

Matt Boast on Chainsaws and SL Hardwoods on their products - 20th August 2003

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Matt Boast talked us through the safety procedures for using a chain saw. Covering Clothing from Head to Toe and safe ways to cut and hold a saw.

He finished up with a graphical low down on how a chain works with some giant links that really showed clearly.

Later on at a small table he demonstrated methods for stripping down a saw and explained the best ways to maintain it and keep it safe.



After Matt's engrossing talk we had an extended coffee break and members had a chance to quiz Matt in more detail.

There was also a lathe set up for people to have a play on and Tim did a quick demo on bowl production (under the watch full eye of newsletter editor Roger Marsden.)

During this time members had the opportunity to study and vote on the entries for the "Frank Clarke Memorial awards"



Roy and Sean from South London Hardwoods in Croydon gave us the run down on their product range for more details check out their web site at www.slhardwoods.co.uk/