



# Richmond Woodturners'

## Newsletter



### Next Meeting:

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

### **December 20**

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### Program Schedule:

**Dec: Holiday Party**

**Jan: TBA**

**Feb: TBA**

### Challenge Schedule:

**Jan: Rude Osolnik inspired candle-holder**

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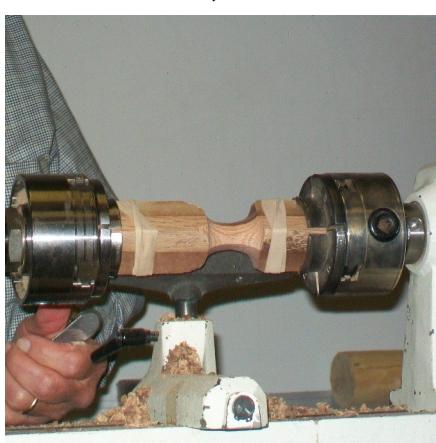
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### **Turning Inside/Outside Ornament with Sherman McLaughlin**

Cut 4 3/4-squares X 6.25 "; Sherman likes to use contrasting woods. Number each one on the inside corner. Turn them 180 degree (numbers outside edge). Keeping the pieces as an exact square, rubber-band them together. Either use 4-jaw chucks or make 2 square chucks (one for each end, Sid's fish demo) to hold the stock. Mark the ends (1.75" from the headstock & another 3.25" from the top), this will be a swoop 3/4 diameter deep. Sand now (to #320) as this will be inside by the next step. Remove from the lathe and rubber-bands. Turn each piece 180 degrees so the numbers are facing inside. Using Titebond II glue up the pieces with little squeeze out. They must be in perfect alignment. Clean up the inside hollow with a Q-tip while still wet. Let dry overnight. Dent the center for the tail stock live center (4-jaw for the headstock), mount, tighten (not to tight) and turn fast. Shape the icicle area with a taper to the point. Turn round the hollowed area, sand. Turn the top of the

ornament, sand, apply Watco Danish Oil, and then part off. Sand the very top, drill a 1/16" hole for the screw eye. Wait 2 days then apply 3-5 coats of lacquer. [Continued page2]



**Shows Coming Out Of VA:****Shows Coming In VA:**

**May 17-18, 2013.** Mid Atlantic Pen Turners Gathering, Woodcraft, Richmond. Correction of Date

**Pen Turner's News:**

Demo will be calligraphy pens, but Bruce would like this to be a "participation" event. While I will bring some tools, please bring your favorite lathe turning tool(s). I will bring a bunch of drilled and tubed pieces for as many who want to try. He will also bring inserts needed to put in different nibs. I will bring a few nibs, but these are easy to get online or at places like Michaels. Note to *Ed Wood and Bonnie* – bring your tools –you will be turning!! Note to *Phil Duffy* – We need you to show us how to make nice finials on these.

May 17 & 18, 2013. Friday will be a social gathering. Saturday will be vendors, artists, demonstrations and door prizes. RW have given the Pen turners a grant to support their efforts. All our members should get involved in this project.

Pay Your Dues By January 2013

**[Demo from page1]****Club Officers for the next Meeting Vibrations**

**year:** President – Gerry Campbell; 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President – Aage Rendalen; 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President – Jeff Herrell; Secretary /Newsletter – Betsy Mack; Treasure – Matt Baker; Library –Jerry Fisher; Website – Rob Blader; Refreshments –Debbie Herrell/Joann Fisher; VA Turners Rep – Colin Smith

**Party Night:** Live /Silent auction, Turning Swap, Best of Year Show & Tell. Club will provide ham biscuits & paper goods. Suggestions for food are on the back page.

**Danny** wants everyone to pay their dues ASAP

**Jan meeting: Candlesticks are due for the challenge**

**Next challenge will be due April 2013**

# SHOW & TELL



**Things:** Lidded bowl, bird house, bowls, natural edge bowl, candlestick, square platter, tops, scoops, goblets, Sid's Kaleidoscope that got left in Ray's office last month,   **Wood:** Maple, buckeye burl, sea urchin shell, walnut, spalted oak, cherry, Norfolk Island pine, Cuban mahogany, red oak, white oak, popular, mulberry, hackberry

## Officers for 2012

President:	Dick Hines	(804-966-5204)
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**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. List is on the website. Lose 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:** [www.richmondwoodturners.org](http://www.richmondwoodturners.org) 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.

## Beverage & Snack Roster Reminder

### **Christmas Party will be Dec 20**

Suggestions for food are by last name.

**A-F: Appetizers;**

**G-L: Drinks;**

**M-R: Heavy hors-d'oeuvres;**

**S-Z: Desserts.**

We don't want to run out of food, nor do we want only desserts. Bring your best of the year turning, a guest & cash for the Live/Silent auction, Small turning for the "Swap". We need things for the auction in addition to the demo pieces. Anyone who wants to participate in the "Swap" brings in a small turning , put it on a table and receives a number.

## Visitors / New Members:

### **Next Month Snack Roster Reminder**

January we shall start back at the front of the membership list, Member numbers 129 + and then member numbers 1, 2, 3 etc.

129	Leggett	Ice -10lb bag & cooler
130	Strong	Two 2-liter diet drinks
131	Cross	Two 2-liter regular drinks
132	Herrell	Two 2-liter non caffeine drinks
133	Herrell	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
2	Clement	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
3	Sterling	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
4	Rowe	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)
5	Campbell	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)
7	Luttrell	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)

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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 with current cards only. Another very good reason to join us every month!

**For Sale:** Walnut, already cut. Contact John Adams 804-703-9157. \$100 you pick up. \$150 delivered.

Bring your best of the year turning, a guest & cash for the Live/Silent auction.

We need things for the auction in addition to the demo pieces we have collected during the year.

### Turning Swap Rules:

Anyone who wants to participate in the “*Swap*” brings in a small turning , put it on a table and receives a number. The person in charge then draws a number. The person with that number then picks up his/her piece and draws a number. That new person takes his/her piece and the two swap. The last person then draws the next number and that person takes his piece and draws a number and those 2 swap their pieces....and on. It’s fun and requires participation from lots of people .