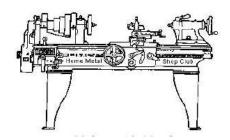


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**Statement of Purpose:** Membership is open to all those interested in machining metal and tinkering with machines. The club provides a forum for the exchanging of ideas and information. This includes, to a large degree, education in the art of machine tools and practices. Our web site endeavors to bring into the public domain written information that the hobbyist can understand and use. This makes an organization such as this even more important. -- Founder - John Korman (deceased)

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#### **Next Meeting February 10, 2007**

To be announced.

# Minutes of the January 13, 2007 Meeting by Dennis Cranston

#### **Business Meeting**

The business meeting was held at Lyndons BBQ prior to the regular meeting. No business was discussed.

#### **General Meeting**

26 Members attending. John Hoff, president, presiding.

Doug Cartier led a discussion on how to move a large mill by one person. He built a fixture to tilt a large CNC mill in order to transport and get it under his garage door.

Dennis Cranston led a discussion about the problems and quality differences between purchasing a used domestic and new offshore produced machine tool. Show & Tell:

John Hendrickson showed the finished four cylinder marine steam engine that he built.



Joe Scott showed a unique cut-off tool holder that he found. He was unable to figure out how to adjust the blade.



Rich Pichler showed the battery operated Crescent wrench that he got for Christmas. He also showed a chain metal meat cutters glove that he bought after cutting his hand while removing the wax gasket under a toilet





John Hoff showed the brass boxes that he is able to draw in a die that he recently built.

