

Central Connecticut Woodturners

A Chapter of the American Association of Woodturning

Dedicated to the Advancement of Woodturning www.ccwoodturners.org

July Meeting

The July meeting will take place on Tuesday July24th at 6:30PM Parkerville Wood Products at 580 Parker Street, Manchester, CT.

Dan Merlo will be demonstrating a "Winged Bowl"

Jim Kephart's Open Shop Sunday July 29th 1-4PM. Bring tools, wood & turn with fellow wood turners. Remember to please contact Jim if you are interested in attending

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Membership Dues

Please pay your dues if you have not.

President's Note

Hello Woodturners,

We are half way through the year and it's time to review your woodturning goals, that's if you set any. I did, I have acquired the physical tools, I need to study the different ways to make some hollowed & pierced Christmas ornaments, then find a mentor or take a class.

What about you? What technique or project did you want to learn about? Did anybody go to a class somewhere, if so how about preparing a short demo on what you learned.

Would you like to do a demo for a neighboring club? There are plenty of opportunities. Does standing in front of a group of people & turning make you nervous, but you are comfortable alone in you shop, we have the technology available to record a short demo, edit and add voiceover and then have it available when someone has to cancel at the last minute. Let me know what you think.

Let's start thinking now about next year's club goals, what will help you grow and also grow the club? Please let Don or myself know so we can get working on it. While you are out this summer make some time to walk in the woods, here are a few photos from my last vacation.

We were scheduled to have a" live remote demo", but there was a travel conflict, so our own Dan Merlo will be presenting a "winged bowl", danger is involved with interrupted cuts, so bring a chair & take notes as this will be the challenge at the September meeting.

John







June Meeting Photos













Donation

Ed Migliaro has graciously donated his lathe, the stand, chisels & chuck to the club to do as we wish. It is a Jet JWL 1221VS with Jet stand, PSI Barracuda chuck, a set of 8 carbon steel turning chisels, and a set of HSS turning chisels. Please think about what we should do with it & give John Webber your suggestions.



Burl and Commission

A person has contacted the club seeking someone to make a bowl out of a large burl that is in a tree they own. Please contact John