Chippewa Valley Woodturners Guild



Newsletter

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Up Coming Events

June 20: WWE Committee

July 11: CVWG Meeting

July 14: Coffee and Chips

July 18: WWE Committee

Reminder: The next scheduled meeting **is on July 11th** since the first Monday is the fourth of July and we must celebrate with fireworks and picnics.

Happy Independence Day and enjoy.

See you at the meeting on the second Wednesday July 11th. The date for Coffee and Chips is unchanged and is the second Saturday July 14th.

Presidents Corner

Everything is coming together for the 2012 Fourth Annual Wisconsin Woodturners Expo. **Steve Antonucci**, from New Jersey, will be joining us as a national demonstrator along with **Sally Ault** from San Diego. **Mike Hunter**, of Hunter Tools, will also be on hand for two demonstrations.

<u>Dave Hiller</u> from Badger Woodturners in Madison, will be joining us as well as our own **Barry Grill**. Please check the websites of these demonstrators for more information.

Enjoy the summer months and do not forget Coffee and Chips is still going on throughout the summer months on the 2nd Saturday of each month. No demonstrations, just getting together.

Our mail box is now installed at 1125 Starr Ave. and ready to receive any and all mail.

Artist Market of Eau Claire

This open air market at Phoenix Park is dedicated to artist made handmade artwork and they are asking for Wood Turning artists to display at their shows. The market is on the first and third Saturday of each month through October sixth (7:30 am to 1:00 pm). All artists must be approved by a jury and they are aware of our exhibit last fall at the library. Contact artistmarket@tangledupinhue.com for application, vendor guidelines and information on the events. The jury will ask for photographs of your work. Photos will be used for promotional purposes.

Each 10' x 10' space is \$20 per event. Proceeds go to Artist Market and for a UWEC scholarship for the arts. The Artist Market coincides with the Farmer's Market at Phoenix Park and attracts a large number of people each Saturday. The next event is July 7th. If you are interested in showing with other members contact Rich Thelen at rlthelen@charter.net for coordination. Your editor was asked for information relating to membership in the club, so it would be good to have membership applications available.

If anyone has a 10'x10' tent available we could use that and we would also need tables and shelving. We also need photos of your pieces to be exhibited for their jury to approve. Jim Gobel is also willing to help with coordination, so you can contact him at jgobel@centurytel.net.

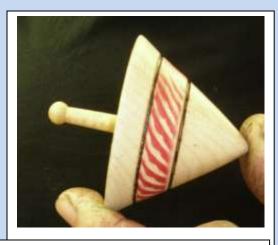
Show and Tell



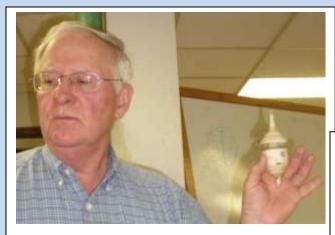
John deRyckere White oak pen



Hem ripper by **Fran Passe** with purple
dye on basswood



Jeff Fagan tried chatterwork and dye on this top of hard maple.



Dick Prouty with a birdhouse and bird. Bird was found at Bargain Bill's in Rice





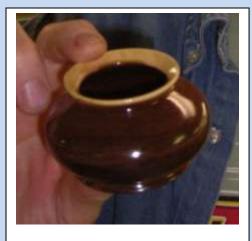


Mark Abramowicz with two old fashioned peppermills. Ambrosia maple and Cherry.









Three nice pieces from **Dave Syverson**. A closed box on stem, saucer and a hollow vessel. All finished with polyurethane.





Richard Golde with a chalice on fragile stemwork. Cup is partially dyed black, then sanded and red and yellow dyes was added for a great effect.

Monthly Demo



John Layde gave the demo on segmented turning. He used his technique that was written about in the March newsletter.

Segmented turning demands dried wood because no shrinkage can be allowed. To get good cuts he uses a chop saw and makes certain the saw is correctly set up by checking the perpendicular of the blade. For angles he uses pre-cut blocks of the right angle. For figuring the angle he uses the formula on the chart at top left.

One the segments are cut, they are glued and made into a circle. Then they are bound using a hose clamp like at the lower left and lower right. He uses wax paper to keep the glue squeeze-out under control. Below a segmented ring is made ready for turning.









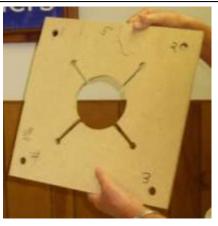


The vessel bottom is critical and can be made several ways. Top left is a solid block of wood serving as the bottom ring and bottom. Center left is a bottom made with segmented pieces, but it is difficult to get the pieces perfect in the center. At lower left, he had made a bottom with a rabbeted ring and a piece of wood is placed in the rabbeted ring before glue-up. This allows for expansion and contraction of dissimilar woods.



The jig at upper right shows a base made of heavy material with four corner posts glued in place and a precisely centered opening to accept a faceplate with the first ring. Templates with varying diameters of centered holes allow the build-up and control of segmented rings that are glued to each other. Allowance for clamp bars are sawed into the templates to allow full use of standard clamps.











Chippewa Valley Woodturner's Guild Board of Directors Meeting Minutes June 6, 2012

- 1. The meeting was called to order by secretary Rich Thelen. In attendance were Dick Fornasiere, Jim Gobel, John Layde, Richard Golde, Rich Thelen, Bob Eberhardt and Tom Schye.
- 2. Dick Fornasiere presented the treasurer's report. Cash on hand is \$4765.04 with \$2500 reserved for WWE. Expenses were \$25.24 and income was \$92.50. Just paid was \$400 for DR Larson for starting the air conditioner.
- 3. Membership stands at 67 members. A new member was added at the last general meeting.
- 4. Rikon sent a replacement banjo lever for our use after the previous one failed. We still need someone to loan a belt sander to even out the banjo bottom so it slides better.
- 5. It was suggested that Bob Eberhardt and Richard Golde become co-education directors since much of the duties was being shared by them anyway. The motion was discussed and approved.
- 6. Tom Schye says there are no bargains out there for lathes. Most are going close to retail new prices. Richard Golde says he has two Jet mini lathes that the club can use to train students until we have enough money to get our own. This would give three to four good lathes to use to train members. We could offer classes at the clubhouse for 3 people with this number of lathes. We also have enough tools to train 3 people.
- 7. Tom Schye says E-Bay has a Sorby 6 tool set for \$50. He placed a bid during the meeting.
- 8. Dick Fornasiere made a motion that we shelve the 2012 WWE to save money. This was discussed and it was decided that the WWE gets us new members and is the only effective membership drive we have. It also makes money for the club and serves as the only fundraiser for the club.
- 9. Jim Gobel reports that we were with Windows Live and we went to Microsoft 365 which costs \$72 a year. John deRyckere has access to servers in Texas and they have available space. John has tentatively set up CVWG.org as our URL. Email will also be available on this server. It was decided by vote that we would use this service.

The meeting was adjourned.

This report was recorded by Rich Thelen (Secretary) and is presented as a record of the board meeting of June 6, 2012.

Chippewa Valley Woodturner's Guild General Meeting Minutes June 6, 2012

- 1. The meeting was called to order by Treasurer Dick Fornasiere. There were 35 members in attendance.
- 2. See the board meeting report for information also discussed at the board meeting.
- 3. There was a demonstration at this meeting by John Layde. He showed how to make segmented vessels with his unique jig.

- 4. John Layde did the demo and suggested that for safety's sake, you keep a coffee can of water in your shop so you can toss finishing materials such as rags and paper towels in it to prevent spontaneous combustion.
- 5. Show and Tell featured:
 - a. John deRyckere showed a white oak pen.
 - b. Fran Passe showed a seam ripper that was stained with a purple dye. It was of basswood.
 - c. Jeff Fagan showed three tops with chatterwork decoration which he had used a skew as the tool. They were hard maple.
 - d. Dick Prouty showed a birdhouse with a bird. He got the bird from Bargain Bill's in Rice Lake.
 - e. Mark Abramowicz showed two pepper mills. One was of ambrosia maple and the other of cherry.
 - f. Dave Syverson showed a narrow mouth vessel, a saucer and a stemmed closed box with finial. He used polyurethane as a finish.
 - g. Richard Golde showed a chalice dyed black and sanded and then added a red dye. It was sanded to 400 grit, dyed with an alcohol thinned dye and then finished with poly.
- 6. The auction yielded \$61. Wood was donated by Rick Bauer and Richard Waller. A raffle was also held for (2) logo shirts and (10) Craft Supplies \$10 coupons.

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Chippewa Valley Woodturner's Guild 2012 WWE Meeting Minutes May 16, 2012

- 1. The meeting was called to order by President Brian George. In attendance were Brian George, Dick Fornasiere, Keith Jones, Rich Thelen, and Ron Bartz.
- 2. Brian George announced the resignation of Jim Hudacek as volunteer committee chairman.
- 3. Demonstrators for the 2012 Show are:
 - a. Steve Antonucci from New Jersey doing bowls.
 - b. Sally Ault from San Diego will show wood jewelry.
 - c. Mike Hunter from Minneapolis showing tools and doing two demos.
 - d. Barry Grill from CVWG.
 - e. Tentatively Reed Jacobs from Minnesota Club doing boxes and small items.
 - f. Lyle Jamieson from Michigan will serve as backup.
- 4. Now is the time to ask vendors to register for space at this year's show. Must be lined up by June.
- 5. We want the press releases for the magazines to be out by 15 July. Keith says we have press releases for 21 TV stations, 96 radio stations, and 20 newspapers that should go out 3-4 weeks before the event. Magazines should go out by 15 July.

- 6. Market to ten states by email blast and to all AAW members. Send also a letter to all clubs and officers. 40 clubs x 4 officers is 160 letters. August email, September email and October email. A 3-part flyer will go out with a blank 1/3 for addressing. Jerry Engedahl will do the graphics.
- 7. Run ads in regular newspapers and on-air spots on TV (29 Oct) channel 13 WEAU. Cost would be \$10,000 for TV with frequency. It was decided this was too much for our budget so 2 ads in Eau Claire and in LaCrosse is about \$650.
- 8. Ron Bartz will check with Volume One.
- 9. Bulletin Boards in Universities and Tech Schools as well as senior centers and Assisted Living Centers.
- 10. Budget would be \$500 for WAYY and \$500 for ads for a total of \$1000. This budget was approved unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned.

This report was recorded by Rich Thelen (Secretary) and is presented as a record of the 2012 WWE meeting of June 6, 2012.

Classified Ads

If you have any turning related items for sale or are looking to buy such items. Email Rich Thelen at rlthelen@charter.net and I will place your ad in the next newsletter.

There are NO classified Ads this month.

Turn-on! Chicago 2012

Sponsored by the Chicago Woodturners Club



Turn-On! Chicago 2012 Symposium

Registration is now open! We have an all star line up of demonstrators. We have also added to our Friday night activities.

Pens for Troops - Kurt Hertzog Marbeling - Carole Floate Jewelry Making - Cindy Sing Painting - Susan Rosand

Featured

Demonstrators

Eli Avisera

Stuart Batty

Dixie Biggs

Kurt Hertzog

John Jordan

Bob Rosand

Go to http://www.turnonchicago.org For more information

Board Members

Brian George - President

Richard Golde - Vice President, Librarian

Dick Fornasiere - Treasurer

Rich Thelen - Secretary, Newsletter

John Layde

Tom Schye

Bob Eberhardt

Jim Gobel

- Program Director

- Tool Director

- Education Director

- Web Master

CVWG Mentors

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	<u>Name</u>	Willing to help	with:	<u>Name</u>	Willing to help with:
	Richard Golde	Basic turning, Bowls	ers	Brian George	Basic turning Natural Edge Bowls Peppermills .com
	715-839-8880	his shop to those who don't have a lathe yet.		715-834-8749	
	Rick Bauer	Hollow forms		Barry Grill	All aspects of turnin
	pbrook@nelson-tel.			bgrill@hotmail.com	Basic Hollow forms
	710 072 0101			715-568-4586	Bowls
	Bob Eberhardt	Basic turning Bowls	U. Aller	Fran Passe	Pens
ā	ple 13@charter.net 715-835-7300			franpasse@yahoo 715-672-5762	
	Bruce Scherlin bscherlin@century	Pens tel.net	ENE II day lot	Ron Bartz <u>rbartz@charter.net</u>	Stacked ring bowls Basic bowl turning Spindle turning
	715-878-9490			715-723-6343	

A guild mentor is a member willing to share their turning knowledge with other members of the guild Feel free to call a mentor for your turning questions or for one on one help with your turning.