

Richmond Woodturners

Newsletter



<u>Next Meeting.</u>

@Woodcraft, old Circuit City
Plaza, 9862 West Broad St (Rt.
250W), Richmond, on the third
Thursday of every month ,
6:30PM. Refreshments provided.

September 16

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Program Schedule:

Sept: Suction Lidded Box Oct: Inlaid Ornament Nov:Small Tool Making

<u>Challenge Schedule:</u> Sept: Be Creative

Oct: Suction Lidded Box Nov: Inlaid Ornament

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September 2010

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DEMO: What Can You Do With a 6X6 Block of Wet Pecan?

The month before people received 6X6 blocks to turn things other than bowls. They were told to be creative. Also during the demo a few brave souls turned blocks as numerous eyes watched. Below is a sampling of the finished blocks. Sorry if I missed anyone.



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Shows Coming Out Of VA:

September 24-Jan 30, 2011, "A Revolution in Wood" Smithsonian American Art Museum, DC

Nov 11-14, 2nd Segmenting Symposium, Arrowmont School, Gatlinburg, TN.

Jan28-29, TN 23rd Annual Symposium. Nashville.

June 2011, AAW Symposium Saint Paul, Mn

Shows Coming In VA:

Sept 18, Club Picnic, Reedsville

Oct 9-11, John Jordan, Richmond Woodcraft

Oct 23-24, VA Symposium, Fishersville

Safety First,

Breath Clean Air



[Demo:from page1]



Picnic online registration. We need a head count for Sid to buy enough meat. Sept 18 12-4. *Betsy*, *I would like to add*

Meeting Vibrations

something regarding the picnic in Sept. Each member will receive an email where they will indicate if they will attend the picnic. We need an accurate count to ensure the right amount of food will be available. In that email they will be able to choose a menu item to bring. As items are chosen they will be eliminated from the list. Jerry

Ed wood has free green holly;

Jim B- VA Turners Symposium Oct 23-24. See flyer

Chesterfield County Fair in August See photos.

Our club is bringing John Jordan to Richmond for three days - October 9, 10, and 11. Saturday October 9th will be an all day demonstration by Mr. Jordan. For anyone unfamiliar with Mr. Jordan, his website: http://www.stubbylathe.com/. We will have room for 60 people to sign up for the day long demo. Sunday and Monday, October 10th and 11th, will be two days of hands on woodturning with Mr. Jordan at the Visual Arts Center in Richmond(Main Street). Each day requires separate registration and the sessions are limited to 6 people per day. NOTE: Participation for these sessions will be on a first come, first served basis. Mr. Jordan also requested that participants in these hands on sessions NOT be beginner wood turners. Attending the day long demo will be \$20.00 per person and participation in one of the hands on sessions will be ~ \$150.00. Your cost will be based on the actual costs each day. That should put it at approximately \$150.00 If you want to sign up for any of these activities and have not done so yet, please let me know and I will add your name to the list. Space is limited. Thanks Don Hart

Sept 2010 Richmond Woodturners' Newsletter Page 3 SHOW & TELL Things: Hollow vessels, pepper mill, natural edge bowl, bread, big

bowl

Wood: maple, ash, mulberry, black ash, holly, cherry, oak, camphor, glue-lam, walnut, cocobolo, box elder, cedar



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Officers for 2010

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Visitors / New Members:

Please welcome the following 1st time visitors

Andrew Clough, Steve Korb,

Glenn McCullough,

Bill Sampson,

Bill Walters,

Sharon and Jonathon Shaw (mother and son)

AAW News

AAW in the latest journal admits to having growing pains. Going from a "mom & pop" all –volunteer-lead organization to an executive director led membership of over 13,000 will ruffle a few feathers. The questionnaires from last fall were part of an information gathering session for these changes. Although nothing was said about the past brew-ha, the article did want to bring the "disengaged" back into the "fold". The new candidates for the Board are listed (one from DC) and voting time is close. If you're like me, you don't bother, but this time I might make my choices known. Betsy **Dues:** \$25 individual, \$35 family & \$15 student. Member applications are available upon request at meetings or via email.

Library: Contact the club librarian to borrow tapes and other publications related to woodturning for only \$2 per month. Loose it and you bought it

Newsletter Entries: If you have tips, news, "For Sale" or a newsletter entry (250 words max and no embedded photos; send photos separately as attachments) please send it to the Editor_for publication in a future newsletter. Must be received by *7th of each month* to make the most current newsletter.

Website: <u>www.richmondwoodturners.org</u> Updated regularly and contains links to other VA clubs.

AAW Membership: Dues are \$48 per year. For this, you receive 6 issues of "The American Woodturner" (a \$30+value), a great resource directory (over 450 pages), a huge annual symposium, personal grant opportunities, third party liability protection, and much more. If you are the least bit serious about woodturning, you can't afford to miss out on all this.

President's News

Chesterfield County Fair event: lead by Jim Ellis and joined by Jim Bumpass, Ray Deyo, Don Hart, Shana Williams, Dan Luttrell, Jack Hayes, and Lee Scarbrough, drew a steady stream of curious onlookers of all ages. We saw many attendees from previous years. Overall it was a great event and a wonderful venue for introducing people to our art of woodturning.

John Jordan: sign-ups have been slow. We need support to be able to continue to bring you well-known demonstrators in the future, so please review your calendar for Saturday October 9th for his demonstration and the 10th & 11th for hands-on classes. We especially need to fill up the hands-on classes to show our support for the Visual Arts Center. It would be very difficult to have 6 large lathes at Woodcraft for classes.

Picnic: we have about 35 attendees. Thanks to Cindy and Jerry for promoting this event.

Tim Yoder's woodturners workshop has returned to WCVW at 1pm Fridays

Thanks, Lee

Stamp

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FOR SALE, BUY, or TRADE

Ray Deyo offers a 10% discount on non-power tools and supplies on meeting nights at Woodcraft for members only. Another very good reason to join us every month!

FOR SALE:

Betsy, in your newsletter article about vacuum chucking (Andy did a very nice job!), you referenced the Beall thread cutters stating their cost was \$45. Actually, they are much less. Because these have a variety of uses (I make all my jam-chucks with them), it's important for your readers to know the actual cost to them. *Including the club discount, the actual cost would be 33MM - \$24.29; 1¹/4" X 8TPI -\$24.29; 1" X 8TPI - \$16.19.*

There are other sizes available, but these are the most common.

Thanks. Ray Deyo

"It's Your Turn 2"

AAW Chapter Woodturning Clubs of Virginia, & West Virginia, Host the 2010 Woodturning Symposium

"A multi-station, hands-on woodturning experience"

October 23 & 24, 2010

The 2010 "It's your turn 2" Woodturning Symposium continues to lead the way in regional woodturning symposiums. It is your chance to step up to the lathe and have a mentor guide you as you do the turning! Information online @ www.virginiawoodturners.com

Pre-Register on line and receive a \$5.00 per day discount! www.virginiawoodturners.com

Win a \$50 gift certificate. We will give away 4 -\$50 gift certificates good at any of the vendors present at the 2010 symposium. Sign up now!

Look for our "Tomorrow's Turners", youth corner. Kids admitted *free* to the Symposium and have a special section just for them. Expert instruction, *you* will turn 4 projects to take home, just plain fun!

Info At 540-774-4152, or visit our website

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