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Calendar of Events

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| April 3 | Doug Schneider Hollow Forms |
| May 15 | Regular Meeting One week late |
| June 5 | Bruce Cohen |
| July 3 | Regular Meeting |
| August 7 | Regular Meeting |
| September 4 | Regular Meeting |
| October 11-12 | Rocky Mountain Woodturners 5 th Annual Woodturners Symposium |

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Thursday-04/03/03
Industrial Science Building
Room 105
Colorado State University
Ft.Collins Co.

Agenda:
Announcements
Show and Tell
Wood Raffle
Monthly Challenge

Demo: Doug Schneider
Hollow Forms

March Meeting Minutes: The March meeting was called to order at 7:05 by president Allen Jensen. There were 26 members present and one guest, Ken Beal of Ft.Collins. Copies of the clubs liability insurance were available to A.A.W. members, to allow access to the wood dump. Doug Schneider informed the club that the Provo symposium would be limited to 400 people this year due to construction. So get your name in early if you are planning on attending. Doug has also been appointed to the A.A.W. education committee, to help educate students about wood turning. Russ at the Timnath gallery would like to thank the members for there support.

Treasures Report: The Club has \$6,590.00 in the woodturning account.

April Challenge: The challenge for April is to bring a tool or jig that you have made and let us know how you made it. The challenge for the next month will be the demo from the previous month. This should eliminate any confusion about the challenges.

Secretary Notice: The May meeting will be held on May 15, one week late due to Provo. New nametags and library cards will be handed out at the April meeting. Please check your cards for correct information. The club has a new mailbox in Ft.Collins. All correspondence should be sent there.
R.M.W.T.
P.O.Box 273021
Ft.Collins, CO 80527-3021

Wood Raffle:
There will be a wood raffle, and any thing else that you would like to donate at the April meeting.

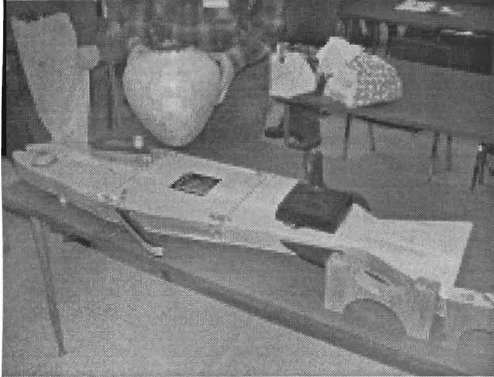
Library Notice:
Please check your shelves for any books or videos belonging to the RMWT library, and return them to the April Meeting.

Symposium Meeting:
The planning for the symposium is underway for October 10th and 11th. The committee positions are:
Coordinator-Mark Kurzmack (970) 490-2297
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Asst. Coordinator/ Demonstrators-Allen Jensen
Registration- Dick Moody
T-Shirts- Drew Nichols
Logistics- Leslie Rice
Space- Doug Schneider
Instant Gallery- John Amey
These Positions are still open:
Audio Visual- (handle rentals and running of video cameras)
Hands on learning-manages hands on learning center
Refreshments- handles sodas, pastries, and coffee each day
Lunches-handles box lunches each day
Information Table- handles T-shirts, registration after initial rush Saturday morning, and general information
Publicity-helps get the word out
Committee members will get free admission and lunch each day. Please contact Mark Kurzmack if you are willing to be responsible for an area

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

Show and Tell:

Travis Kurzmack brought in a robot control board based on a brown trout. That will break down to fit in a limited space



Travis Kurzmacks robotic control board

Dale Kechter brought in a Colorado alabaster and tulipwood vessel, and an alabaster vessel that is constructed from two different types of alabaster that is glued together

Don Deatherage brought in two pepper mills, one out of maple and rosewood with a steel grinder, and one out of maple and walnut with a ceramic grinder.

Duane Fisher brought in a Hopi Indian pattern segmented bowl



More show and tell items

Doug Schneider brought in a Russian olive hollow form, and a covered box made from a 4x4

Drew Nichols brought in a spalted sycamore three axis turning in an experimental form

Allen Jensen brought in a boxelder bowl with mineral oil finish, and a boxelder bowl with fluting on the outside

Curt Theobald brought in a large vessel constructed from catalpa and wenge



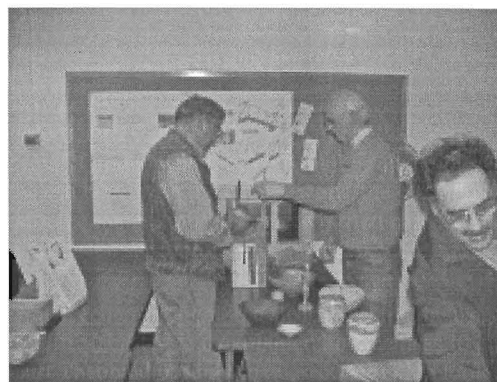
The other fine pieces that were brought in

I did not get the names of the turners that brought in the walnut bowl with the salad tongs, the ash bowl with the chatter work, the elm bowl with the mineral oil finish with buffed carnauba wax, or the six footed apple bowl.

Demo:

Dale Kechter brought in a steady rest that he uses to turn alabaster, and explained how he uses it
Curt Theobald brought in an exacta-parting tool that he uses to part off small items

Doug Schneider brought in a set of calipers that he made out of brass rods, and an h.d. plastic cone that he uses on his lathe, and a depth gauge
Mike Paulson brought in a large assortment of tools that he has made. A buffing adapter that will fit his chuck, a bent pipe to remove chips from his hollow forms, a face plate with sharp screws that will grip flat boards, a marking gauge with a mech. pencil at the end, And a hand sander with a handle for two hand sanding



Mike Paulson explains how to build a two-hand sander

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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 item listed, please let me know so that
it can be removed.

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 inch) 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 82001
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 Workshops:

Trent has a new schedule for his three day, hands
on intensive workshops.

May 2-4

June 17-19

July 18-20

August 15-17

September 19-21

October 3-5

November 14-16

You can call Trent at (970) 568-3299 for
available dates and times.

trentbosch@yahoo.com

Curt Theobald Workshop:

Curt is offering three-day workshops on
"Beginning in Segmented Turning" at his studio.

You can call Curt at (970) 245-3310 for
available dates and times.

**FIFTH ROCKY MOUNTAIN
WOODTURNERS A.A.W. REGIONAL
SYMPOSIUM**

Saturday and Sunday October 11th and 12th
2003

Loveland High School, Loveland Colorado

Demonstrators:

Richard Raffan, Jacques Vesery, David
Nittman, Cindy Drozda, Doug Schneider,
Allen Jensen, Pete Holtus, Curt Theobald, Lee
Carter, Joe Wagner, Dick Moody, and others.
There will be 35 rotations, Instant Gallery,
and a Hands on Learning Center.

Cost: \$90.00

**Discounts: \$10.00 discount for membership in
a local woodturning club, and a \$ 5.00
discount for A.A.W. members.**

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