

EVERGREEN WOODWORKERS GUILD

2x4 Challenge

2011 ENTRY FORM

Rules and regulations on additional pages
Use one form for each entry.

Name:

Contact Telephone No:

Type of Article:

Type of Wood:

Board feet this entry

ENTRY CATEGORIES:

BASIC 2X4

TURNING

[SELECT ONLY 1]

WHIMSICAL

UNLIMITED

QUICKIE PROJ.

Built in less than 6 hours?

Yes

No

Entering for “ **BEST USE OF A
2 x 4?**” [see rules]

Yes

No

First-Time Entry

Yes

No

[check all appropriate]

Exhibition and judging will be held
Monday, March 14, 2011 at 7:00PM
Edgewood Community Church
1720 Meridian Avenue East
Edgewood, WA

(Just north of the Grange Hall at 18th and Meridian)
For more information go to <http://www.ewwg.org>

2 X 4 CHALLENGE 2011

RULES

for the
Evergreen Woodworkers Guild

GENERAL RULES

MATERIALS

1. All project entries must use wood as the principal material.
2. Each entry may use no more than 5.333 board feet of a single wood or collection of different woods.
3. The contestant may create as many finished pieces as possible from this material, but they will be judged as one entry.
4. If you are entering the "**BUILT IN LESS THAN 6 HOURS**" category, you must mark that on your entry form.
5. All entries are eligible for the "**BEST USE OF A 2 X 4**" category, but you must mark your entry form to enter.
6. All entries will automatically be considered for "**MOST EFFECTIVE USE OF WOOD**"

PRESENTATION AND CONTEST ENTRY

An individual may enter the contest multiple times.

All entries must be brought to the meeting location between 6:00 and 7:00 PM on the date of the contest.

A completed entry form is required for each entry.

Entry forms can be completed online or downloaded and will be available at the meeting.

Each participant will be allowed up to 3 minutes to present his or her entry, describing the project and answering any questions brought up by the group. Because of the time limit, keep your remarks to things that are pertinent to the design or construction of the entry.

After the presentation of all the entries, there will be an opportunity for members to examine each entry prior to voting for their selections.

JUDGING

Judges for this program are those EWWG members present at the meeting.

Members will vote on Best Overall Project in each of the CATEGORIES looking at craftsmanship, entertainment value, fit and finish, function, etc.

Criteria for judging all entries will include: Originality, creativity, imagination, design, joinery, construction, and finish.

They will vote on which entry exhibits the **Most Effective Use of Wood** (best incorporates the wood's unique characteristics). All entries are eligible for this award.

Of the entries that are designated as "**Built in less than 6 hours**", members will vote on which is best.

Of the entries that entered for "**Best Use of 2x4**", the one with the least amount of leftover material wins.

Categories & Judging Criteria

Basic 2 x 4 [BARE BONES]

Use a single standard lumberyard 2"x4"x8' and nothing else. The contestant may create as many finished pieces as possible from this material. All pieces must be submitted as one entry!!

WHIMSICAL

This category includes toys, mechanical or items with moving parts, or any flight of fancy using no more than 5.333 board feet of any wood or mix of woods, plus other materials or hardware necessary for construction.

QUICKIE CATEGORY – START TO FINISH IN 6 HOURS OR LESS

Material to be used can be any assortment of woods, not exceeding a total of 5.333 board feet, the equivalent of a standard lumberyard 2x4. Other materials may also be used, provided they are NOT the dominant material in the construction.

TURNING

A lathe turned project or suite of items using no more than 5.333 board feet of any wood or mix of woods.

UNLIMITED CATEGORY

Material to be used can be any assortment of woods, not exceeding a total of 5.333 board feet, the equivalent of a standard lumberyard 2x4. Other materials may also be used, provided they are NOT the dominant material in the construction.

MOST EFFECTIVE USE OF WOOD

All entries are **automatically** considered for this category. This category evaluates if the unique characteristics of the wood used in the project, such as grain, knots, texture, coloration, etc., were incorporated to the greatest advantage.

MOST EFFICIENT USE OF MATERIAL

Entries are evaluated based on the total amount of unused material and waste. The entry with the least waste and unused material will claim this title. Bring photos of the raw wood, your cutting diagrams, and all your waste material to be judged.

AWARDS

The following awards will be presented:

AWARD FOR	PRIZE
Best Basic 2x4 Project Entry	1st Place
Best Turning Entry	1st Place
Most Whimsical Project Entry	1st Place
Best Unlimited Project Entry	1st Place
BEST QUICKIE PROJECT	1st Place
Most Effective Use of Wood Best incorporates the grain, color, knots, texture, etc of the wood into the project.	1st Place
Most efficient Use of Material OPEN TO ALL ENTRIES, THIS PROJECT WILL DEMONSTRATE THE MOST EFFICIENT USE OF MATERIALS SELECTED, RESULTING IN THE LEAST WASTE. Bring all scraps leftover in a clear plastic bag with your project. You must have started with a full 2x4 or 5.333 board feet of lumber – show photo.	1st Place

All participants will receive a document certifying their entry in the annual contest.