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**JO JOSEPHINE MARTINEZ, BELOVED WIFE OF FIFTY FOUR YEARS TO MIKE MARTINEZ PASSED AWAY ON 1/27/2011**

**The members of the WOODWORKERS OF WHITTIER give our sincerest condolences to MIKE and his family. Services are pending and will be announced.**

**MEETING NOTES**

**The February Meeting will be on Thursday, 10<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 pm at Adventure Park, 10130 Gunn Ave.**

**ACCIDENT PREVENTION in home shops is the program. Discussion subjects may of include your techniques and methods of ensuring safety, jigs and fixtures, attitudes, and OSHA.**

**It is important to be involved if we hope to prevent losses to our members and families.**

**Dues, Dues, Dues**

**Thirty six members have paid their dues and thirteen have not. Pay your dues to Mike Scott.**

**JOE CARRILLO**

**Will outline his duties he wishes to retire from. The duties revolve around the block painting at the Uptown Senior**

**Center. This is a small portion of all the work Joe does but, are more physical and he is not able to continue them. With a complete understanding of what is needed we should find 3 or 4 individuals willing to step up so we can continue providing the 10,000 to 14,00 building blocks to the children.**

**Hathaway Ranch**

**We have Oak hand rails cut into 7' lengths available at Hathaway Ranch.**

There is also a great deal of **FREE** firewood available.

### **Standup members RON HOLTZ and JIM SPARLING**

have revamped the dust collection system at Hathaway Ranch block production site. All sanding stations are now dust reduced to acceptable levels, and every one is happier. A GREAT WELL DONE IS IN ORDER. Thank you.

**Joe Carrillo** has requested 4 more individuals to sand at Hathaway. They are needed to cover absenteeism on Mondays 9:00 am to noon. Coffee break and good conversation included. And a brand new dust collection system.

### **Steering Committee**

The Steering Committee meets on the Tuesday after the club regular meeting at the Whittier Senior Center at 13225 Walnut Ave. Starts at 7:00pm and is over at 8:00pm. The next meeting is Tuesday, February 15<sup>th</sup>.

**All members are invited to attend these meetings. The only requirement is paid membership.**

Items for discussion are guidelines for woodworker of the year honors submitted by **DAVE REID** and a continuing talk about more or less popular toys, getting feedback from the ending distributors.

### **SHOW 'N TELL**

**Show and Tell** is an important function of our meetings. It is an opportunity to learn new methods, new woods, new finishes and new projects.

Everyone is encouraged to bring a project for show and tell. It is an opportunity to share your expertise.

### **Email *Pushstick* Subscription**

We are still trying get as many club members as possible on Pushstick email. It saves the club money and time to email the Pushstick. It also allows bulletins to be delivered in a timely manner.

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Thank You, Bill, Julie and Harold

**Do you have an accident prevention program  
or are you just lucky, well punk do you?**