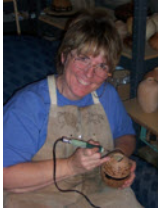




Chips & Shavings

June 16, 2014

June - Molly Winton



I was introduced to woodturning while in high school, but it wasn't until 22 years later that I again stepped in front of a lathe. In 1998, I sold my Vocational Rehabilitation business so I could be home with my growing family. At the time, my husband presented me with a lathe of my own, but I wouldn't have the opportunity to work with it regularly until my children reached school age.

A brief exploration in pottery introduced me to the importance of form and design, the foundation to any embellishment of my turning, be it branding, pyrography, coloring, texturing, or carving. I endeavor to make wood pieces that pursue excellence of form and beg to be picked up and caressed.

When exploring a source of inspiration for my surface enhancements, I looked to my interests in Native American and prehistoric art. Since childhood I have been fascinated by the creative expression of native North American cultures, petroglyphs of the Columbia Plateau of the Northwest, as well as the cave art of Lascaux, France and Altamira, Spain. My artwork reflects their influences.

We now have a Wood Rat!

Jerre Griffin has volunteered to take on this task. If you would like to be notified when there is free wood available or if you know of the availability of freshly downed trees, please contact Jerre at jgriffin@centurytel.net. He is gathering a list of all those interested.

Club Supplies

Ken & Polly Light have volunteered (well, they are seriously considering volunteering) to take on the task of managing the sale of club supplies at our monthly meetings. Our prices are extremely competitive and you will be helping the club finances by supporting our sales. So stop by and say hi to Ken & Polly at this month's meeting and encourage them in this new endeavor.

We are lagging a little in this year's payment of dues. If you have not already done so, please pay soon. You can pay them at the meeting, you can mail them in, you can pay them with PayPal. Dues are still only \$30 per family.

While you are at it, you should also consider joining AAW. The American Woodturner magazine alone is worth the cost of their dues.

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Letter from the President



Let me start by saying a giant heartfelt “Thank You” to all the members that made the annual spring clean-up at Nancy’s shop a wonderful success. We were blessed with a beautiful day and our group of enthusiastic members, made quick work of a long list of items. A tasty lunch awaited us when we finished, complete with desert and lively chatter.

Starting this month we will be selling raffle tickets for a chance to win a private full day wood turning class valued at over \$400 with internationally acclaimed woodturner Eric Lofstrom. Tickets will be \$2 ea. or 6 for \$10. Buy your tickets early and often!

It’s not too early to start planning for the annual SPSW picnic and wood auction. We will be returning to North Lake I/C again this year on Sunday July 20th from 1-4. Items up for auction include a lathe and lots of fabulous wood. If you have anything you would like to donate to this event please feel free to do so.

Hopefully by now everyone has paid their dues for 2014. If not please take care of that matter.

To make it easier for everyone to get to know the other members in the club please wear your name tags.

Be safe, Have fun, See you on the 19th.

Pat

Creativity in Woodturning ~ July 26th, 2014

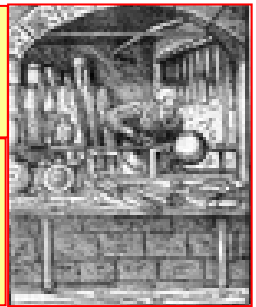
We are pleased to announce that Trent Bosch will be our keynote demonstrator for our July 26, 2014 symposium replacing Richard Raffan.

Richard has withdrawn due to on-going health issues. While his health is improving, he feels that July is too soon for him to make the trip and engage in a full-day symposium and workshops. He is very apologetic and asked us to extend his regrets that he has to pull out. We are pleased that Richard is doing well and we fully understand and respect his decision.

All registrants were sent a direct e-mail notifying them of this change and offered to continue or receive a full refund due to the change. The workshops are also being revised to reflect Trent’s specialties. All prior workshop participants have been notified and given the opportunity to continue or receive a full refund.

Although all workshops are still full, there’s still plenty of room in the symposium, so if you’re interested check out the club’s website for more information and how to register:

<http://www.woodturnersofolympia.org/>



SPSW 2014 Event Calendar

January 2014

16th - Membership Mtg
Andy Firpo
18th - Sawdust Session

28th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

February 2014

20th - Membership Mtg
Carol Zandell
22nd - Sawdust Session

25h - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

March 2014

20th - Membership Mtg
Don Derry
22nd - Sawdust Session

25th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's
22nd - Cindy Drozda -
Anacortes

April 2014

17th - Membership Mtg
Mini Symposium
19th - Sawdust Session

25h - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

May 2014

15th - Membership Mtg
Larry Miller
17th - Sawdust Session

27th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

15th - 17th - Utah Symposium

Orem, Utah

June 2014

19th - Membership Mtg
Molly Winton
21st - Sawdust Session

24th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

13th - 15th - AAW Symposium

Phoenix, AZ

July 2014

17th - Membership Mtg
Roy Lane

29th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

26th - Creativity in
Woodturning - Olympia

No Sawdust Session this month

August 2014

21st - Membership Mtg
Mini Symposium
23rd - Sawdust Session

26th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

September 2014

18th - Membership Mtg
Vern Tater
20th - Sawdust Session

30th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

October 2014

16th - Membership Mtg
Open
18th - Sawdust Session

28th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

November 2014

20st - Membership Mtg
Eric Lofstrom
22nd - Sawdust Session

25th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

December 2014

18th - **Holiday Mtg**
No Sawdust Session

Dec 30th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

No Sawdust Session this month

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

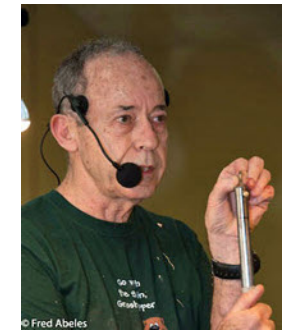
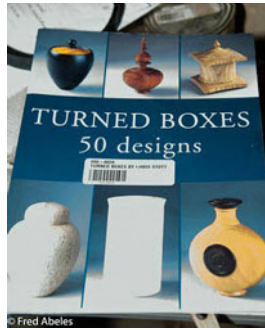
This Month at a Glance

- Membership Mtg. - June 19th (Thur.) 6:00 - 9:15 pm at Fife Senior Center
- Sawdust Session - June 21st
- Board Mtg. - June 24th (Tue.) 7:00 - 8:30 pm at Pat McCart's, members welcome (RSVP to Pat McCart)



Larry Miller Pics

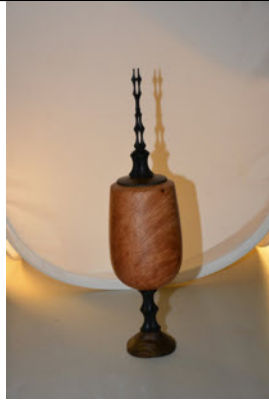
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May Show & Tell

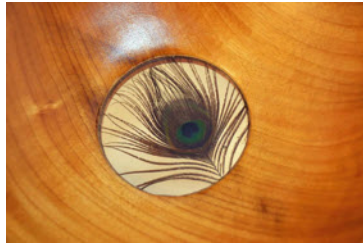
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May Show & Tell (cont'd)

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We are collecting 2014 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.

We now also have the option for you to join, renew, purchase supplies or just donate (we are a registered 501(c)(3) non-profit) using Square. You can use your Visa®, Mastercard®, American Express®, Discover® or debit card.

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)

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Name _____

Address _____

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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

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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

- **Jim Cotter**
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(253) 273-2147
- **Hal Johnson**
(425) 788-2221
- **Eric Lofstrom**
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- **Dave Schweitzer**
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- **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 Steve Solatka 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.

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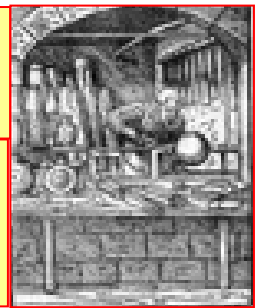
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Tom Bageant

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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.

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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			
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