

Fine Turnings

Seattle Chapter, American Association of Woodturners, January, 2011



Fred's Message

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Spring is hopefully not too far away. In the spirit of "Spring Cleaning", we can get an early start on the process by going through the shop and gathering all those perfectly good tools and shop accessories that are duplicates or items that could find a home elsewhere. Maybe even get a few bucks in the process for more tools. The February meeting will feature a tool swap.

Bring those items marked with a price and owner. Surely, someone will be looking for that exact item. You gain some space in your shop and they gain a needed tool at a bargain price. The only rule is that you must take any unsold items back home at the end of the meeting.

Winter is still with us. It is a good time to get out to the shop and make some wood shavings and, oh yes, maybe a project or two. With more time in the shop, it's a good time to try something new. Add an embellishment to a bowl. Add a finial to that hollow form. Whatever you try, it will become a new skill.

The Tool Swap is Here!

For the tool swap, we would expect those participating to bring the tools they want to sell. Price them, and we will do it like we have our previous tool swaps. Please clean them up. Remember: EVERYTHING GOES HOME AT THE END OF THE PROGRAM, either at a new owner's home or the original owner's home. I don't know if you will be able to leave them at the site's garbage. SO DON'T!!!! If you have machines you wish to sell, it probably is a bad idea to bring it, as, if you don't sell it ya gotta take it back. Bring pictures, video on your computer or phone-whatever floats your boat. BUT YA GOTTA TAKE IT OUTTTA THE HOUSE AT THE END OF THE NIGHT. Yes, we have had problems with this issue before. Maybe bring lists with you.

Another issue-the club will make no change. Bring a bunch of money, or checks. To my knowledge there will be no visa machines and I don't know where the nearest ATM machine is. I guess you could go to the grocery store, by an apple and get a hundred bucks to buy all the goodies you want.

This has been a good, fun activity in the past. A lot of good things have been sold and bought. and I guess some junk, but it was fun! We do have some members or merchants in the state that may be there with their professional equipment. Ahhhhhh, the Excitement!

Seattle's Web Site Check us out! We are at: <http://www.seattlewoodturners.org>

2011 Calendar Seattle AAW

January 2011

Tues, Jan. 11-Bd. Mtg 7:00 PM @ Rick Terney's

Thurs. Jan 13, Club Mtg. 6:30 PM @ 7304 NE 175th St. Kenmore

Fred Floyd-Maloof-style rocking chair

February 2011

Tues. Feb. 8-Bd. Mtg 7:00 PM @ Jack McDaniel's-not the recent place!

Thurs. Feb 10, Club Mtg. 6:30 PM Annual Tool Swap

March 2011

Tues. March 8-Bd. Mtg 7:00 PM @ Rick Terney's

Thurs. March 10, Club Mtg. 6:30 PM-Don Nelsen from Mirka sandpaper

March 19-John Jordan in Anacortes

March 25, 26, 27,-Trent Bosch in Columbia Falls, MA

April 2011

Tues. April 12-Bd. Mtg 7:00 PM @ Rick Terney's

Wed. April 14-Denise DeRosa's day long demo

Thurs. April 14-Club Mtg. 6:30-Denise DeRosa

May 2011

Tues. May 10-Bd. Mtg 7:00 PM @ Rick Terney's

Thurs. May 12-Club Mtg. 6:30 PM

June 2011

Tues. June 7-Bd. Mtg 7:00 PM @ Rick Terney's

Thurs. June 9-Club Mtg. 6:30 PM-Dick Watson on "the skew"

July 2011

Tues. July 12-Bd. Mtg 7:00 PM @ Rick Terney's

Thurs. July 14-Club Mtg. 6:30 PM

August 2011

Tues. Aug. 9-Bd. Mtg 7:00 PM @ Rick Terney's

Thurs. Aug. 11-Club Mtg. 6:30 PM Club Picnic

September 2011

Tues. Sept. 6-Bd. Mtg 7:00 PM @ Rick Terney's

Thurs. Sept. 8-Club Mtg. 6:30 PM-Samuel Avelino

Sat. Sept. 10-Samuel Avelino

Begin to think of serving club as elected officers

October 2011

Tues. Oct. 11-Bd. Mtg 7:00 PM @ Rick Terney's

Thurs. Oct. 13-Club Mtg. 6:30 PM-Martha Collins Club

November 2011

Tues. Nov. 8-Bd. Mtg 7:00 PM @ Rick Terney's

Thurs. Nov. 10-Club Mtg. 6:30 PM Elect officers

December 2011

Tues. Dec. 6-Bd. Mtg 7:00 PM @ Rick Terney's

Thurs. Dec.10-Club Mtg. 6:30 PM Christmas Party.

January 2012: Nick Cook will be in the area

Seattle Chapter of AAW Meeting Minutes: January 11, 2011 Board Meeting Secretary: Jim Steck

- **Mark Peterson–Program Director:** Reported progress he has made attempting to recruit several wood turners to the club this year for monthly meetings, and possible full-day events. Possible demonstrators include: Denise DeRosa, Merryll Saylan (sp?), and Keith Gotschall.
 - o Seemed to be several questions regarding budget availability for demonstrator expenses, but no decisions made.
 - o Unknown where a full-day could be held. Possible options include monthly meeting site in Kenmore, Jack McDaniel’s shop (Mark to check with him), and Rick Terney’s (possibly willing to host smaller events) shop. Jack Wayne to check on availability of Woodcraft as possible hosting location for full-day events.

Proposed schedule to be published to the Board Members to formally discuss expenses and hosting options once possible dates (and demonstrators) published.

Jack Frost –Suggested the Board consider purchasing one or more additional mini-lathes for demonstrations, club use, etc. Auburn Surplus, craigslist.com were mentioned as possible sources to buy used equipment. Most agreed mini-lathes were needed by the club, but no decision was made to spend club funds.

- It was confirmed that **Mike Hughes** has volunteered to supply monthly club meetings with coffee, soft drinks, and treats.
- **Les Dawson – Web Site:** Provided an update to possible web site enhancements the club should consider: enhanced photo gallery (with names), slide show, mentor list, and event calendar. Site hosting includes ~6GB of disk space, and we’re currently utilizing ~120MB. Small group looking at prioritizing an enhancement or two to the site, with the help of our Web Administrator.

In the Library

Since February meeting is our Tool Swap, I thought it would be a good time to purge the library of old material, mainly VCR tapes and books on wood working other than turning. All books and tapes will be \$5.00 ea. Money will go to buy new DVD’s and more current books. This sale will be subject to Board approval. Donations will not be turned down.

We will have the Russ Fairfield DVD’s “Finishing Secrets” in time for check out at the March meeting.

In the Library

Please return all checked out DVD’s at the January meeting.

Listed below are the missing DVD’s. Please check your video collection, in case they got filed by mistake. The Club does not want to purchase these again, when we could use our funds to add new DVD’s and books to the library.

D-4 The Skew Chisel, Lacer	D-26 Wood Turning Techniques I
D-6 Open Bowls, Ellsworth	D-27 Wood Turning Techniques II
D-15 Two Ways to Make a Bowl, Mahoney	D-28 Original Wood Hats, Michelsen
D-16 Turning Boxes, Raffan	D-37 Fabulous Finial Box, Drozda
D-17 Turning Projects, Raffan	D-38 Finial Star, Drozda
D-42 Turning Wood, Raffan	D-41 Projects Along the Wood Turning Trail, Lacer

Inquiring Minds Want to Know

Two interesting opportunities present themselves club members might find interesting. Both seem great to me, especially the Montana gig. My daughter lives there and I could visit and turn. What an opportunity! Anyway, see below.

Coming Saturday, March 19, 2011:

JOHN JORDON!



\$35 advance registration
\$40 at the door
Registration fee includes a hot lunch, coffee, tea, water & snacks

Location:
Anacortes First Baptist Church
2717 "J" Avenue
Anacortes, WA 98221
9 am – 4 pm



Morning: John will discuss the aesthetics and properties of wood that every woodturner needs to know.

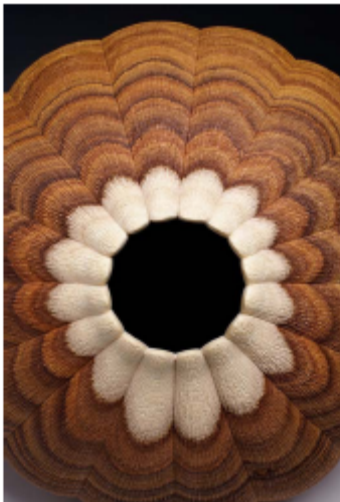
- How to use grain & color for the best effect
- The advantages of using fresh, green wood
- Why wood cracks and how to prevent it simply
- Dealing with wood movement & shrinkage
- The myths about using green wood

Afternoon: John will demonstrate & discuss how he makes his famous signature pieces

- Turning & Hollowing
- Carving
- Texturing
- Finishing

John Jordan, a woodturner from Cane Ridge, Tennessee is known primarily for his textured and carved hollow vessels. John has been featured in nearly every major turning exhibition the past twenty years. His work has received numerous awards, and is in the permanent collections of many museums and corporations, including the Renwick Gallery of the Smithsonian, the High Museum of Art in Atlanta, the American Craft Museum in New York City, the White House in Washington, the Los Angeles County Museum of Art, the Mint Museum of Craft + Design in Charlotte, the Fine Arts Museum in Boston, and the Detroit Institute of the Arts and the prestigious Victoria and Albert Museum in London, England.

You can see John's work at www.johnjordanwoodturning.com



FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Email: VicePresident@NWWW.TORG
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TO REGISTER:
MAIL \$35 & YOUR CONTACT INFO TO:
GREG ANDERSON
23607 HIDDEN VALLEY ROAD
GRANITE FALLS, WA 98252

Glacier Woodturners Present Trent Bosch

All day demonstration
March 26, 2011 Lunch included.

All day hands on workshop March 25 & 27..... maximum of eight per session. More sessions can be scheduled if demand warrants.

Where: Glacier Woodturners Club House
Hanson Trucking Building
251 Truck Route
Columbia Falls, Montana

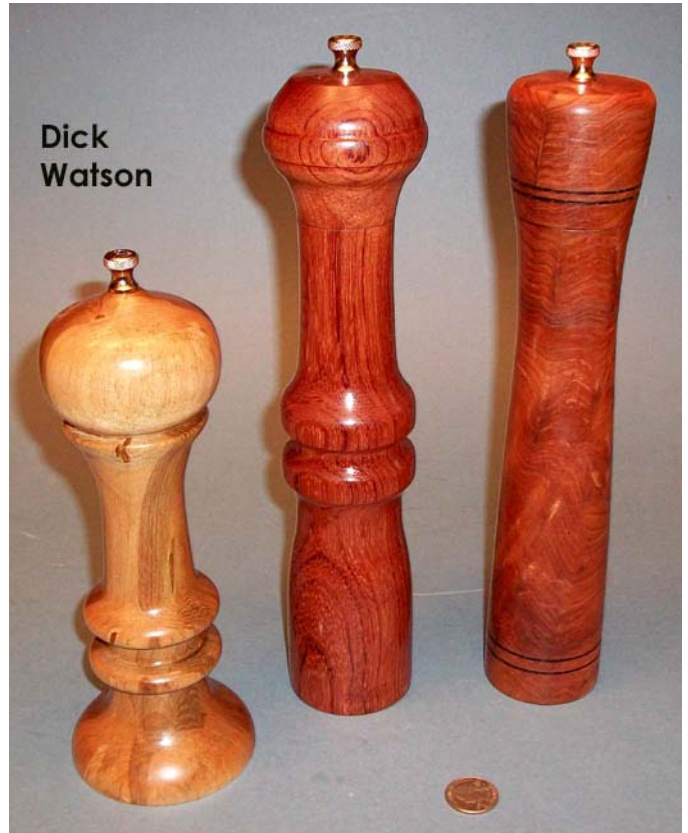
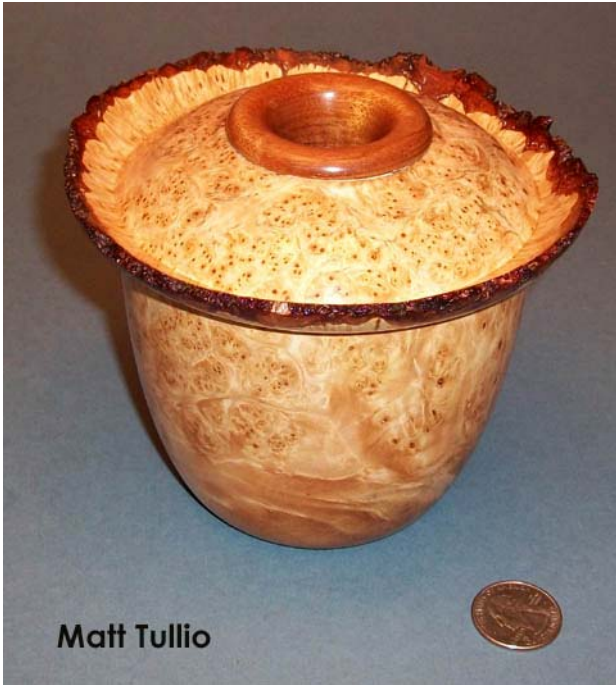
Costs: Demonstration.....
\$50.00 if paid by February 1
\$60.00 thereafter

Workshop....\$100.00 before 2/1
\$110.00 after 2/1

Limited accommodations, with local turners, are available for out of town guests

[Driving directions and map are available at website.](#)

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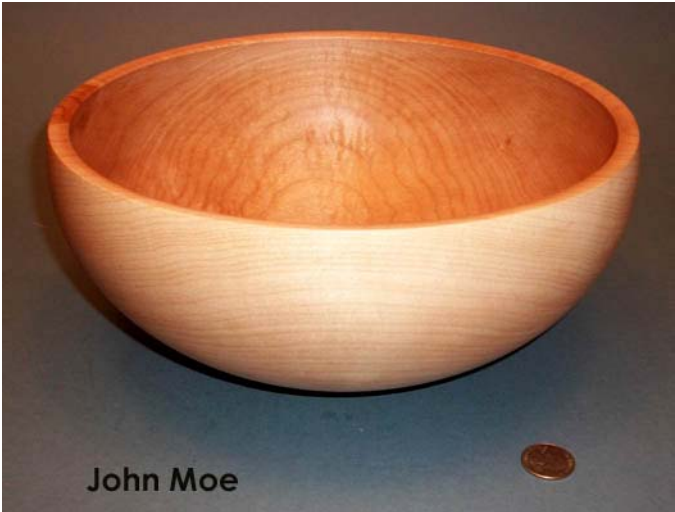
David Lutrick



Dick Watson



Tom Johanson



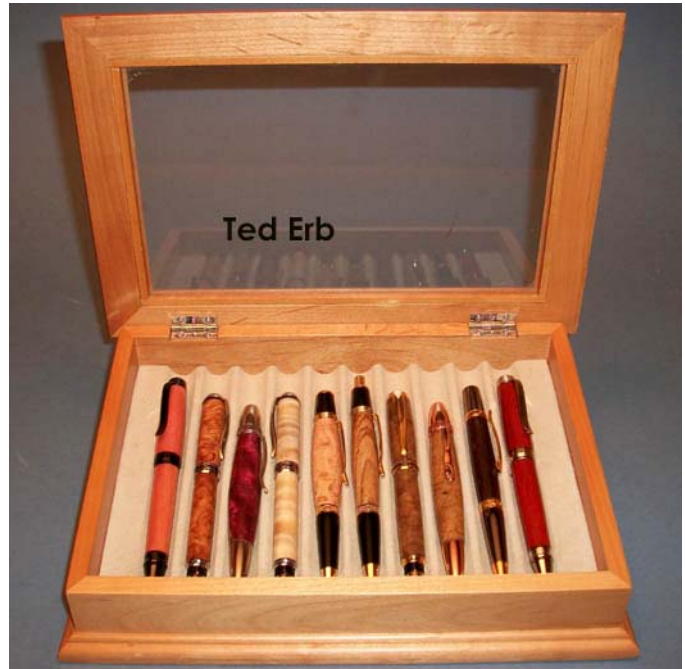
John Moe



Shawn Gardener



Bob Sievers



Ted Erb



Chuck Woodruff



Jim Cotter



Jose Pantoja



Mike Hughes



David Lippincott



Chuck Woodruff



David Lippincott



Bob Sievers

Shop Space Needed

" Wanted a lathe to turn on until I get a shop later this spring. My machines are packed, but I have my tools out. I would like to have the use of another turner's lathe, to try to keep my skills sharp. Turning it the way I escape the stress of not having a shop and remodeling a house, It gives me a few minutes of sanity each

VB 36 Master bowl turner Reduced Price \$4800.00 O.B.O.

Mehrdad Azarpay

9912 121st Ave N.E. Lake Stevens, WA. 98258.



Wood Rats News

Recently Wood Rats harvested a large cherry in Woodinville. Several members participated.

Remember, it is always important that all members evenly share the wood and that the cutter's have equal choice.

Fill the Empty Bowls Box Now

Don't forget one of the more important programs we are involved in-EMPTY BOWLS! Vern Tator will be accepting bowls at the January, February and March meetings. Size is not important in these bowls, except that they should be big enough to hold something. They bowls need not be signed, but should be of quality enough where you would be willing to give to someone you knew. Don't bring junk, but museum quality is not required. Apparently, some were auctioned off in a silent auction last year-good revenue for the charity. Finally, don't forget this is a charity where all the donated efforts go to the needed. There are no executive costs!

People say "Get the government out of this" and it is our way of helping to get that done.

Seattle Mentors

A member asked to have a portion of the newsletter devoted to a "forum" in which questions might be posed and answers sought. Great idea! Problem: I have tried this before and it was a total waste-no response, ever. In discussion at the board meeting it was brought up that there may be too much time between posed problems and responses. Additionally, it was pointed out that this is precisely what mentors are for. They are always listed in the newsletter. Call/email them. They want to help. They are excellent sources. Should they not know an answer, they will know how to find an answer.

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WANT ADS

This space is set aside for members to advertise free of charge to sell or purchase tools, wood, etc. Get your ad to Les Dawson by the third Thursday of the month for inclusion in the next newsletter.

MORE WOODTURNING

The magazine for turners. Published 10 times a year by Fred Holder. One yr: \$35.00; Two yrs: \$70.00; Three yrs \$105.00. Electronic version \$25/yr. delivered from More Woodturning online at: www.morewoodturning.net Lots of great information for your browsing pleasure. More Woodturning PO Box 2168 Snohomish WA 98291-2168 Phone: 360-668-0976 email: fred@morewoodturning.net

Bow River Craft Woods: We supply woodturners, bow makers, luthiers, carvers and woodworkers with figured, spalted, burl and specialty wood. We have bowl blanks in MANY sizes. Turning squares range from 2x2 to 8x8 in various lengths. Burls are cut to squares or slabs. We have in stock: big leaf maple, oak, acacia, cascara, chestnut, pacific yew, yellow cedar, walnut, magnolia, pear, apple and cherry. We are located at 11443 Mcsween Road Chilliwack, B.C. Canada **Our Phone # is 604-795-3462 Fax # 604-795-4058 e-mail bow-river@cwk.imag.net web address is www.bowrivercraftwoods.com**

Club discounts available: Show your Club Membership Card and get 10% off at Rocklers, Woodcraft Supply, and Crosscut Hardwoods.

Woodcraft furnishes all types of turning supplies in addition to a wide general stock of wood-working equipment. Additionally, show your membership card making available a 10% discount. 5963 CORSON SOUTH, SEATTLE 206 767 6394

Rocklers furnishes all types of turning supplies in addition to a wide general stock of wood-working equipment. Additionally, show your membership card making available a 10% discount. 3823 STONE WAY NORTH, SEATTLE 206 634 3222 OR 345 TUKWILA PARKWAY, TUKWILA 206 244 9161

Craft Supply, USA-specialists in all types of turning supplies and woodturning tools. WWW.WOODTURNERSCATALOG.COM
Equipment Sales and Surplus is an outlet for repaired and overstocked tools and equipment. Specialize in Jet, Powermatic and Performax equipment. 1801 West Valley Highway North 253 804 3211

Packard Woodworks, Inc.-specialists in all types of turning supplies and woodturning tool WWW.packardwoodworks.com 1 800 683 8876

I have a small lathe to sell:

CarbaTec Mini Lathe, 12" between centers, 6" diameter. All cast Iron in excellent condition.

The lathe is mounted on a 5 drawer oak work cabinet. Mounted on rollers and with a built in work light.

Lathe has a #1 Morse taper, 3/4 by 16 TPI spindle, and includes the motor.

This is set up and complete, ready to use in a shop or for demonstrations.

I would like \$300. JamesHatcher@Matteicos.com

For Sale Oneway 2 hp 2436 lathe, braking resistor, remote switch. \$3500 or \$3700 with 17 inch inboard or outboard extension. Contact Bill at bill.luce@gmail.com for a test drive.

For Sale: Dust collection equipment. See at: <http://seattle.craigslist.org/sno/tls/2092086738.html>

I am always on the lookout to rescue/recycle specific fresh cut wood. For more information please go to <http://www.billluce.com/treeinfo.html>

Klingspore has a 10% discount for club members. It covers most of their items, except power tools. They do not sell club members names or addresses. They have some benefit boxes of selected items of sandpaper that clubs can use as they see fit. They want the names and addresses and phone numbers of members. The names are for sending catalogs and the phone numbers are used to verify any orders either placed over the phone or via the internet. They do not do phone solicitations. This information was requested by the board at our meeting it will be open for discussion at the next meeting of the board. I have purchased from them in the past and I get a 10% discount each time I purchase sandpaper.

Nova 1624-44 Wood Lathe with 1 Don Pencil Face Plate (new price: \$27.45 new) 1 Oneway MT#2 Live Center SET (live center, bull-nose cone, full point cone, mini knock-out-rod, (\$119.99 new) 1 4" Round Tool rest with post (\$20.99 + \$14.99 for the post) 6" Round Tool rest with post (\$25.99 + \$14.99 for the post) MT#2 Golden Goose brand Drill Chuck with Chuck Key (\$36.99) 1 Woodcraft Pen Mandrel Holder (\$20 +) 1 Pen Mandrel Shaft (\$10.00) 1 General International Remote Paddle on/off switch -no more crossing the firing line to shut down the motor (\$...I forget, I think it was about \$50 or so plus about \$60 in wire + \$15 of rare earth magnets) 1 home-built cabinet stand

Asking \$1270 on Craigslist for everything, selling everything as a set. Asking \$1170.00 for AAW members. Price is firm...would love to move this machine so I can...well, move. Upgrading ASAP after that. I can be reached at this email address or at (206) 898-1204 with any questions. Thanks, Drew Ebaló

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