

CHATTAHOOCHEE WOODTURNERS



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August Meeting, Tuesday August 14, 2007 Baxter's Belmont Shop

The President's Turn

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We had a great turnout for the July 10th meeting with Wes Jones doing his usual fine job of demonstrating surface decorations. His demo "log" on which he showed many different types of decoration was really helpful so we could compare the results side by side. I hope you've had a chance to try out one or more of these. Why not bring a sample of what you've done next meeting.

The August 14th demonstrator will be Jim Bliss from Missouri. He'll be demonstrating turned ornaments, which seems to be a popular product for most of us. Jim comes highly recommended by many who have attended his other demonstrations.

Please check further in this newsletter for information on the 18th Annual Georgia National Fair in Perry, GA from October 4th through the 14th. Al Daniels' wife, Lena, will be attending and serving as a "docent" on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, the 12th, 13th and 14th, and is willing to bring back any items you might take or send for the exhibit. Please let Al know if you would like for Lena to bring anything back for you. His e-mail address is dan-d@optilink.us. Al says a couple of members from the Apple Ridge club are taking some items down and I would be interested in knowing if any of you

plan to exhibit. Just be sure to check out the link because you will need to send pictures by mid-August.

We continue to enjoy our remodeled meeting facilities. I've heard several compliments on seating and visibility. Average meeting attendance is around forty and has remained high during the summer. Fall should be strong as members return from vacations. Hal and his team have some excellent demonstrators on the schedule for the rest of the year.

See you Tuesday, August 14th. Don't forget the pre-meeting at 6:00 PM and don't forget to bring your projects for the instant gallery and your donations for the raffle.

Jerry

New Business

Come and see our new meeting room! No need to stand. We can now seat up to 60 people if needed. Thanks to our landlord, Sarah Baxter and some of our members.

2007 Dues

We are up to 62 members. Our 2007 dues are now due, \$25 for individuals and \$40 per family. Please pay at the next meeting or mail to: Dan Albertus, 400 Matterhorn Drive, Sautee, GA, 30571. Dan is our 2007 Treasurer.

Upcoming Events

August 2007 CWT Meeting

Our demonstrator for August will be Jim Bliss from Missouri. He'll be demonstrating turned Christmas ornaments. Jim will be teaching at John C. Campbell August 19 to the 26th. They have the following information in their catalog:

Jim Bliss

Woodturning

Jim Bliss is a lifelong woodworker who started woodturning in the 1970s. He attended Arrowmont School of Arts and Craft for instruction with nationally-known turners. He has since taught at Arrowmont and the Folk School. He is a founding member of the American Association of Woodturners and the Southeast Missouri Woodturners. Jim's work consists of a variety of bowls and boxes with occasional surface design and texture, and also Christmas ornaments, which were featured in an article in the AAW Journal in 1998.

GAW's 13th ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM

The Georgia Association of Woodturners 13th annual symposium will feature world renowned woodturners. There will also be a banquet dinner, woodturning art auction and educational events. The Georgia Association of Woodturners (GAW), are dedicated to providing education, information and organization to those interested in woodturning. They will be presenting their annual symposium, "Turning Southern Style XIII". This year's event will again be held at the Unicoi State Park and Lodge near Helen, Georgia on September 14-16, 2007.

This year's featured turners are: Stuart Mortimer from Hampshire, England, Michael Mocho from New Mexico, and Michael Hosaluk from Saskatoon, Canada. For more information, please visit their website at www.gawoodturner.org. Or contact: Harvey Meyer, Symposium Chairman, The Georgia Association of Woodturners, 770 671-1080, him1951@bellsouth.net

Georgia National Fair

The 18th Annual Georgia National Fair, October 4-14, 2007

Remember the Georgia National Fair; Oct 4th to 14th in Perry Ga. information is available at: <http://www.georgianationalfair.com/>

Information on woodturning is at:

<http://www.georgianationalfair.com/galivingcenter/07FABroc.pdf>

If you would like to help out, you can volunteer to staff the woodturning area. If you can cover three hours, you get 2 free tickets and free parking in the VIP space. Please contact Fred Morris.

If you would like to submit your work they will need pictures by August 15th. Again, contact Fred for more information.

Fred Morris,
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770-358-6500

VIDEO LIBRARY - Recent additions:

Item #	Title/Description	Media
18	Elliptical Turning By David Springett (donated by Toney Boling)	VCR tape
19	Thread Cutting with Robert Sorby (donated by Sarah Baxter)	“
20	Palmer Sharpless - The Johnny Appleseed of Turning (donated by Sarah Baxter)	“
45	Beginning Spindles to Bowls with Joe Ruminski	

46 Introduction to Segmented Turning with Curt Theobald

47-1 Turn it On with Jimmy Clewes #1

47-2 Turn it On with Jimmy Clewes #2

47-3 Turn it On with Jimmy Clewes #3

Do you have a video in your shop that you no longer refer to or seldom use? How about donating it? A label will be attached indicating that you donated it so that if you subsequently check it out there will be no charge to you.

Remember all members have access to our video library. We have both video tapes and DVD's. They include authors Jimmy Clewes, Chris Stott, Ed Moulthrop, Richard Raffan, Binh Pho, Nick Cook and others. Many woodturning subjects are covered, such as turning bowls, pens, boxes, spindles and more. We also have pictures of the gallery from many national symposiums. They will give you many idea's for new challenges. Any member can rent them for \$2.00 per month. We use the rental proceeds to purchase new DVD's. So, the more you rent, the more new DVD's we can purchase! If you have any questions please see Andy Smith, the librarian.

Recommendations of additions to the library and where the item can be acquired should be given to Andy Smith, video librarian, email address: apricsmith@mindspring.com

Did you miss the June meeting? We have three DVD's in our library by Jimmy Clews.

The Officers for 2007 are:

President - Jerry Chandler, jwc43@bellsouth.net

Vice President/Program Chairman Hal Simmons, simmonsh@mindspring.com

Treasurer – Dan Albertus, Albertus@alltel.net

Secretary/Newsletter Editor - Theron Rogers, theronrogers@bellsouth.net

Appointed for 2006 are:

Raffle - John and Joy Moss, tbeagle@allnet.net

Southern States Liaison - Mike Sewell, dmjsewell@charter.net

Librarian – Andy Smith, apricsmith@mindspring.com

Program Committee - Wes Jones, wwjones@comcast.net

Website-Update!

The address for The Chattahoochee Woodturners website has been changed to the following. <http://www.chattwoodturners.org/news.php> . If you had saved the old address in a bookmark or

favorite, you will need to update it. Please feel free to contact one of the officers if you have questions, comments, or suggestions for the website. Also note that members may post classified ads, articles, and links to suppliers, instructors, and woodturning resources areas of the website themselves. All posts must be approved for publication, so please email Jimmy at jirvin@mindspring.com when you post in any of these categories.

Membership

Let's bring a friend, relative, or neighbor to our next meeting. The more dues paying members we have, the better demonstrators we can bring in, the better the information transfer, the better and larger the raffles, etc. Please forward this newsletter to anyone you think might be interested in turning wood. Then give me his/her e-mail address and I will add them to our monthly mailing. You do not need to be a member to receive our newsletter.

Pre-Meeting at 6PM

Don't forget to come at 6PM to have a sandwich and a drink, and ask your woodturning questions!

2007 Demonstrator schedule

Chattahoochee Woodturners 2007 Demonstrator Program Schedule

Program Date	Program Topic	Demonstrator	Link
01.09.07	Turning and Routing	John Lucas (TN)	www.finecrafts.org/Lucas/John.htm
02.13.07	Birdhouse Ornament Turning	Frank Bowers (GA)	Y
03.13.07	Finishing Jar	Gary Gardner (GA)	Y
04.10.07	Pyrography and Gilding	Doug King (GA)	Y
05.08.07	Four leaf clover box	Pat Johnson (AL)	Y
06.20.07	Turning an Oriental Box	Jimmy Clewes (GB)	www.jimmyclewes.com/
07.10.07	Surface Decoration	Wes Jones (GA)	Y
08.14.07	Ornaments	Jim Bliss (MO)	Y
09.11.07		Michael Mocho(NM)	N
10.09.07	Hollowing Tools	Patrick O'Brien (NC)	Y
11.13.07		Alan Leland (NC)	http://alanleland.com/
12.11.07		Christmas Party	

Name Badge

Anyone who does not have a name badge, would you please contact me.

TheronRogers@Bellsouth.net

Classified Advertisements

AAW Classified <http://www.woodturner.org/vbforum/forumdisplay.php?s=&daysprune=-1&f=3>

Woodturning Links

Here are some woodturning links that you might be interested in viewing.

Craft Supply <http://www.woodturnerscatalog.com> 800-551-8876 Woodturning Supplies
Packard <http://www.packardwoodworks.com> 800-683-8876 Woodturning Supplies
American Association of Woodturners <http://www.woodturner.org> Woodturning Association.
Klingspor <http://www.woodworkingshop.com> 800-228-0000 Abrasives and woodturning supplies
Highland Woodworking <http://www.highlandhardware.com> 800-241-6748 Woodworking tools, supplies
The Cutting Edge <http://www.cuttingedgetools.com> 800-790-7980 Turning and carving tools, supplies
Penn State <http://www.pennstateind.com> 800-377-7297 Woodturning tools, supplies
Hut Products <http://www.hutproducts.com> 800-547-5461 Woodturning tools, supplies
Atlanta Wood Products <http://www.hardwoodweb.com> 800 964-7804 Specialty Hardwoods
Woodcraft <http://www.woodcraft.com> 800-225-1153 Woodworking and Hardware
Rockler <http://www.rockler.com> 800-279-4441 Woodworking and Hardware
Wood magazine Forum <http://www.woodmagazine.com> Q and A on Woodturning
Woodworking Products <http://www.thebestthings.com> Woodworking products and others

Woodturning Instruction

John C. Campbell Folk School <http://www.folkschool.org> 1-800 FOLK SCH Brasstown, NC
Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts <http://www.arrowmont.org> 1-865-436-5860 Gatlinburg, TN
Highland Hardware <http://www.highlandhardware.com> 800-241-6748 Atlanta, GA
Woodcraft <http://www.woodcraft.com> 800-225-1153 Roswell, GA

Private Woodturning Instruction

The following club members give private woodturning instruction in their shops. If you are interested in some personalized instruction or expanding your turning expertise, contact them for more information. Other members that would like to be included in this listing are invited to contact the editor.

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Nick Cook	770 421-1212	info@nickcookwoodturner.com
Wes Jones	770 972-6803	wwjones@comcast.net
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Newsletter

Any suggestions, ideas, complaints or items to include please contact me;
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TheronRogers@Bellsouth.net

Also contact me for free newsletter classified advertisements to list your surplus equipment or supplies for sale.

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