

# BAY AREA WOODWORKERS ASSOCIATION

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## July Meeting

**Program**  
*John Kassay*  
Windsor Furniture

**When**  
Thursday  
July 21, 1994  
at 7:30 PM

**Where**  
Mainliner Club

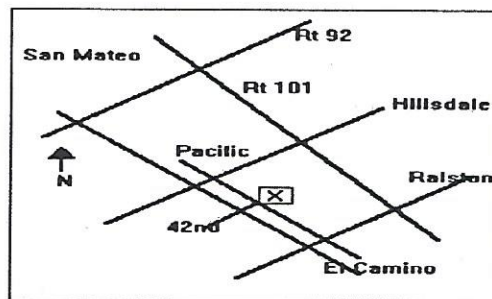
## Our Next Meeting - July 21!

by Bill Henzel

**T**his month our meeting will be held at the Mainliner Club in San Mateo and will feature John Kassay. Who is John Kassay? His title is Professor Emeritus, San Francisco State University (that means he has been there a long time and highly regarded for his expertise), and he taught the finer points of woodworking at the University. Dr. Kassay is a member of various clubs in and out of California. Some of them include Early American Industries Association, American Decorative Arts Forum of Northern California, and Peninsula Woodworker's Association. He is the author of a number of books, the one on Shaker furniture is excellent. He is currently putting the finishing touches on a similar book which will probably be titled, Styles and Technologies of American Windsor Furniture.

Dr. Kassay will probably discuss the American Windsor Chair from 1720 to 1994, which was the subject of a recent lecture at the California College of Arts and Crafts Wood Studio and the South Bay Woodworkers Association.

Come to this meeting and hear a truly inspiring professional woodworker!



### DIRECTIONS

Mainliner Club  
42nd Avenue, San Mateo

## Messages From Anne

**New Members:** We have the pleasure of having two new members this month. Please welcome David Biesel and F.A.Houck (all types of woodworking).

**Board Meetings:** This month's Board meeting will be prior to the club meeting at the Mainliner, and will begin at 6PM. If you wish to come early and participate, you are welcome.



**Club Notes - Leadership Needs:** We have reached a point where new leadership is needed in the club in order to keep it going into next year and beyond. Come to the Board meeting with your ideas, or bring it up during the regular session. We know some of you would like to see things change and want to make a difference. Please let us know.

Too often we take the running of a club we belong to for granted. When that happens, and those that contribute perceive this, they begin to wonder why they are spending their precious time to volunteer. Most of us who contribute to this club do so because we want professional and recreational woodworking to continue in our area and to be associated with others who also want the same ideals.

Your responsibility is to talk to us, let us know we are doing a good job, not so good, or what ever. Thank us for putting on good meetings, setting up good tours, making good suggestions on what we can do to keep interest and volunteering to take on that project.

Most of us who volunteer want to be appreciated, and when we are not, we start thinking about how nice it would be to be in a smaller group composed of active members. As they say, "The ball is now in your court." Make us believers. Contribute!!