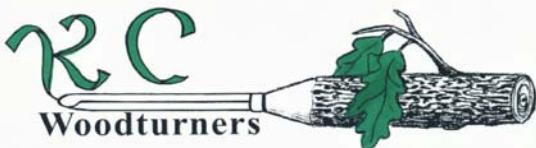


Wood Chips

May your tools be sharp and your chips fly high



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Some Chips

Well, lets see. During the December club meeting it seemed people wanted a speech - a statement of purpose. So, here it goes....

Anytime an idea or opportunity comes up for club business or operation, I suggest that we run it through a digital decision tree. Think of it as a marble dropped into a pachinko machine (a Japanese pinball machine). The marble is dropped into the top of the machine and it hits the first peg. The first peg is a question, "Does this marble (idea or opportunity) promote woodturning in our club?" If the answer is yes, then the marble falls to the right side. If no, then it falls to the left.

The marbles which fall to the left come to another peg. This peg asks the question, "Does this marble have to do with promoting fellowship in our club?" If the answer is yes, then the marble falls to the right. No, to the left.

Marbles which fall to the left come to one last peg. This peg asks the question, "Does this have to do with getting our members fed?" If the answer is yes, then it falls to the right. No, to the left.

This is the bottom of the decision tree. Anything which comes to rest on the right lands in a box labeled, "Consider this with favor." Anything which comes to rest on the left lands in box labeled, "Probably not."

Having described this system, it is still only a guideline. There will be instances on both sides which require careful consideration.

True, a rug to wipe one's feet may not directly advance woodturning at our club, but we don't want people slipping and sliding in wet weather. On the other hand, while it uses up time that might otherwise be used turning, we must request that all demonstrators wear cloths as it is the considered opinion of the new board that turning naked can be disagreeable to the membership.

Anthony

Featured Turner

Our featured turner for the start of the New Year 2007 is Frank Novich. Frank will be turning tulips. Frank will be using green hedge and bring several different types of tulips as examples. If he gives one person an idea that they haven't seen before, then he will have accomplished his goal. Let's give a warm welcome to Frank.



New Members

Gary Lewis
David Angelo

Mike Cottengin

Annual Dues—2007

\$20—Cash or make a check out to KC Woodturners and give to the Treasurer (Kevin). You will then receive a new name tag with a bar code, which allows a member to check out videos and books from our library. Please provide Kevin with an e-mail address if possible. This helps reduce the club's mailing costs.

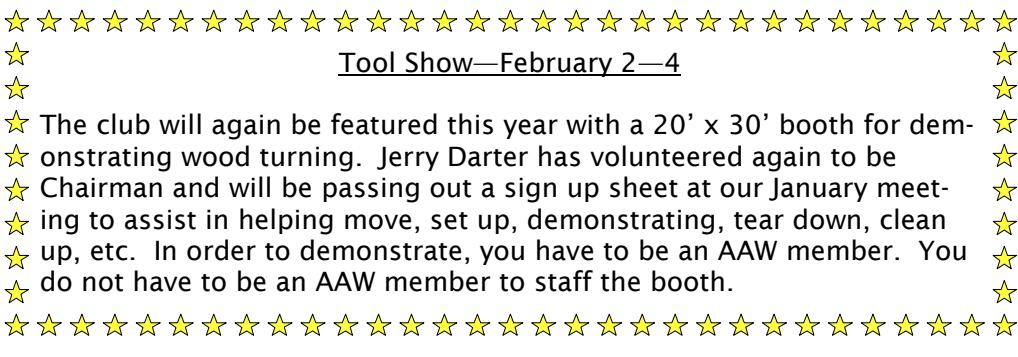
Club Events

Events held in basement of McCray Lumber off I-35 on 67th Street in Merriam Kansas entrance on west side of building

Jan 8—Regular Meeting—7:00 p.m.

Jan 13—Learn to Turn—8:30 a.m.—Noon—Any interest in turning during a week night? Some club members can't make it on Saturday's. Let Don Grimes know.

Jan 27—Learn to Turn—8:30 a.m.—Noon—Open lathe—this time is used for problem solving, questions and answers.



Tool Show—February 2–4

The club will again be featured this year with a 20' x 30' booth for demonstrating wood turning. Jerry Darter has volunteered again to be Chairman and will be passing out a sign up sheet at our January meeting to assist in helping move, set up, demonstrating, tear down, clean up, etc. In order to demonstrate, you have to be an AAW member. You do not have to be an AAW member to staff the booth.



The Future of KCWT and the AAW

Back Row—Alex Siskey, Karen Schneck, Reegan Park, Micah Montgomery, Kota Gottfried

Front Row—Quinton Schneck, Eli Schneck, Ian Schneck, Julie Bywater

Chew on this



The real value of an idea is using it.

THANK YOU!!!!

I want to thank the big folks who worked with the little folks at December's "A Saturday Just for Kids". The big folks had a good time in helping the little folks have fun and we all learned something from participating; even Anthony. What a meal Executive Chef Rick provided. He grilled up some fantastic dogs.

Demonstrators and assistants were; Rick Bywater, Dale Darnell, Bob & Mary Davis, Don Grimes, Anthony Harris, Michael Haseltine, Jay Nichols, Donna Schneck, Chip Siskey and John Veerkamp.

Merle

Just for Kids

I think that December 9 was a great success. Having my daughter, Julie, and 8 other kids/grandkids of our members participate in the Just for Kids Saturday program was truly enjoyable. A special thanks to Bob and Mary Davis, Anthony and Merle.

We were well prepared for the kids to practice beads and coves followed by painted snowmen, ants, honey dippers and Christmas tree ornaments. Yours truly cooked hot dogs outside on the grill and the weather cooperated with 50 degrees. However, a couple of the kids are vegetarians. What happened to the days of baseball, hot dogs and hot apple pie! Anyway, if we have it again, I'll look for vegetarian hot dogs.

Learn to Turn Weekends

Frank Penta March 10-12, 2007

Mike Mahoney May 12-14, 2007

Stuart Batty Sept. 8-10, 2007

Calendar of Events

Feb 2-4—Woodworking Show
Feb 10—Learn to Turn—8:30—Noon
Feb 12—Regular Meeting—7:00 p.m.—David Bartlett Demo
Feb 24—Learn to Turn—8:30—Noon—Open Lathe

**March's Second Saturday
Learn to Turn is with
Frank Penta
and a Sunday & Monday HANDS ON Class**

As President of the Woodturners Guild of North Carolina, Frank has been involved in woodworking throughout his life. He began to focus specifically on woodturning in 1997. His work integrates function and aesthetics with fine detailing and finishing to enhance the natural beauty of the wood. Frank's one-of-a-kind designs are exhibited in private collections and sold through museums and galleries.

He has been a demonstrator at numerous woodturning clubs and symposia and has conducted workshops in a variety of settings including John C. Campbell Folk School. He has also authored an article and had his work featured in American Woodturner magazine and co-authored Woodturning Tools, Techniques and Projects with Alan Leland.

Franks' professional experience in education is reflected in his teaching ability and the high quality of his woodturning classes, demonstrations and instructional handouts. Frank currently resides in Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

**Saturday March 10, 2007
9AM to 4PM
\$10 Members \$20 Nonmembers**

Saturday's Demo will consist of:

Making a lantern ornament
Making a multi axis bird house
Various methods of turning a foot on a platter
consisting of a three-footed platter and a multi axis-
footed platter

**Hands on Class
Sunday & Monday March 11 & 12, 2007
9AM to 4PM
\$40 Members \$60 Nonmembers**

**Sunday and Monday's Hands on class will do the
following:**

Make 3 bent hollowing tools and a lantern ornament
Material and tools will be provided in class fee

Tools needed—3/8" bowl gouge and 1/2" bowl gouge,
spindle gouges, skew, parting tool and anything else you
would like to bring.



REGISTRATION FORM

Mail check to Don Grimes: 6606 Houser, Shawnee, KS 66216

Payable to: Kansas City Woodturners

Registrations received by March 8th include a box lunch on Saturday

PER PERSON COST

Saturday, March 10th (includes a box lunch)
Members—\$10.00 Non-members—\$20.00

Sunday, March 11th & Monday, March 12th
Hands on Classes
Members—\$40.00 Non-members—\$60.00

TOTAL

YOUR NAME

PH#

ADDRESS

Sharing knowledge with a story, experience or tip, we can all benefit in **The Journey** of woodturning



New Library

The library has been inventoried, catalogued and put on the computer. All the books, tapes and DVD's have barcode ID labels to allow for easy checkout and to be able to track what is checked out and/or overdue. As of the first of January, we have 84 books, 128 VHS tapes and 10 DVD's. We expect to acquire more books and DVD's in the coming months. After completing the inventory, we find there are some items missing or unaccounted for. We are missing 1 book, *Fundamentals of Woodturning*. We are missing 14 video tapes, *Tips for Turners-Tape 2*, *First Steps in Woodturning*, *Turning Bowls*, *Turning Boxes*, *Natural Edges and Hollow Forms*, *Bowl Turning*, *Spindle Turning (An Introduction)*, *Turning Boxes*, *The Capsule Box*, *Turning Unusual Materials*, *Bowls for Beginners*, *Course on Spindle Turning*, *From Tree to Table*, *Introduction to Segmented Turning*. We are missing 1 DVD, *Son of Skew*. If anyone has one of these items at home, please bring it to the January meeting or contact Kevin or Bud and let us know that you have it.



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