining a portion of his massive tool collection, both antique and modern. It's somewhat like having a museum come to you!

The photo below is a lathe tool post. Below that is a ball-turning lathe attachment.





2023 Dues are Due!

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Save These Dates For 2023

July 8
August 12
September 9
October 14
November 18
December 9 Holiday Evening Dinner
and Gift Exchange

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