
AS THE WOOD TURNS

May 2003

Hands on Turning and Learning Saturday Session a Success



We told Hank we needed more chairs!

Fourteen members participated in our first 2003 turning and learning session. They brought their tools, wood, pieces in progress and the desire to learn and teach. Three lathes saw action for over two hours. New techniques were learned, questions were answered, tools sharpened, beginning turners were tutored, and everyone enjoyed the experience. There will be more turning and learning sessions so make plans to attend.

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Next Meeting

Tuesday, May 27th, 2003, 7:00 P.M.

At Hank Cahill's *Dust Bowl*

Refreshments by: Jim Flannery

Member Challenge: Earring stand

Demonstration: Frank Movitz

Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm at Hank Cahill's Dust Bowl

President's Report and General Business

Hank introduced a guest, Phil Vaughn.

A fund raising letter was received from Fuller Museum, now the New England Craft Museum. John Murphy has pieces in the Gift Shop and Wally has displayed a piece at the member show.

Other correspondence included the Surrey Woodturners newsletter from England, a request for someone to make wooden spheres, Woodturning Magazine subscription forms and the new program listing for North Bennet Street School.

Treasurer Wally Kemp reported \$1663 in treasury. He had Aqua Seal available for \$9/gal.

Hank delivered Lenny Langvin's birdhouse to Habitat for Humanity for their annual birdhouse auction at the South Shore Plaza.

The date of Saturday, June 14th, 2003 was picked for our demo at Woodworkers Warehouse in Avon.

New name badges were available for members to wear at the meetings.

Lenny Langvin reported that the Onset Creative Art Association is having a Craft Show August 16th and would like us to have items for sale and in a juried show. Contact: Margot Tel. 508-291-7004.

Audubon Farm Day will be held on October 4th.

A juried art show will be held at Marshfield Hills on Memorial Day weekend.

A demonstration by Luke Mann will be held in October.

H-K Hardwoods is now located in Lakeville. Contact Laurie Tel. 508-923-6970.

Eight to nine members will be attending the 4th Annual New England Woodturning Symposium at Pinkerton Academy, Derry, NH.

Seen at the 4th New England Woodturning Symposium



WOW!!!

The Fabrication Team of 14 members who participated in the Rhode Island State Capitol Dome collaborative project, now on display at the Capitol, have been invited to be recognized by the Rhode Island Senate at 4PM, Wednesday, May 28th in the Senate Chamber.

Lenny the Librarian has the following new videos:

43. Tools for Hollow Turning — David Ellsworth
44. Tips for Turners (tape #3)— David Ellsworth
45. Turning Green Wood—Michael O'Donnell
(featured in woodturners magazines each month)
46. Turned Wooden Hats—Johannes Michelson
47. N.H. Symposium 2000
48. Turning Wooden Bowls—Dennis White

Turning & Learning

Open house at Wally Kemp's shop
Learn & Turn on a ONEWAY Lathe!
Saturday, June 7, 10 to 12am
Details at the May meeting

Turning and Learning



Ken and Wally discuss first turning on our Delta lathe with members looking on



. Jim takes a "turn".



Bernie starts a turning on the Jet Mini Lathe.



Consultation



Works in progress



Hank turns on the General Lathe



Andy proceeds to turn and critique his work



Hank's glove in action



Gunnar turns as Emilio offers his advice and expertise



Jim and Ken review procedures



Two lathes at work



Sidney confers with Wally



Bob demonstrates Axe handle "lathe" to Philip

Members: Join us at the next Turn & Learn session

April 2003

Show & Tell



Hank's Honey Locus bowl with burned decorations

Ron's hollow burl

Jim's pieces decorated with acrylic paint



Willow egg by Ken Stevens

Wally's bowl from inside large burl, bow tie insert on natural edge bowl & bowl from old cherry with iron stains from 3 spikes



Andy's maple bowl colored with green aniline dye

Lenny's tapered threaded piece



Jeff's maple boxes, spalted maple plate & oak egg box

Ken's hat for "Put a lid on it" entry



Richard Friberg's BlueRibbon egg

Bob Sutter's middle of burl with ebonized cherry base

Emilio's cherry bowl of assorted eggs from "figured junk wood"