



## **DAPN Minutes**

12-9-15

### **Participants**

<b>Tom Robbins</b>	<b>Jim Krause</b>	<b>Benjamin Rigg</b>
<b>Paul Anslow</b>	<b>Matt Byanski</b>	<b>Kevin Rose</b>
<b>Don Neff</b>	<b>Richard Nuess</b>	<b>John Elking</b>
<b>Jay Van Houten</b>	<b>Peter Haigh</b>	<b>Jim Stamper</b>
<b>Gaelan Smith</b>		

### **Announcements:**

**We will still be meeting next week December 16<sup>th</sup> & December 23<sup>rd</sup>. There will be no meeting on December 30<sup>th</sup>.**

**We will be donating next week and the 23<sup>rd</sup> for a monetary gift to give to our waitress at our last meeting of the year.**

**Don Neff will be presenting our showcase on the 16<sup>th</sup>. And Richard Nuess will be our showcase presenter on the 23<sup>rd</sup>.**

**This week's showcase was Jim Krause of All American Sheet Metal Fabricators. Jim gave us a little history of how he got started and some of the work he has done and does today.**

- He told us sheet metal work is pretty much all he has done**
- Jim learned his sheet metal trade at Patterson Co-Op in downtown Dayton**
- His first job was at Barker Furnace Company**
- He then spent 4 years working at GM as an apprentice**
- Jim was then drafted into the marines-which he decided wasn't for him so he signed up with the Air Force**
- In the Air Force Jim work in the sheet metal field perfecting his trade even more**

**-After the Air Force he went to RETS and learned heating and air conditioning  
-At RETS he was asked to teach sheet metal work which he did for 2 years  
-After RETS Jim went back to GM for a while-finally in 1990 he started All American Sheeting which of course runs today**

**Just a few of the items Jim has made include:**

**-tool boxes            -truck beds            -bird cages            -window sills  
-counter tops        -fireplaces            -copper tables        -work benches/tables  
-and of course chimney crowns**

**Jim finished up by saying, pretty much anything you need made out of metal he can help you with-Thanks Jim**

**We had approximately 11 or so leads today-Good Job**

**Before we wrapped up-Don Neff and the Christmas committee handed out several award from the Christmas party. Pretty cool Don-Thanks**