

August 20th Shop Meeting!



There were 15 members met at Bill Cowan's shop for this month's shop meet. We had good refreshments and a great time together.

John Slezak demonstrated the StopSaw that bill has in his shop. This saw stops when it detects a non-wood object such as a finger or hand. The demonstration took place with a hotdog. After the blade stopped and dropped out of sight, the hotdog was examined by everyone and we could not find a mark where the blade touched it.



This is the Brake that stops the blade.



This shows the brake after it has engaged with the blade. The brake and the blade are both sacrificed and must be replaced but the finger is still intact.



Florida State Fair

The Florida State Fair is coming February 7 - 18, 2008.
Register before mid Dec.