



Chips & Shavings

May 12, 2013

May - Mini Symposium

It is time for that special meeting again. This is your chance to learn something new. Enjoy watching your fellow club members demonstrate one of their specialties. This is your chance to visit with friends and wander the hall learning something new or a different way of doing what you already do.

Demonstrating this month will be:

Bill Bender - Peppermills

Carol Zandel - Toys

Stephany Lane - Pyrography

Dave Best - Epoxy Inlay Knobs

Paul Crabtree - Hollowing

Dave Schweitzer - Sharpening with Diamond Wheels

Andy Firpo - Safety

Pat McCart - Three Footed Bowl

There will be a Show Table this month so bring your prized turnings to share with the membership. We will not be doing the Tell portion, but everyone still likes to see your turnings.

Again, if you have problem pieces or tools that need to be sharpened bring them with you. This is the time to get the help you need to become a better turner.

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Letter from the President



This summer we have a great opportunity to spend time with two very talented wood turners. Jack Wayne and John Jordan will be teaching at the Olympia Club. I had the opportunity to go to many John Jordan demonstrations when I went to St. Paul for the AAW Symposium. I found his teaching to be extremely interesting and down to earth. He really relates well to his students. I would encourage all of you to attend and have that same opportunity. Jack Wayne is always worth going out of your way to learn from. I guess it is obvious how I feel about Jack's teaching since I was at our meeting last month even though I had surgery that morning. Now is the time to go on line and sign up for Olympia's Symposium. Don't delay and miss this great opportunity.

We are also gearing up for the spring clean up at Nancy Sweazey's. We will have a sign-up sheet at our next meeting. Let's all get together and show Nancy how much we appreciate her and her gifts to us.

Plans are also in the works for our annual wood auction. We will announce the date at the meeting. Chris Johnson and Stephany Lane are getting this even organized. Harry Lincoln always gets us great wood and we are making headway to obtain dry hardwood as well.

The mini symposium this month will give us many opportunities to learn as well. Hope you all can make it. We will have show but no tell this month so bring your competed work for display. We also need turnings for Blinded Veterans and Empty Bowls.

Keep turning and learning. Get together with friends and turn together.

Dan

Woodturning Show Cancelled

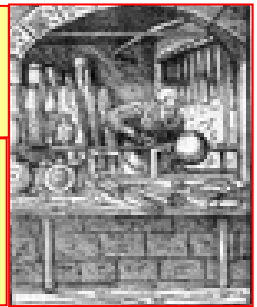
We received this message from Joella Oldfield:

Dear Woodturners ~ Due to a lack of responses to our invitation to our 2nd Woodturning Show we have had to make the decision to cancel/postpone the event. The Heritage Center is a non profit organization with the kids at the heart of it. We can not be spending monies for promotion, prizes and a reception and not know if we actually have a full show. We are hoping you will give us some feed back as to why you did not respond ~ is it the time of year? ~ do we need to have a more selective criteria? ~ is the month long commitment too long? Would you please send us some feed back and we will begin to plan another show.

We wish you a productive and happy summer ~ please stop by the Heritage Center and say Hi.

Warmest Regards ~ Joella

As Joella notes, feedback as to what was the cause for the lack of participation would be appreciated. This has the potential to be a great show and getting your feedback is really important.



SPSW 2013 Event Calendar

January 2013

17th - Membership Mtg
John Hampton
19th - Sawdust Session

29th - Board Mtg
Les Johnson's

February 2013

21st - Membership Mtg
Larry Hauch
23rd - Sawdust Session

26h - Board Mtg
Les Johnson's

March 2013

21st - Membership Mtg
Paul Crabtree
23rd - Sawdust Session

26th - Board Mtg
Les Johnson's

April 2013

18th - Membership Mtg
Jack Wayne
20th - Sawdust Session

30th - Board Mtg
Les Johnson's

May 2013

16th - Membership Mtg
Mini Symposium
18th - Sawdust Session

28th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

June 2013

20th - Membership Mtg
Bob Sievers
22nd - Sawdust Session

25th - Board Mtg
Les Johnson's

28th-30th - 27th Annual
AAW Symposium -
Tampa, FL

July 2013

18th - Membership Mtg
TBD
20th - Sawdust Session -

30th - Board Mtg
Les Johnson's

Annual Picnic
Date TBD

August 2013

15th - Membership Mtg
TBD
17th - Sawdust Session

27th- Board Mtg
Les Johnson's

September 2013

19th - Membership Mtg
TBD
21st - Sawdust Session

24th - Board Mtg
Les Johnson's

October 2013

17th - Membership Mtg
TBD
19th - Sawdust Session

29th - Board Mtg
Les Johnson's

November 2013

21st - Membership Mtg
TBD
23rd - Sawdust Session

26th - Board Mtg
Les Johnson's

December 2013

19th - **Holiday Mtg**
No Sawdust Session
Jan 7th - Board Mtg
Les Johnson's

No Sawdust Session this month

Upcoming national & international events courtesy of Fred Holder and More Woodturning

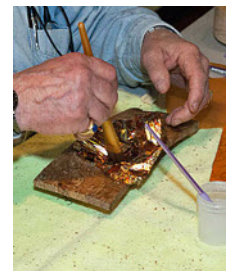
This Month at a Glance

- Membership Mtg. - May 16th (Thur.) 6:00 - 9:15 pm at Fife Senior Center
- Sawdust Session - May 18th
- Board Mtg. - May 28th (Tue.) 7:00 - 8:30 pm at Pat McCart's, members welcome (RSVP to Dan Stromstad)



April Presentation - Jack Wayne

Photos Courtesy of Fred Abeles





April Presentation (cont'd)





WOODTURNERS OF OLYMPIA

PRESENTS : John Jordan & Jack Wayne

Woodturning Symposium: Creativity in Woodturning Vol 9

July 27, 2013 And 4 Work Shops July 28-31, 2013, Lacey, Wa. 98503

Cost : \$90.00 until June 01, 2013 then \$100.00

Youth under 18yr's with paying adult \$10.00

Symposium Registration & Information @ www.woodturnersofolympia.org

Work Shops : Contact Al Price @ aprice44@aol.com or 360-791-0396

John Jordan

John is famous for his wonderful textured and carved hollow vessels. His work has received numerous awards, and are in permanent collections of many museums and Corporations. His pieces are turned from fresh, green logs, then hand carved and textured. He will explain how the Characteristics of wet wood affects the preparation and

outcome of turned pieces as well as hollow form techniques and surface treatments.

No Refunds after May 31, 2013

2013 Symposium Work Shops

Woodturners of Olympia

One on One Hands on Class with John Jordan

Cost of each class : \$150.00ea

8 students in each class // No Refunds after May 31, 2013

2013 Sym. Jordan Work Shop Schedule

WS # 1 Sunday, July 28, 2012 // Bowl Turning

WS # 2 Monday, July 29, 2013 // Turning w/ Carving & Texturing

WS # 3 Tuesday, July 30, 2013 // Tea Pot (Intermediate Level)

WS # 4 Wednesday, July 31, 2013 // Hollow form or Bowl

For Information and to Reg. Contact AL Price 360-791-0396 or aprice44@aol.com



We have are collecting 2013 dues. Dues for the whole family are still only \$30.00. We accept cash, check, and credit card. This is still one of the best deals around. For this, you receive get a monthly meeting featuring top notch presenters, an avenue to display your talents, and a forum to seek advice and ask questions. You also have access to a group of mentors who can help you improve your skills. There is also a monthly open turning session (Sawdust Session) on the Saturday following the meeting. Use the membership application below or pay at the meeting.

And now a new way to pay. Go to our website, fill out the form, and pay with PayPal.

Now is also a good time to sign up for the American Association of Woodturners (AAW). Annual memberships in the AAW operate on an anniversary cycle, whereby your membership will start with your join date and continue for one year.

If your level of membership includes a printed copy of the American Woodturner journal, you will receive six issues starting with the issue published after your join or renew date.

See <http://www.woodturner.org/org/mbrship/index.htm> for the various levels of membership.

South Puget Sound Woodturners (SPSW)

Membership Application

Name _____

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How do you want to receive the newsletter? By: _____email _____US Mail

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Woodturning interests: Spindle turning _____ Bowls _____ Vases _____

Segmented turning _____ Tool making _____

Tool sharpening _____ Other _____

Membership dues for South Puget Sound Woodturners are \$30.00 annually. Please make check payable to South Puget Sound Woodturners (or **SPSW**) and mail with this form to:

South Puget Sound Woodturners

P.O. Box 1792

Milton, WA

98354



Announcements

Are you a new member or visiting our club for the first time?

We are glad you are here and want to welcome you to our general membership meeting. **Please introduce yourself to an officer or mentor so we can welcome you.**

Need help with a splintering question?

Contact one of our "MENTORS". These club members have stepped up and would like to use their knowledge and expertise to help other turners with their questions. If these turners aren't able to answer your question, they will do their best to help you find a solution.

SPSW Mentors

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- **Dave Schweitzer**
(360) 432-9509
- **Bob Sievers**
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- **Jack Wayne**
(425)488-9561

- **SEATTLE AAW MEMBERSHIP MEETING** – 2nd Thursday of each month, VFW Hall, 4330 148th Ave NE, Redmond, WA 98052
- **OLYMPIA AAW MEMBERSHIP MEETING** – 4th Thursday of each month, Thurston County Fairgrounds
- **Wooden Laser Engraved Name Tags** are now available. The cost is \$10. To order a name tag please see Les Johnson at our supplies table at the monthly meeting.
- The South Puget Sound Woodturners now has a club policy for harvesting wood as a club function. Please go to our website <http://www.SPSWoodturners.org> for details.

MORE WOODTURNING

The magazine for turners. Published 10 times a year by Fred Holder. One yr: \$35.00; Two yrs: \$70.00; Three yrs \$105.00. Electronic version \$25/yr. delivered from More Woodturning online at: www.morewoodturning.net Lots of great information for your browsing pleasure. More Woodturning PO Box 2168 Snohomish WA 98291-2168 Phone: 360-668-0976 email: fred@morewoodturning.net

Segmented Woodturners Board Election

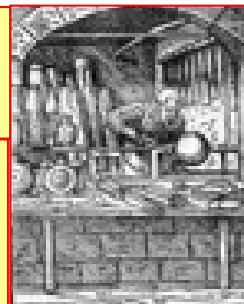
The Segmented Woodturners virtual chapter of the AAW is holding their annual board elections. Founding member and president, Malcolm Tibbetts, is not running for re-election having served for two terms already.

There are two positions up for election with three candidates. The candidates – Russ Braun, Wayne Miller and Jim Rodgers – have all provided candidate statements which are available on segmentedwoodturners.org.

Voting is now open and will continue through midnight, May 19th.

SPSW Library Usage Deposit

Due to the large number of items missing from our library, a decision was made at the January 31, 2012 Board of Directors meeting to require a \$5.00 deposit to checkout items from the library. The \$5.00 will be returned when the item is checked back in.



Club supplies

The following items are available for purchase at the monthly meetings. Proceeds earned from the sale of these items go back into the club.

CODE	DESCRIPTION		PRICE
	GLUE		
HS-4	Hot Stuff (Thin) RED	2 oz	9.00
HST-4	Super "T" (gap) YEL	2oz	9.00
HS-4T	Special "T" (thick) GRN	2oz	10.00
	ACCELERATOR		
QA-6	NCF Quick Can	6oz	11.00
	COMPANION PRODUCTS		
US-1	Ultra Solvent	2oz	8.00
HT-600	Replacement Glue Caps		1.00
PT-100	Pro Tips	4	1.00
301	Extend Tips	3	1.00
302	Extend Tips	3	1.00
303	Long Tips	1	1.00
305	Tubing		1.00
322	CA Applicator Fine		1.00
	OTHER		
IND	Index Wheels		20.00
SEL	Sealer 1 gal	1 gal.	18.00
Finish	Walnut Oil	1 qt.	12.00
Finish	Friction Polish	1 qt.	14.00
Lube	DynaGlide Tool Lube		12.00
	SANDING		
Micro M	3"X6" Sheets	6	13.00
Micro M	3"X6" Sheets	12	24.00
DISCS	2" Discs grits 80 - 400	10	3.00
	3" Discs grits 80 - 400	10	4.00
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SHEETS.	Sand Cloth grits 80 - 220	1	1.00



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