
AS THE WOOD TURNS

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When the milk comes from a
segmented cow!



Jim Flannery turned this segmented milk bottle
from Holly and Walnut.



And that's no Bull!

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Next Meeting

Tuesday, February 24th, 2009, 7:00 P.M.
At Hank Cahill's *Dust Bowl*
Refreshments by: Ron Robertson
Member Challenge: Civil War Nuckolls
Wooden Canteen, see our web site for details
also Google "Nuckolls wooden canteen"

Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm at Hank Cahill's Dust Bowl
President's Report and General Business

Guests present: David May from Norton, Dick Bancroft from Hanover, David Parks, Steve Herrmann from Pembroke and Lars Riggs from East Bridgewater.

Hank received correspondence: Surrey England Woodturners Newsletter, AAW Liability Insurance Certificate and letter from Paul Fennell as possible future demonstrator. Craft Supplies supplied a price list on a close out sale.

AAW's office said that no bailout is needed! They are looking for stories for their 25th YearBook. A segmented turning group has been started as a separate chapter.

Hank supplied information on salt vaults. He also mentioned that Totally Turning 2009 will be held March 28 and 29.

Ernie reported that Pinkerton Academy, Derry, NH will be holding the Sixth New England Woodturning Symposium on May 23, 2009 and featuring a Youth Symposium on Friday May 22. Nineteen well known woodturners will be demonstrating. Check MSSW binder at next meeting for details or check their web site.

Grant Money: Jeff has written a request for \$1500.

We have TV and cameras for showing demonstrators in action and Don Diedrich volunteered to set up and run at demonstrations.

There is a Woodworking Show at Royal Plaza Trade Center, Marlborough, MA February 20-22, 2009.

www.thewoodworkingshows.com

Mal asked for refreshment volunteers and also mentioned that dues for 2009 are due. Mal's MSSW binder contained Member Challenge details, Leonardo Da Vinci's lathe, Lego lathes, Picasa 3 when running saves "print screen" as screen captures that can be edited if desired, Woodworkers Journal Publication "Turning Skill Building Projects" on sale now, and March WOOD magazine has an article on using Sketchup for designing projects.

Wally reported \$1768 in treasury. Mike's costs for pedestal materials were \$779 and sales of them produced \$810. Wally will purchase 5 gallons of Anchor Seal for next meeting. Bring an empty gallon container if you wish to purchase some.

Audubon Farm day will be held on September 26, 2009. A fee of \$35 will allow us to sell at our demonstration.

Ron the Librarian reported that the library is on the honor system. DVD rental is \$2.00. We will keep a master copy of DVD's using a duplicate for rental. He also mentioned that our web site needs more links. If members have any suggestions send them to Bob on the site. Also more members should log on and participate on the Forum. Ron, a retired airline pilot, gave details on the recent US Air Hudson River landing.

We will be having a demonstration by Christian Burchard on Saturday March 21st at Hank's shop. The cost of \$700 will be covered by Member fee of \$15 and non member fee of \$20.

Bob Sutter reported on a new Titebond high-performance cyanoacrylate available in four unique viscosities. Gel great for end grain. Two year shelf life.

Hand's On at Hank's Saturday Feb. 21st. 10am.

Nigel reported problems with his new respirator.

Andy reported that the South Shore Art Center Fair held on Father's Day weekend requires a booth fee to be divided by participating members.

Bill Dooley in a 2-13-2009 phonecall to Mal mentioned that the Hanover Public Library would like us to display turnings for the month of March. Details at meeting.

Hank will discuss an October collaborative with woodcarvers at the meeting.

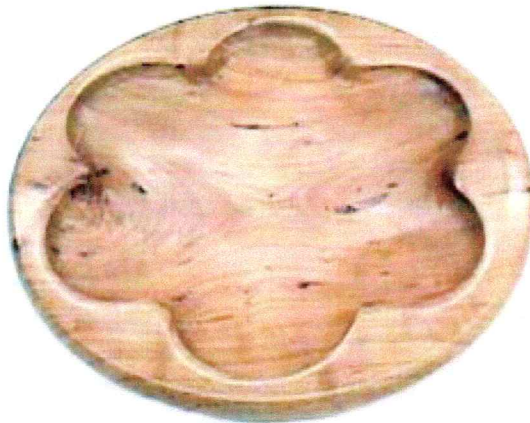
Our Webmaster, Bob Trucchi, gave a most informative slide show on how to use our site and get the most out of it. The gallery needs more images of member turnings. Register for the Forum, only 5 members have.

Welcome New Members
Philip Connolly from Middleboro
Steve Herrmann from Pembroke

More Show & Tell



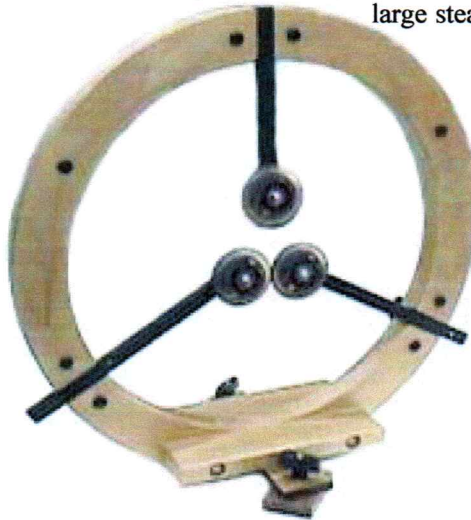
Jim Flannery's Member Challenge pieces with jig



Ian's Challenge Cherry piece, Rosewood and Mahogany Cane, Spalted Holly and Mahogany vessel and large steady rest



Steve Wiseman's Walnut Salad Bowls



Unkown member's pieces

Jeff displayed a wooden snake - without the grass!



Paul's Maple bowl and Pine disk with bark



Jeff's Cherry and Maple rolling pin with Padauk ends



Show & Tell

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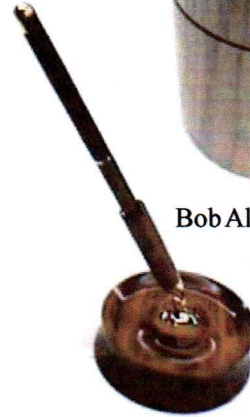
Andy's Red Oak ebonized piece, Cherry vase and Cherry and Maple piece using blue dye



Bob Sutter's Cherry box



Bob Allen's Holly box and pen



Nigel's large Spalted Holly Vase and Segmented bowl



Mike's Mahogany and Spanish Cedar box. Idea from Beth Ireland Video - see detail



Bill Dooley's Apple bowl, Lilac snake and Cherry Burl box

