

# Rocky Mountain Woodturners



A chapter of the American Association of Woodturners

# **February 2010 Newsletter**

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## **February meeting**

The next meeting will be February 4, 6:30 p.m. at Woodcraft. February's demonstrator will be Dale Von Krosigk. He is a member of the Rocky Mountain Woodturners from Cheyenne, WY.



Dale is a member of the Rocky Mountain Woodturners from Cheyenne, WY. He will be presenting the process which he uses to make hollow forms. He will be working with a piece of beetle kill pine, designing a southwest style of a hollow form. Dale will be demonstrating how he achieves the outside shape, and hollowing technique. Plus he will go over how he sharpens bowl gouges, and will talk a little bit about his turning history.



## **RMWT Meetings**

Each month the Rocky Mountain Woodturners meet at Woodcraft of Loveland, located at 3718 Draft Horse Drive, Loveland, Colorado. We meet on the first Thursday after the first Tuesday of each month.

## **Meeting Format**

6:00 – 6:15 – Setup and Social Time, come visit, share ideas and ask questions

6:15 - 6:45 - The general business meeting.

6:45 – 7:05 Instant Gallery and Raffle

7:05 - 7:15 Break

7:15 - 8:45 - Demonstrator time.

8:45 - 9:00 -Clean up and out by 9 pm sharp!

# **Next Scheduled Meeting**

The regular meeting for February 4, 2010, will be a Hollow Form demonstration by Dale Von Krosigk

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# January meeting notes

The January meeting was held January 7th at Woodcraft in Loveland.

Katherine Kowalski called the meeting to order.

The following announcements were made:

Frank Amigo gave us a report on the benefits of AAW membership, and encouraged us all to join the AAW.

John Harpold reminded us that EOG Applications are due January 15, 2010, and encouraged us to apply. Recipients of previous grants gave reports on how those were used. Katherine Kowalski told us how much she enjoyed the woodturning class she attended and thanked us for the opportunity. Doug Schneiter told us how he used the grant to purchase turning tools for his high school classes to use, and got more than he had anticipated thanks to an unanticipated discount from the good folks at the Woodcraft store.

Allen Jensen reported that the Symposium made a profit, and that the auction was successful in raising money for our EOG fund.

After the meeting, those of us who brought items to be auctioned moved those items to the auction table. Allen Norris and Katherine Kowalski assisted Drew Nichols in presenting pieces and encouraging bids. Donators included - and please forgive any inadvertent omissions - Cindy Drozda, David Nittman, Doc Thode, Doug Schneiter, Katherine Kowalski, and Allen Norris.

We raised \$730 in funds to begin the new year. Thank you for donating and for bidding.

To view photos of the event go to <a href="http://picasaweb.google.com/rockymountainwoodturners/Christmas2009#">http://picasaweb.google.com/rockymountainwoodturners/Christmas2009#</a>

It was lots of fun.

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## **Membership Dues**

Club Membership Dues are due and payable. 2010 Membership dues are \$40, family \$55 and student \$25. This year, with the dues, the board is updating membership information. Dues are to be paid to the treasurer, Pete Herman (1762 Rhyolite St, Loveland, CO 80537), or to the vice president, Dave Dowding. We will have a registration table set up at the January meeting for that purpose. If you pay with cash, please fill out a form with current address, telephone number, and e-mail, so we will not lose track of who paid. If you pay with a check, please designate 2010 RMWT membership dues on the check.

# **Board meeting**

The board met

# Library

If you know of a book, video (tape, DVD, etc) that you would like to have included in our library, please let our librarian, David Amos (dcjeamos@juno.com, 970 834-1432), know. If you have borrowed an item from our library, and are done with it for now, please return it so that others may have the opportunity to use it.

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## 10% Guild discount

# Wood Emporium 618 N Garfield Ave Loveland

**Sears Trostel** 1500 Riverside Ave Ft. Collins, CO 80524

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

## Woodcraft

3718 Draft Horse Drive Loveland, CO 80538 970-292-5940 Discounts on day of Club Meeting.

# **Clubs and Member's Websites**

Rocky Mountain Wood Turners www.rmwt.org

AAW – American Assoc of Woodturners <a href="https://www.woodturner.org">www.woodturner.org</a>

Trent Bosch www.trentbosch.com

David Nittmann www.davidnittmann.com

Cindy Drozda www.cindydrozda.com

John Lynch www.johnlynchwoodworking.com

Curt Theobald www.curttheobald.com

Katherine Kowalski http://www.DaystarHandworks.com David Nittmann <a href="http://www.davidnittmann.com">http://www.davidnittmann.com</a>

Want your Website Listed? Contact a member of the Newsletter Team!!!

# Learn From the Best...

Our Club, RMWT, is known around the nation because we have some of the best turners, nationally known demonstrators and best teachers of Basic Turning, Intermediate, and 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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**Lee Carter** operates the **Rocky Mountain School of** Woodturning 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. e-mail <a href="LLJTC4X4149@CS.COM">LLJTC4X4149@CS.COM</a>

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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Website is <a href="mailto:www.curttheobald.com">www.curttheobald.com</a>

## John Giem, Woodworker

Individual or small group woodworking instruction customized to the needs of the student. Offering both woodworking on the lathe and combined with regular power tools.

Classes are held in John's workshop in Fort Collins, CO, which is equipped with a complete set of woodworking tools. Contact John to discuss your interests and needs. <a href="mailto:igiem@comcast.net">igiem@comcast.net</a>

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## **David Nittmann**

"Airbrush-On-Wood": airbrushes, accessories and quality woodart specific paint. Lessons available contact David Nittmann david@davidnittmann.com 303.579.6744 or visit his website, http://www.davidnittmann.com.

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 class being offered at web page

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