



Rocky Mountain Woodturners

A Chapter of the American Association of Woodturners

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Calendar of Events

March 6 Regular Meeting

April 10 Regular Meeting

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April 3 Regular Meeting

May 15 Regular Meeting

One week late

June 5 Regular Meeting

July 3 Regular Meeting

August 7 Regular Meeting

September 4 Regular Meeting

October 11-12 Rocky Mountain Woodturners

5th Annual Woodturners

Symposium

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Thursday-03/06/03 Industrial Science Building Room 105 Colorado State University Ft.Collins Co.

Agenda:

Announcements Show and Tell Wood Raffle Monthly Challenge Demo: Tool and Jig Discussion

February Meeting Minutes: The February meeting was called to order at 7:05 by president Allen Jensen. There were 36 members present, and 4 guests.

Mark Kurzmack has booked the Loveland High School for the symposium on Oct.11-12 this year. We will have 5 or 6 rooms this year that will solve the noise problems of the past. The cafeteria will be used for the opening and closing ceremonies. There will be 30+ rotations, over the two-day event.

Lee Carter informed the club that after this semester, C.S.U. would be closing the under graduate wood arts program. Lee is also selling a woodworkers estate, if you are interested in any of the tools contact Lee Carter.

Carl Voss is the new editor of the A.A.W. magazine.

Treasurers Report:

Drew Nichols reports that the club has \$6501.00 in its account.

March Challenge: Salad bowls will be the challenge for March. Bring a tool or jig that you use and tell everyone how you use it.

Secretary Notice:

All members that have not paid their dues need to do so as soon as possible. We would like to put out a members directory as soon as all the dues are paid. The May meeting will be held on May 15 one week late due to Provo. The March newsletter is the cut off for anyone that has not paid their dues

Symposium Meeting: There will be an organizing meeting for the Symposium committee at Loveland High School on Sunday March 9 at 2 PM. This will be your chance to view the facility, talk about various options, and sign up for areas of responsibility. Allen has already lined up Richard Raffen and Jacques Vesery. We also have Mike Paulson, Don Deatherage, David Nittmann, Pete Holtus, and Doug Schneiter have already volunteered for demos. Loveland High School is located at 920

W 29th St in Loveland. Park in the East lot, and go in the door near the dust collector in the back of the school.

Demos:

Dale Kechter asked the members for suggestions for future demos. Some suggestion were segmented turning, sharpening, hollow forms, safety, tool usage, tool making, how to critique work, log usage, how artist get their ideas, marketing, and woodturning as a business. If you have other suggestions for demos, or see one that has been suggested let Dale know. We would like to have demos that people want to see.

Show and Tell:

Doug Schneiter brought in his first hollow form since his surgery, and a cane that he made for his father. It is made out of bocate with a screw off tip.

Don Deatherage brought a set of vortex salt and pepper shakers out of walnut and maple. Mike Paulson brought in a small-bottomed vase with a lacquer finish and nice form. Pete Holtus brought in several boxes in different

Lee Whiteside brought in a crabapple bowl with a nice finish. A walnut and box elder bowl with a square cut bottom.

Dale Kechter brought in a nice piece made out of Colo. Alabaster.

Wood Raffle:

There will be a wood raffle and any thing else that you care to donate raffle at the March meeting

Newsletter Deadline:

The deadline for submitting articles and information for the Rocky Mountain Woodturners newsletter is the 25 th of the month.

Library & Video Notice:

Please check your shelves for any books or videos belonging to the RMWT library, and return them at the March meeting.

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Front Range (FRWT) Club

President: No Information at this time

Pikes Peak (PPW) Club President: Tony Bevis (719) 660-8305

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Meeting at Woodcraft Supply on North Academy and Vickers in Colorado Springs. Meetings are held the First Thursday of each month at 6:30 PM.

Members Info Exchange:

If you have sold your listed item, please let me know so that I can remove it.

Wanted: Used chuck with 1x8 threads. Call

Steve Anderson at (970) 586-2787

For Sale: Nova Chuck parts 35mm (1 3/8 inch)

Spigot Jaws-like new. \$20.00

100 mm (4 inch) Dovetail jaws modified with

internal gripper grooves. \$20.00

Nova (1 1/4) lathe adapter insert-like new. \$10.00 I sold my Nova Chuck so I no longer need these.

Call John Martin at (970) 484-0949.

johnmart@gtcinternet.com

For Sale: 26 inch Woodmaster Drum Sander. 5hp-1ph motor. \$800.00 obo. Call Allen Jensen at (970) 663-1868

Wood Suppliers:

Duane Dillow 1120 W. 2nd Ave. Cheyenne, Wy. 8200 I Hardwood supplier

The Wood Emporium 618 N. Garfield Ave. Loveland, Co. 80537 Hardwood, Turning supplies, Bowl Blanks, Finishes.

Sears Trostel 351 Linden Ft.Collins CO 80524 Hardwood, Turning Supplies

Trent Bosch Workshop:

Trent Bosch has a three-day, hands-on, intensive workshop on January 10-12. You can call Trent at (970) 568-3299 for available dates and times. trentbosch@yahoo.com

Curt Theobald Workshop:

Curt will be offering three-day workshops on "Beginning in Segmented Turning" at his studio. You can call Curt at (307) 245-3310 for available dates and times.

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Lee Carter Winter Classes:

Lee Carter winter classes start at 8:30 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

January 6,7,8 Basic woodturning \$220.00

January 14,15,16 Turning green, dry and Natural edge bowls \$220.00

January 28,29,30 Turned Boxes/Inlaying and Threaded Lids \$220.00

February 11,12,13 Intermediate Woodturning \$ 220.00

February 18,19,20 Spiral Turning on Candleholders, Goblets, Vases and Bowls \$220.00

March 4,5,6 Basic Woodturning \$220.00

March 18,19,20 Advanced Woodturning \$220.00

Contact Lee Carter for further information regarding: additional woodturning classes, commissioned turnings, or scheduling club/workshop/seminar demonstrations.

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