
AS THE WOOD TURNS

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Minutes of the October 25, 2016 meeting

Next Hands On : December 10th , from 9:00 am until 12 noon at Hank's Dust Bowl

We invite beginning turners to a learning opportunity at the Hands On for one on one instruction. Spindle or bowl turning techniques will be covered. Please reserve your lathe with Pablo Gazmuri @ pgazmuri@comcast.net



Lenny Mandeville holds a turned object which he inserted into the bottle.
He asked us how he did it. Bottle is not cut or altered in any way.

The inspiration came from the new book, "Tricks on the Lathe" by Dave Springett.

December 14th - Holiday Party (the party is considered the regular meeting for this month).

Steve began by announcing that last year we donated to the Arnold Arboretum 10% of the proceeds from our exhibit/show to their artists fund. He proposed doing that again. The motion was voted on and carried. He also said that this is a more prestigious event than a sales event and that they want to skip next year and maybe go on an every other year basis. They will have wood for us to turn though.

Steve made a special mention that John Shooshan attended and turned on the lathe outside the Arboretum all day and never stopped both Saturday and Sunday. On Sunday it should be noted that Bill Dooley also was there turning tops. Steve said that he personally was back and forth inside and out as Sunday was very busy. He also mentioned that the club needs to have someone inside to help patrons (and prospective buyers) with their selections and hence as a group we would have more sales. Kevin Mulligan went with us with his trailer five

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Next Meeting

Tuesday, November 22, 2016 - at
Hank's dust bowl at 409 Washington
St., Abington, MA at 7 pm

Refreshments – by Joe Ridge

Demo –
November meeting - Discussion on
sanding.
December 14th – Christmas party

times to unload things for the show. Steve said that we need to put people in charge of an event (it takes a lot of time). We should probably do this with Cohasset also. Committee? Yes but someone still needs to be in charge. We will discuss this more at the next meeting.

Also the new lathes are heavy to handle. We should get a trailer for them for shows.

The AAW scholarships are currently available. We can nominate one person. There are three schools- Arrowmont, Campbell and Anderson. If you think you are interested, you should let us know and members can select one person to be put forth to the AAW.

The Audubon show is coming up. Saturday, December 3rd. we will demo at their Open House on Rte 3A in Marshfield in the kitchen again. Bring your items for sale to them during the week before. We need volunteers for the demos. Wally mentioned that last year, we as a group submitted less items for sale than usual. We need to have more this year. This will be our third year demonstrating there. It was also mentioned that a substantial number of turned items get sold at the Open House that day so don't be late getting your things to them.

Elections of officers will be held at the club November 22nd meeting with those selected taking office in January.

Can the club collect tax at sales events? We need to get a tax I.D. number. John Duggan said he would take care of this.

The AAW has a survey currently that members are urged to take to give their organization more information. Please participate.

Steve asked the group for someone to be in charge of name tags and do membership cards. Jeyna volunteered.

The club now has a Facebook page. Dan Manley said he organized one for Gateway Woodturners and that the club now has himself, Bernie and Jeff as administrators. Search "Massachusetts South Shore Woodturners"

Barney and Carey Lumber Company is now in Avon on Rte 28. Take exit 19 off of Rte 24. They have turning blanks for both small and larger projects. "Barney and Carey - 491 W.Main st, Avon [508-580-9766](tel:508-580-9766) www.barneyandcarey.com Lumber specialties-furniture repair-custom molding-and woodworking"

Tim reminded us that dues are due in January. It is still just \$40 a year to be a member.

John announced that the club has \$674.07 on deposit in the bank.

Lenny Mandeville said that the library will be receiving a book he ordered on "Tricks on the Lathe" by Dave Springett.

Wayne Miller announced that he has enough people for the Segmented Symposium in Quincy but that he could still use a few more to direct traffic at the symposium.

Mass Audubon's South Shore Sanctuaries - Open House: Saturday, December 3, 10 am-3 pm – woodturners onsite for demos and questions

Instructions from Emily Sinner for Dropoff: during the week prior to the Open House, November 28-December 1 between 9am and 4pm. Dropoffs outside of these hours, or on Friday December 2 can be arranged – but those wishing to drop off outside this time frame must contact the office so we can be sure to have

someone here. I strongly encourage dropping things off as early in the week as possible. I wouldn't turn someone away on Friday, but I'd much prefer they come on Thursday if they can. Also, if anyone has their inventory/price list in electronic format and can **email it directly to me:** esimmer@massaudubon.org, it makes things easier on my end, but whatever works. We always have some issues with inventory and lists not matching up, so diligent cross-referencing and labeling is encouraged.

Pickup of unsold items: Wednesday-Friday December 21-23. Again, other arrangements can be made if those dates don't work, but we **will have school kids here from 12/28-30** for school vacation programs, so we'd love to have the rooms clear by then. Checks for items sold will be mailed in January. Someone usually gets me an updated roster with everyone's contact info sometime before then in case addresses have changed – Emily Sinner.

From Lenny Mandeville : “Last meeting Nigel had some cards that he handed out for a new place to buy wood. I went there and they will not be open for a few weeks yet but they will have wood like Downs and Reader on the Canton line in Stoughton. The place in Avon will have a milling shop and they will be selling "shorts" (4' and under in a certain section of the shop) they will have some woodworking hardware also. Besides boards, they will have plywood available.

To get there you get off exit 19a on rte. 24 toward Avon and at the second set of lights there will be a large white building on the left, just go around the back of the building. While there I saw boards that were from 3/4" to several inches thick and even a round bowl blank about 6" high. should be a nice place to get fancier wood, probably exotics too”

Nigel Howe demonstrated several surface embellishment techniques



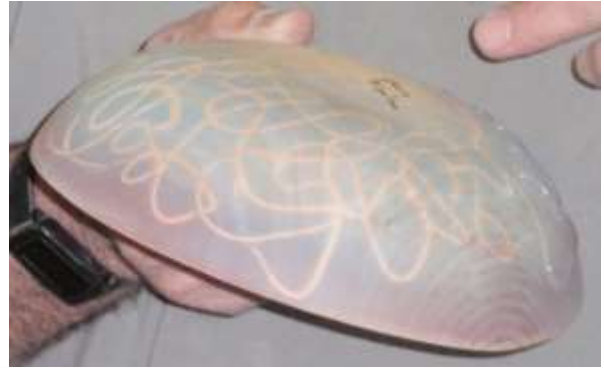
Nigel began his presentation on Surface Embellishments by showing how he dribbled warm (but not hot) glue over the surface of an inverted bowl



Here Nigel uses an airbrush to spray dye over the surface of the bowl after the glue has been applied.



Nigel removes the hardened glue from the bowl's surface.



Here you can clearly see the bowl with the pattern left after the glue is removed.



Nigel also uses the glue image in the wood as a pattern to pierce the bowl in a decorative way.



Nigel uses his piercing tool to create openings in the bowl in a pattern.



Nigel showed us this technique of using two brushes simultaneously to spread dye on the bowl.



Another method of using color is to allow droplets of dye to randomly fall onto the bowl's surface as is shown here.



Pictured is a very large bowl Nigel turned and then colored with multiple dye applications before finishing it with your choice of urethane, lacquer or oil.

Show and Tell



Ken Lindgren holds a recent turning which he colored with Aniline water based dye. The bowl was treated with one coat of blue brushed on and then a second coat of red. The colors show differently due to the bowl being spalted and punky in places. It has a urethane finish which was wiped on, sanded and then repeated. Ken then used a burning tool to dimple the rim.



Mike Veno showed a potato masher with a Mahogany handle he turned and then drilled for a brass pin to hold it on. He used a Waterlox finish which gives it a nice shine.



Charlie showed a goblet with a CELTIC knot design and in the right, a cup holder for pencils. The wood are Maple and Purpleheart.



Ben holds a Cherry burl bowl on the left which he recently turned with a deep rich color. In his right hand Ben is holding a piece of the non-Cherry burl bowl part which he turned into a weed pot (along with the cherry burl bowl). He gave it to the guy who gave him the piece of burl. On the right is a spalted Walnut natural edge bowl





Kevin Mulligan holds a shallow spalted Maple natural edge bowl



Kevin has a large spalted Maple bowl which he coated with ten coats of polyurethane which really brings out the shine.



Kevin showed a third turned bowl of spalted Beech.



Jeyna holds a Dedham spalted Maple bowl with a darkened rim in this photo



Jeyna holds a shallow small bowl she turned and finished with beeswax



Here we see Andy with a Red Cedar natural edge turning which he finished with oil based urethane and buffed.



Andy Osborne showed us his "bronzewood spittoon". He coated it with Mastercraft bronze metal paint.



Nigel holds two "small" (for him anyway) Cherry salad bowls which he finished with Mahoney's Oil.



Sid is holding a spalted Ash box with a nice snap fit to it



Lenny Mandeville also showed a Walnut bowl he turned recently



Pablo holds a thin dish that he did after taking a carving course in Rockport, Maine from Dixie Biggs. He said she uses her carving tool with both hands for better control.



Here Pablo shows a more detailed carving he did in class.



Tim has a Poplar platter he turned nice and thin.



Fred holds a large Beech bowl which he turned and finished with Wipe On Poly. Looks good Fred!



In the photo above Fred has a natural edge bowl from Black Cherry. He finished this one with friction polish.



Steve has a Maple bowl dyed and then finished with ten coats of lacquer. He said that the color needs to shine -which it really does!

November 12th hands-on session took place with Steve and Wayne helping teach about five new turners.

Some photos from the Segmenting Symposium



Exhibit area - a partial view



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More exhibit items on display



Submarine by Bill Abendroth



Four turnings by Wayne Miller on display at the symposium



Dizzy Bowl by Rodney Smith

Some photos from The Arnold Arboretum Exhibit.



Jeff Keller

Nigel Howe



Lenny Langevin



Bill Dooley



Andy Osborne



Steve Wiseman



Sid Katz



Main entrance display case



Frank White

Upcoming Events

Mass Audubon Christmas exhibit - December 3rd. (Open House) until pickup December 21st. through the 23rd.

Items For sale at the Club store : – contact Ron Reynolds at reynoldsron@comcast.net

CA GLUE; THIN, MEDIUM and THICK All are the SAME PRICE

2 Ounce \$4.00, 2 Ounce rubberized \$5.00, 8 Ounce \$12.00, 16 Ounce \$21.00

2 Ounce Accelerator Spray Bottle \$3.00, 8 Ounce Accelerator Refill \$5.00, 2 Ounce Debonder \$3.00
\$.50, Long nozzles –package \$.75, 2 Ounce empty bottles \$.75, 2 Ounce replacement caps

Epoxy 4 Ounce \$5.00 **ANCHORSEAL** - 2 Liter \$15.00, 1 Liter \$8.00, ½ Liter \$4.00 **HATS** - \$15.00

SANDING DISCS; 80 THROUGH 320 GRIT - 2" \$2.50, 3" \$3.50

1" Disc Holder \$7.50, 2" Disc Holder \$8.50, 3" Disc Holder \$10.00 2" Blue Disc Holder \$12.00,

3" Blue Disc Holder \$14.00 ½" Soft Pad Extension \$2.50, Hand Held Disc Holder \$11.00

Bottle Stoppers \$3.00, Bottle Stopper Chuck \$5.00

Tee Shirts \$16.00 \$2.00 More for 2X and larger Polo Shirts \$27.00 \$2.00 More for 2X and larger

Lathes and accessories

Sears Craftsman Lathe and Copy Crafter

Lathe has a 12 inch swing , #1 Morse tapers, accepts chucks threaded for 3/4x16 tpi.

Model # 113.22800 \$125.00

Copy Crafter - Model #113.249078 and is \$50.00

Call Bill Dooley (781) 826-2519 for more information

Note: chuck shown in photo is not included in the sale.



Bob Scott (vintagehomesbuilding@verizon.net) "home made" lathe built from Rockwell lathe parts. Asking \$450 or best offer.



The lathe has a 4" steel frame bed, an 11" swing, and there is 63" between centers. It is powered by a 3 phase 1 1/2 hp. motor with a jack shaft.



Back of Headstock showing motor and jack shaft



Tailstock

Powermatic 90 Lathe for sale, price reduced

Contact: Tom Holland (781) 934-6194 - reduced to \$1,075 or \$900 without the VFD.

Powermatic 90 wood lathe. Very good cond. Disassembled and cleaned and painted in 10/13. New bearings in motor and headstock. Complete. Included is a new TECO VFD unit in the purchase. This allows single phase power to run 3 phase machines. If a club member should buy it I will donate \$50 to the club.



Jim Silva jim@nantucket-turnings.com (508)525-9348 Nova DVR-XP Asking \$1200.00 firm

To make room I need to part with my Nova DVR-XP. Lathe is used but never abused. Comes with spur drive, live center, 12" rest, curved rest, knock-out bar, wooden stand (heavy duty, oak. has drawer, cubby hole, and ballast box. Also comes with articulated arm for dust collector. Have all paperwork. Pick up only. Located in West Wareham. Can provide other details upon request.



Contact Wayne Miller for further information- 781-784-7820 - wayne33@pzturn.com

Notes: All tools in like new condition unless otherwise stated. All reasonable offers considered. Bundle prices negotiable
Will deliver or come to you for viewing except 20" disk sander which must be viewed and picked up in Sharon.

Vendor Column is where I got the list price. Sale Column is asking price

Manufacturer	Description	P/N	Retail	Sale	Vendor	Notes	Quantity
Sorby	Ring Tool Set	835859	\$83.00	\$50.00	Woodcraft		1
Crown Pro-PM	Diamond Parting		\$80.00	\$45.00	Woodcraft		1
Crown Pro-PM	Skew		\$62.00	\$35.00	Packard		1
Easy Wood	Parting Tool	PT125	\$100.00	\$70.00	Easy Wood	No Handle	1
Easy Wood	Pro Easy Finisher	C10	\$140.00	\$80.00	Easy Wood	Custom Handle	1
Easy Wood	Mid Easy finisher	C13	\$120.00	\$70.00	Easy Wood	Custom Handle	1
Thompson	1/8 Parting	12 parting	\$55.00	\$45.00	Thompson	No Handle, New	1
John Jordan	Shear Scraper		\$75.00	\$45.00	Jordan	New	1
Rockler	Duct Fittings, Plastic		\$40.00	\$15.00	Rockler		10
Tompkins	Gage1		\$70.00	\$40.00	Packard		1
Long Ranger III	Remote Dust Collector Switch	LRI-110-3	\$105.00	\$60.00	PSI	3 Aluminum switched gates	1
Easy Wood	4" Face Plate, 1"-8 aluminum	F440	\$33.00	\$20.00	Easy Wood		2
No Name	4" Face Plate, 1"-8 steel		\$25.00	\$15.00	No Name		5
Nova	1"-8 Chuck insert		\$22.00	\$10.00	Woodcraft		3
Precision Machine	Screw Chuck 1"-8		\$46.00	\$15.00	Craft Supply		1
Precision Machine	Faceplate Center		\$21.00	\$10.00	Craft Supply		1
Beall Tool	Spindle Tap 1"-8		\$19.00	\$10.00	Beall		1
Easy Wood	3.5" Faceplate, 1 1/4-8, aluminum	F635	\$30.00	\$15.00	Woodcraft		2
Black & Decker	Workmate	425	\$75.00	\$35.00	Online		1
Lindsay	Sphere Jig	12"	\$269.00	\$150.00	Lindsaylathe		1
Rikon	Dust Collector	63-100	\$179.00	\$100.00	Woodcraft		1
RJR Studios	SandFlee		\$1,200.00	\$650.00	RJR		1
Woodtek	20" Disk Sander	923-803	\$1,800.00	\$1,200.00	Woodtek	220 V. Save hundreds in freight	1