



Chattahoochee Woodturners Newsletter



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MAY MEETING

DEMONSTRATOR: Dan Douthart

BIO: I have enjoyed working with wood since High School Shop Class, but nothing involving a lathe. My lathe addiction started about eight years ago and since then, my interest in flat work has gone downhill. My planer and jointer are gathering dust and the table, radial arm, chop, band and scroll saws are primarily used to prepare stock or jigs for the lathe.

My primary interest is with spindle type work. In the beginning I made few bowls until my wife said "enough already". I then tried pens and bottle stoppers, but did not find them very challenging. My next foray was with necklace pendants, but that involved more finishing than turning. My current interests are with Christmas ornaments, lidded boxes and small hollow forms.

I am always striving for that perfect slicing cut that requires little or no sanding.

DEMONSTRATION: Dan will be demonstrating his methods for creating crossdrilled ornaments.





Ramblings from the President

Bert Nagy, President 2017

As I announced at the April meeting, CWT has secured a booth for Marketplace 2017 at the Gainesville Civic Center on November 2, 3 and 4. We had a booth there in 2015 and were very successful. I am optimistic that we will be more successful this year.

That being said there is a lot of work to be done, and the club needs everyone's help. A detailed schedule and plan is being developed, and will be presented after board approval.

Club members have a great opportunity to learn how to improve the aesthetics of pieces. Mark Gardner will be teaching a hands-on class on various methods of embellishing our work. His techniques should set your work apart. I don't have a count as of this writing, but we will open registration to non-club members after the May meeting.

Good turning
Bert Nagy

IMPORTANT NOTICE ON JUNE WORKSHOP

The June 13, 2017 meeting of CWT will be preceded by a workshop conducted by Saluda N.C. woodturner Mark Gardner. In the workshop, Mark will give us some insight on his techniques for embellishment of our turnings. He will also cover the use of milk paints. This will be a great opportunity to get some hands-on instruction from an artist. Check out his web site markgardnerstudio.com

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APRIL MEETING

DEMONSTRATOR: Mark Sillay

DEMONSTRATION: Mark Sillay was the demonstrator for the April 11, 2017 meeting of Chattahoochee Wood Turners. Mark's objective for the demo was to show how to achieve a superior cut with your cutting tools, sand and finally apply a finish that is both beautiful and durable while taking less time.

Drawing on 16 years of wood turning, Mark emphasized tool control as being vital for achieving a final cut that can be sanded easily and quickly. Mark stressed that good tool control comes from entire body movements. He also demonstrated a method of cutting the inside bottom of a vessel using a bowl gouge which had been ground with a higher than normal angle. Mark called this gouge a "bottom feeder". It appeared that it worked very well on an area that can be difficult.

Mark also gave some tips on sanding. He does not recommend power sanding. Random orbital hand sanding on the lathe is his favored method. This type of sanding eliminates the circular lines that are the result of sanding on the lathe while holding the paper still.

The final part of the demo was application of a finish. Mark uses a finish that is fairly easily applied and seems to be very user friendly. The CA finish that Mark uses is a medical grade of CA and it is odorless. He applied the CA with a paper towel in a random orbital action, let the piece dry, and buffed at 1750 rpm or less with white diamond. The finish quality was excellent and much faster than conventional finishes. If you are interested in the finish, you can contact Mark at marksillay@me.com or 404-556-1736. The finish is Parsons Adhesives Parfix 3408.



CHECK OUT CHATTAHOOCHEE WOODTURNERS FACEBOOK PAGE

Are you on Facebook? If so have you joined our chapter Facebook Group where you can post pictures and comments relevant to the chapter. Take advantage of this social media to interact with your fellow chapter members.

If you have any questions please contact Becky Phillips or Mike Peace.

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Ken's Korner

May Menu*

Hot Dogs with Chili
Onions, Slaw and Chips
May Chef is Ron Norris

*Meal + Drink \$5.00

Videographers Schedule

May Jerry Chandler

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2017 EVENT SCHEDULE

DATE	NAME	EVENT
May 9 th	Dan Douthart	Crossdrilled Ornament
May 16 th	Mike Peace	Turned Goblet with Captive Ring
June 13 th	Mark Gardner	Workshop: Surface Embellishment
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June 20 nd	Mike Peace	Hands On Workshop
July 11 th	Steve Cook	TBD
July 17 th	Mike Peace	Hands On Workshop
August 8 th	Kevin Wood	Natural Edge Bowls
August 22 th	Mike Peace	Hands On Workshop
September 12 th	TBD	TBD
September 15-17	Turning Southern Style	Dalton, Georgia
September 18 st	Mike Peace	Hands On Workshop
October 10 th	TBD	TBD
October 17 th	Mike Peace	Hands On Workshop
November 14 th	TBD	TBD
November 21 th	Mike Peace	Hands On Workshop
December 12 th	Bert Nagy	Christmas Celebration

Members Gallery



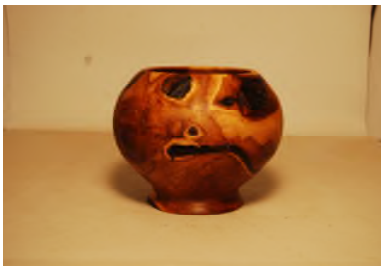
Joy Moss



Jack Morse



Ron Norris



Carolyn Adams



Jimmy Stripling



Don Willers



Mike Peace



Don Willers



Wes Jones



WesJones

New Members



Chuck Wharton

Visitors

No visitors in April

Hands On Tuesday

Hands on Woodturning (HOW)

May Session, Tues. May 16: We will learn to turn a goblet with a captive ring.

The club has some tools available so you if you don't have tools no problem. But as always, you may want to bring your own familiar tools. If you have a tool for cutting a ring, bring it.

Call for Woodturners: Come and enjoy some fun and fellowship with your turning buddies. And maybe even learn new and creative techniques in woodturning. No skill prerequisites required, come as you are.

Time: 10AM – 2PM. Bring a lunch. Cold drinks in the refrigerator for a buck. This workshop will be \$5.00 to cover wood which will be provided.

April HOW Participants for Turning a Platter:

Allen and Becky Phillips

Roe Callaway

John Cornelson

Ken Klein

Don Willers

Susan Shortman

Carolyn Adams

Helping Mike Peace with the hands on instruction:

Ron Norris

Harold Wright



Re-Sources of Interest

- For those of you with a PM3520, check out <http://mustardmonster.weebly.com/> for great tips such as making your own moveable remote safety cut off switch. This is great device when you are hollowing and working on the inside of a bowl. You can make this for a few bucks compared to more than \$100 to buy one from Powermatic.
- Here is a link to a great sharpening video by Doug Thompson, maker of Thompson tools: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZOc6giDP39A#t=29>
- Mike Peace has added several more YouTube videos to his woodturning channel at: https://www.youtube.com/user/mpax356/videos?view_as=public
- **Safety Tip:** *Don't use a Spindle Roughing gouge on a bowl! Never! Watch this video if you need a reminder why* <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IOhHeyoZLaY>
- Bob Black recommends woodcraftbands.com for bandsaw blades. They offer a blade just like the Highland Woodworking's Turners blade for green wood but 40% cheaper for an order of 5. Shipping is about \$10."
- The **AAW** has created a searchable video library with videos that have been screened for content and safety. You can access this at <http://www.woodturner.org/page/LPVideos>
- **WOODTURNERS WONDERS** Ken Rizza 678-442-9454 woodturnerswonders.com kjrdistributing@gmail.com CBN Wheels, Lathe Lamps and Sanding Kits
- **PEACHTREE WOODWORKING** - PWW, is a big supporter of our annual fund raising auction, and are now carrying a full line of Sorby tools
- **CRAFT SUPPLY** offers a 13% club discount for a group purchase of \$1,000 or more.
- **KLINGSPOR** offers a 10% discount to club members on anything not already tagged as a sale price



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Hartville Tool Club Member Discount of 15% Available

- **ROCKLER:** Most of us would rather just shop online rather than driving to Sandy Springs to get a discount. I spend over three hours a day in my car coming and going so I know the frustrations in getting to our store, but keep in mind that we stock several things instore that you will never see on our website. However, if you enjoy letting the Big Brown Truck bring you packages then I would like to extend the following offer:
\$7 flat rate UPS shipping if you call the store to place your order, mention that you're a club member and get your 10% discount.
Spend over \$100 and we'll ship for FREE! (excludes power tools)
I would like to personally thank your group for the continued support of woodturning in our state and local community. If there is anything we at Rockler can do to support you all, please feel free to contact myself.

Sincerely, Jeff Slaton

Classifieds

None

CWT Video Library

Item #	Title /Description	Media type
2	1995 AAW Symposium-Demo Techniques	VHS no fee
3	1995 AAW Symposium- Instant Gallery	VHS no fee
4	1995 AAW Symposium-Demo Techniques	VHS no fee
5	1995 AAW Symposium- Instant Gallery	VHS no fee
6	Introduction to Bowl Turning with Rus Hart	VHS no fee
10	Paragraphics-Demonstration Video	VHS no fee
11	2006 AAW Symposium-Snapshots	DVD no fee
12	Fundamentals of Sharpening	DVD no fee
14	Novelties and Projects ; Dennis White	VHS no fee
18	Elliptical Turning By David Springett	VHS no fee
20	Palmer Sharpless-The Johnny Appleseed of Turning	VHS no fee
22	Decorative Effects & Coloring with Chris Stott	VHS no fee
23	Turning Projects with Richard Raffan	VHS no fee
25	Ed Moulthrop-Wood Turning Pioneer	VHS no fee
26	Tymba Turning Basics with Bruce Bell	VHS no fee
31	Bowl Turning with Rus Hurt	VHS no fee
33	Turning Wood with Richard Raffan	VHS no fee
34	Binh Pho-Turning Logs into Art	VHS no fee
35	1999 AAW Symposium-Snapshots	VHS no fee
36	The AAW: Who WE Are-What We Offer	VHS no fee
37	The AAW: Who WE Are-What We Offer	VHS no fee
38	Turning Boxes with Richard Raffan	VHS no fee
39	Dale Nish Demo's-(4 DVD Set)	DVD
40	Turnaround, Jimmy Clewes	DVD
41	Two Ways to Make a Bowl, Batty & Mahoney	DVD
42	Bowl Turning with Del Stubbs	DVD
43	From the Tree to the Table; Making Bowls and Plates for the Kitchen: Mike Mahoney	DVD
44	The Skew Chisel with Alan Lacer	DVD
45	Beginning Spindles to Bowls with Joe Ruminski	DVD
46	Introduction to Segmented Turning with Curt Theobald	DVD
48	Turned Bowls Made Easy with Bill Bumbine	DVD
49	Woodturning Projects #1 with Rex and Kip	DVD
50	Woodturning Projects #2 with Rex and Kip	DVD
51	Turning Projects with Richard Raffan	DVD
52	Beyond the Basic Bowl with Bill Gumbine	DVD
53	Back to Basics with Jimmy Clewes	DVD

Item#	Title/Description	Media Type
54	Turning the World with Jimmy Clewes Vol. 1	DVD
55	Turning the World with Jimmy Clewes Vol. 2	DVD
56	Turning the World with Jimmy Clewes Vol. 3	DVD
58	Woodturning with Ray Allen	DVD
59	Hollow Forms and Urns-A Workshop with Mile Mahoney	DVD
61	Fabulous Finial Box with Cindy Drozda	DVD
62	Turning Unusual Materials with Bonnie Klein	DVD
63	Beginning Spindles to Bowls with Joe Ruminski (2 Copies)	DVD
64	Hollow Forms- the Easy Way with Lyle Jamieson	DVD
65	Hand Crafted Pens-The Basics from Penn State	DVD no fee
66	Holding Wood on the Lathe with Mike Peace	DVD
67	Effective Demonstrations with Frank Penta	DVD
68	Turning Fancy Christmas Ornaments the easy way with Ron Brown	DVD
69	Fancy Vignettes & the Polychromatic Laminating System with Ron Brown	DVD
70	Wood Turning into Art with Jerry Crowe	DVD
71	Elegant Finials with Cindy Drozda	DVD
72	The Skew Chisel with Alan Lacer	VHS no fee
73	Turning Projects with Richard Raffan	VHS no fee
74	The New Yankee Workshop-Table Saw Station	VHS no fee
75	Turning Wood with Richard Raffan	VHS no fee
76	Space Fence Joinery Basics	VHS no fee
77	Fundamentals of Sharpening with Bonnie Klein, John Jordan Bill Johnston, and Alan Lacer	VHS no fee
78	Turned Wood with John Jordan	VHS no fee
79	Turned Wood with John Jordan	VHS no fee
80	Turning Boxes with Richard Raffan	VHS no fee
81	Bowl Turning with Del Stubbs	VHS no fee
82	Turning Wood with Richard Raffan	VHS no fee
83	Perfect Wood Finishes with Bob Flexner	VHS no fee

Video rental fee is \$1.00 per month.

Have a video in your shop that you no longer refer to of seldom use? Consider donating to the library. A label will be attached indicating that you donated it so if you subsequently check it out, there will no charge to you



Mark Gardner Workshop

Tuesday, June 13, 2017

Sponsored by Chattahoochee Woodturners, AAW Chapter 112



Surface embellishments for your turnings

Mark will demonstrate all the various techniques and methods he uses to embellish his work. He will show how he lays out geometric patterns on turned vessels, using the lathe as a clamp. Techniques covered include carving with power and hand tools, engraving and even some textures done on the lathe. He will be using a home-made woodburner and demonstrate how he uses milk paints and dyes to enhance the carved patterns.

Students will get a chance to experiment with all the tools and techniques.

Workshop Location: Baxter's Belmont Shop, 3738 Anglin Drive, Gainesville, GA

Workshop Date: June 13, 2017 10:30AM to 5:30PM

Cost: \$60 for CWT members. Non-chapter members \$70. Lathes, chucks, tools and face shields are provided but you are welcome to bring your own.

There are 8 slots for students so reserve yours early. Preference will be for CWT members, but after May 10, 2017 the slots will be made available to other chapters.

Workshop Facilitator: Mark Gardner

Items to Bring: Bring a sack lunch. Cold drinks are available for a \$1. Students should bring pieces to work on, they may be seconds, failures, defects and even just some pieces of wood to mess around on. Also, bring wood that can be used as a jam chuck to hold your pieces between centers, Face shields and basic turning tools are provided, but you are welcome to bring your own. Bring any carving or texturing tools that you might already have.

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CANCELLATION & REFUND POLICY: We will make a full refund if we need to cancel the workshop for any reason. Full refund if the cancellation is received in writing 2 weeks prior to the class date. Later cancellations may be eligible for a refund if we are able to fill the slot. "No shows" will not be eligible for a refund.

Questions? Please contact: Ron Grindle, Vice-President, 770-536-9809 or 770-654-5197, rgrindle911@gmail.com.

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