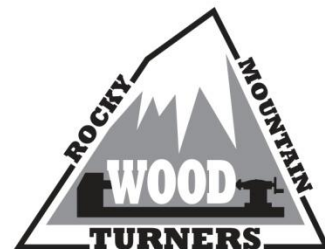




**Rocky Mountain Woodturners
A Chapter of the American
Association of Woodturners**



July 2013 Newsletter

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Next RMWT Meeting:

The next regular meeting will be on July 11, 2013, at the Woodcraft store, 3718 Draft Horse Drive, Loveland, CO and will feature a Demo titled: "Metal Spinning" by Vince Wilson during the regular meeting time from 6:30 PM to 9:00 PM.

RMWT July 11, 2013 Demonstration at Woodcraft, Loveland:

"Metal Spinning" by Vince Wilson



Vince Wilson



Vince Wilson turning an ash bowl

Vince received an M.A. and a B.A. from San Diego State University in Industrial Arts with emphasis on Metalworking and Furniture design. He was awarded Best of Show & Peoples' Choice Award at the RRCC Spring Open House. The demonstration will cover the basic procedures involved in metal spinning. Included will be metal spinning tools, metals selection and sources of supply, spinning techniques, and annealing/softening the metal for spinning. If time allows I will also demonstrate how to fit & join two pieces to form a single vessel.

Examples of Vince's artwork utilizing oak burl, ebony, sterling silver, nickel silver and brass are below:



FRWT & RMWT July 20, 2013 Party at Tom Wirsing's:

There will be a joint party with the FRWT and the RMWT at Tom Wirsing's shop on Saturday, July 20, 2013 with refreshments, a chess tournament and other activities to be determined. This is a great opportunity to meet members of the Front Range Turners.

FRWT August 6, 2013 "2-fer Tuesday" Demonstration at Rocklers Denver:

"Jewelry Box Lid Enhancement and Design" by Sally Ault, a San Diego based woodturner.



FRWT & RMWT August 7, 2013 "Hands On Demo with Sally":

Location and time TBD with members of both clubs participating. Approximately \$20 cost.

RMWT August 8, 2013 "2-fer Thursday" Demonstration at Woodcraft, Loveland:

"Jewelry Box Lid Enhancement and Design" by Sally Ault, a San Diego based woodturner.

June 6, 2013 Demonstration by Keith Gotshall and David Nittmann:



Editor's Note: Due to my absence from the June meeting, I have used photos from the FRWT's demo.

June 8, 2013 Demonstration by David Nittmann:

David Nittmann presented a free, two day demo on “Airbrush and Color Mixing” as a payback to RMWT members for his recent Education Opportunity Grant. The demo was hosted by Frank and Elizabeth Amigo at their studio north of Ft Collins.

David covered the basics in the various styles, quality and selection of an airbrush and compressor and then provided hands on teaching of those in attendance in the use of an airbrush.

A good portion of the class covered the primary colors, the secondary colors, complimentary colors, hue, saturation, harmony, and the different values (White = 1, Black = 12, etc.) of the various colors. Each pair of students was then given a color sample swatch and was challenged to match the color by mixing together various colors utilizing the information David provided during the class.

Several students purchased airbrush sets and we look forward to seeing their airbrushed work at future instant galleries.

Thank you to Frank and Elizabeth for the refreshments and hosting of this demonstration and also for the tour of their collection of pieces turned by many of the well known woodturning artists.



Other Items and Events:

The 15th Annual Rocky Mountain Woodturners Symposium is September 13 – 15, 2013 at The Ranch, Loveland, CO <http://www.rmwoodturningsymposium.com/> Events will be in the McKee building. Featured demonstrators will be David Ellsworth, Binh Pho, Kip Christensen, Kirk DeHeer, Jason Schneider, Michael Blankenship, Rick Orr, John Giem, Ashley Harwood and Dale Bonertz.

The 21st Annual Southwest Association of Turners Symposium is August 23 – 25, 2013 in Waco, TX. http://www.swaturners.org/?page_id=79

Wood Bank Update and Guidelines:

Wood Bank Update:

We recently received a relatively large deposit of Box Elder into the Wood Bank. We have not had the time to do any turnings but it appears to have some good color, streaks of red and good figure including burls. We have other woods also including maple, walnut, locust, Elm and a bit of mystery wood. This wood is free for the taking for RMWT members. FRW members are welcome also with RMWT having priority (you are welcome to make deposits also but call first). If you are interested in any of this wood, contact John Giem at 970 227-6618, mobile, or 970 223-0844, home to arrange your trip to the Wood Bank.

Wood Bank Guidelines:

<http://www.rmwt.org/articles/2013-rnwt-wood-bank-guidelines.pdf>

Editor's note: Sale ads will run for three months unless notified to stop sooner or to continue longer. Please call or e-mail your ad to the Newsletter Editor at the address below.

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10% RMWT Member Discounts (with some exceptions):

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1500 Riverside Ave
Ft. Collins, CO 80524
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970-482-9895 Fax

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Rockler's in Denver – You have to show your membership card.

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www.rmwt.org

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Learn From the Best...

The Rocky Mountain Woodturners Club, RMWT, is well known around the nation because we have some of the best national and internationally known demonstrators and best teachers of Basic, Intermediate, Advanced and Specialty turning right here in our own back yard:

Trent Bosch Woodturning Workshops:

Workshops are held in Trent's studio in Fort Collins, Colorado. There is a maximum of four people in each class, which allows for lots of individualized instruction. The cost is \$500 for the 3-day intensive workshop and \$650 for the 4-day. Meals are also provided at no extra charge. His studio is also equipped with the highest quality equipment available for your use. For detailed information on workshops visit www.trentbosch.com or contact Trent via email or phone.

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Rocky Mountain School of Woodturning operated by **Lee Carter** in LaPorte, Colorado. He offers classes in Basics, Intermediate and Advanced. Lee also offers private tutoring. Seven different brands of lathes are available.

Call Lee Carter at 970-221-4382 to sign up or have him answer any questions. LJTC4X4149@CS.COM

Curt Theobald offers three-day workshops in Segmented Woodturning in his studio in Pine Bluffs, Wyoming.

Call Curt Theobald at 307-245-3310

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John Giem, Woodturner

Custom woodworking and Individual or small group woodworking instruction tailored to the needs of the student. Offering both woodworking on the

lathe and combined with regular power tools. Classes are held in John's studio in Fort Collins, CO, which is equipped with a complete set of woodworking tools. Contact John to discuss your interests and needs.

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Katherine Kowalski is a Woodturner & Contemporary Artist, offering private/small group instruction in woodturning technique, as well as specialized classes in hollow forms, bowl, fine spindle work, and color theory/technique. (All levels of instruction are available). Classes are held at Katherine's studio in Cheyenne, WY.

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Woodcraft has classes for beginners in woodworking, shop safety, intro the machines, bowl turning, pen and pencil turning, hollow forms, Christmas tree ornaments, tool sharpening, etc. Please check out the classes being offered at web page:

www.woodcraft.com/stores/store.aspx?id=56

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David Nittman

For all your airbrush needs, on-line ordering and expert information for problem solving situations contact David at: 303-579-6744

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