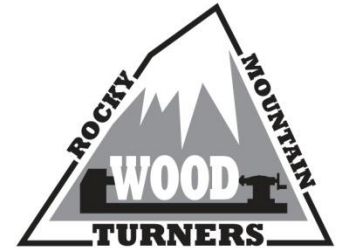




## **Rocky Mountain Woodturners A Chapter of the American Association of Woodturners**



### ***January 2015 Newsletter***

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#### **Next RMWT Meeting:**

The next regular meeting will be on Thursday, January 8, 2015 at the Woodcraft Store, 3718 Draft Horse Drive, Loveland, CO and will feature a demonstration by Doug Schneider. The nomination and election of officers for 2015 will also be held during this meeting.

#### **RMWT January 8, 2015 Demonstration at Woodcraft, Loveland: Doug Schneider**



#### **Artist Profile: Doug Schneider**

Greetings fellow woodturners, my name are Doug Schneider, and I am just a transplanted Iowa farm boy. I started woodturning in Jr. and High School using walnut and oak harvested from the trees on our farm. Loving the hands-on learning, I went to earn my B.A. Degree at Univ. of Northern Iowa in Industrial Arts Education. After 3 years of teaching woodshop classes in Iowa, I moved to C.S.U. to teach woodworking and get my B.S. Degree.

After a plethora of interesting jobs, I returned to Colorado to teach in Loveland in 1993. Shortly after arriving, I heard about Rocky Mountain Woodturners and met Lee Carter, who soon showed me how much woodturning had evolved in my 12 year absence, and how much I needed to learn to get caught up. Other members of RMWT also gave me lots of guidance and encouragement to improve my skills and get excited about woodturning once again.

I have focused on hollow forms for the past 15 years, and prefer to turn "difficult" woods that may include bark inclusions, knots, crotches and burls, etc., that in my opinion make the turning process more challenging, and the results more interesting.

### **Christmas Party:**

The annual RMWT Christmas Party was held at the Ft Collins Community Creative Center in conjunction with the "Beyond the Bark" woodturning exhibition on December 4, 2014. A barbecue dinner was served and a fund raising auction was conducted by Doug Schneider.



### **RMWT Creative Center Exhibition December 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> & December 10<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup>, 2014:**









Many excellent pieces by RMWT members were exhibited at the Community Creative Center as evidenced by the above photos.

### **Wood Bank Guidelines:**

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

### **Other Items and Events:**

**The 16<sup>th</sup> annual Rocky Mountain Woodturners Symposium** will be held in Loveland, CO on September 18, 19, 20, 2015 at The Ranch. Note the date is one week later than previous symposia.

**The 2015 AAW Woodturners Symposium** will be held in Pittsburg, PA on June 25 – 28, 2015. For more info: <http://www.woodturner.org/default.asp?>

**The 2015 Utah Woodturners Symposium** will be held on May 14 -16, 2015.  
<https://utahwoodturning.com/wp-content/uploads/2014/10/UWS-2015-Registration-Form.pdf>

### **Items For Sale:**

**Machinery and tools for sale:** Please contact Cindy Drozda, preferably by email: [cindy@cindydrozda.com](mailto:cindy@cindydrozda.com) or phone 303-449-7170.

**Nichols lathe:** This lathe will turn 27" x 12 feet long. It is great for those 12' porch columns! Custom made by John Nichols for David Nittmann in 1999. David used it quite a bit, even made some 12' columns. This is a very heavy, solidly built machine. Electronic variable speed with great low speed torque. All parts are in working order. Comes with an assortment of giant faceplates, wrenches, extra tool rests, etc. Converts to a 10' bed if you prefer. - \$6000.

**Vicmarc lathe:** VL200, 16" swing, 36" between centers, 42" spindle height on custom stand, Electronic variable speed DC motor, Reversible, 1.5 HP, 220VAC. This is the one and only Purple Vicmarc that has made all of my Finials for the past 14 years, and many other things as well. It is well trained! Runs great! Comes with 2 tool rests, drive & live centers, faceplate, knockout bar. - \$2000

**Air scrubber dust extractor**, don't know what brand or model, measures 12" x 24" x 34" - \$180

**3 phase compressor**, large and heavy duty, very old and dirty, runs great - \$200

**Shurline pen lathe**, used, comes with pen parts and blanks - \$300

**Set of track lights** to light a 10' x 10' craft/trade show booth, 110VAC, tracks, fixtures, bulbs, and power cords, used in great shape - \$200

**Platt brand polyethylene case** with handle and wheels, 22" x 22" x 15", great for transporting artwork or tools, used in great shape - \$300

**Very heavy duty steel reinforced plywood case** with wheels& handle, 20" x 28" x 13". Too heavy for the airlines these days, but perfect for protecting your artwork on the way to a show. \$30

### **Woodworking Machinery For Sale:**

Woodcraft (Doerr) 1/2 hp. Grinder (for sharpening gouges): \$250.00

Milwaukee heavy duty router: \$200.00

Delta Duplicator for spindle turning for 12" swing lathe: \$150.00

Craftsman 5 peak hp. wall vac: \$50

Shopvac 4.5 peak hp. wall vac: \$50

Total shop TS110 dust collector and lots of collector pipes: \$200

Husquavarna 20" 55 Rancher chain saw + several chains: \$300

Stihl 20" 038AV Magnum II chain saw + several chains: \$280

Tormek sharpening system with honing compound and wheels and gouge jig near new: \$450.00

181 Swiss made carving chisels with cabinet and 2 mallets \$5,900.00

Many chisels never used. Total value \$7,899.61 - better than 25% discount.

**Contact:** Frank Amigo - 970-568-3899 or [efamigo@msn.com](mailto:efamigo@msn.com)

### **Nova 1624 – 44 Lathe For Sale:**

Nova 1624 – 44 lathe with legs, in excellent condition, used for about 6 months before upgrading to different lathe. Price \$500. Located in Laramie, WY.

**Contact:** Scott Holman – 307-343-3206 or [sgholman@gmail.com](mailto:sgholman@gmail.com)

**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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Loveland, CO  
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970-667-5621 Fax

**Sears-Trostel Lumber & Millwork**  
1500 Riverside Ave  
Ft. Collins, CO 80524  
970-482-1928  
970-482-9895 Fax

**Woodcraft – Loveland**

3718 Draft Horse Drive  
Loveland, CO 80538  
970-292-5940 Phone  
970-292-5939 Fax

[loveland@woodcraft.com](mailto:loveland@woodcraft.com)

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

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**Clubs and Member's Websites:**

**Rocky Mountain Wood Turners**  
[www.rmwt.org](http://www.rmwt.org)

**AAW – American Assoc. of Woodturners**  
[www.woodturner.org](http://www.woodturner.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](http://www.trentbosch.com) or contact Trent via email or phone.

**Trent Bosch**

Trent Bosch Studios Inc.

[trent@trentbosch.com](mailto:trent@trentbosch.com)

970-568-3299

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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](#).

[leecarterrmsw@yahoo.com](mailto:leecarterrmsw@yahoo.com)

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

Call Curt Theobald at 307-245-3310

E-mail: [cwtheobald@wyoming.com](mailto:cwtheobald@wyoming.com)

Website: [www.curttheobald.com](http://www.curttheobald.com)

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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 to 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](http://www.woodcraft.com/stores/store.aspx?id=56)

**Cindy Drozda** will be teaching 2 box classes at **Woodcraft in 2015**. Subjects of these hands-on workshops will be **Finial Box** on February 28, 2015 and **Inlay Box** on April 4, 2015. Anyone interested can sign up at Woodcraft. For more information please see Woodcraft or e-mail Cindy: [cindy@cindydrozda.com](mailto:cindy@cindydrozda.com)

