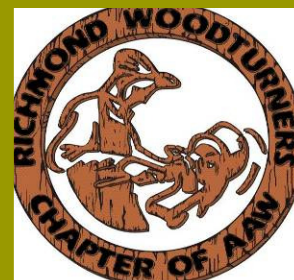




# Richmond Woodturners' Newsletter



## Next Meeting:

@Woodcraft, old Circuit City Plaza, 9862 West Broad St (Rt. 250W), Richmond, on the third Thursday of every month, 6:30PM. Refreshments provided.

## October 15

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## Program Schedule:

Oct: Dick Hines-Xmas form

Nov: TBA

Dec: Christmas Party

## Challenge Schedule:

Oct: Multi-axis

Nov: Xmas ornament

Dec: Silent Auction

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## October 2009

## DEMO: Brian Nobel-Marx and the "Kayak" Bowl Form

Brian found this idea in a UK woodturning magazine. He uses 8/4 wood and a Fibonacci series (1,1,2,3,5,8...) for the dimensions because they are pleasing to the eye. He believes the more axes you turn on the more the piece moves from function to art. The small ones take him about 4-6 hours to complete and he turns 2 at a time (Two 8/4 pieces of wood with craft paper stuck between them).



Brian turns a cylinder first then makes little "V" cuts to mark the center (pencil marks get turned away). He turns the curvature on one side out from the center and the other side is a mirror image; he measures to make sure so it's balanced. Brian likes the football shape and turns the tips to 3/4 thickness at the edge. He sands #150 on the lathe and the final 2 grits are sanded with the grain and off the lathe.

Time to separate the 2 pieces and mark the centers. Draw a line from "V" to "V". Drill a hole for a screw chuck. Turn a flat spot on the bottom.

Now it's time to glue it to a faceplate (hole up). Put tape around the "kayak" and hot glue the mounting blocks to the tape. Mark the center of the face plate (tape the hole) and place a under a steady plumb bob. Place the "kayak" hole under the plumb bob on top of the faceplate. Hot glue the blocks to the face plate. Use lots of hot glue around the edges. Cut the  
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**Shows Coming Out Of VA:**

**Oct 23-25**, Woodturning Symposium, Greensboro, NC ,  
[www.northcarolinawoodturning.com](http://www.northcarolinawoodturning.com)

**Oct 30-31**, Klingspor's Extraganza, Hickory, NC

**June 2010**, AAW Symposium, Hartford, CT. [www.woodturner.org](http://www.woodturner.org)

**Shows Coming In VA:**

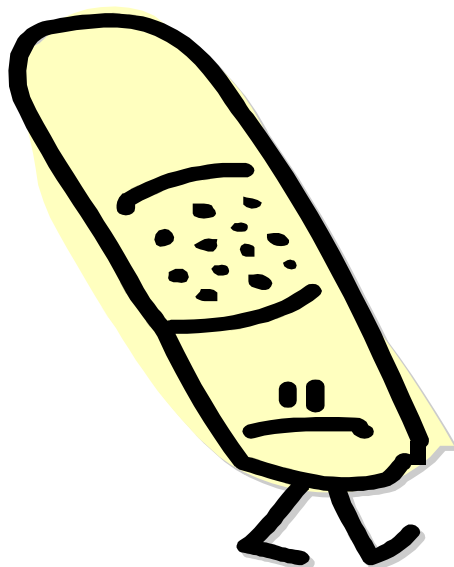
**Oct 17-18**, Greater Lanexa Studio Tour, Lanexa.

**Oct 26**, Sorby Man, Woodcraft

**April 10-17**, Jimmy Clewes

**May 27-29**, David Ellsworth

## Safety First



**[Kayak from page1]** bead around the bowl location. Under cut the edge to stop creeping water-bases paint. Finish shaping the wings. Turn the bowl. Sand and paint the form. Turn one today for a chance at the Challenge prize.



See the Tape over the hole



Lee sold out of "Native trees of VA" but will order a dozen more for the next meeting.

## Meeting Vibrations

This e-mail is important to the club in that it show the success of our newsletter then and our website now. Congratulations on all the hard work you and the members of Richmond Woodturners have done in spreading the news of our club.

*Hi Lee, We've never met . . . but, I live in Macon, Georgia and am a woodturner. (Actually I'm a university professor and turning is my favorite past time.) I came across the Richmond Woodturner's newsletter from this past April, 2009, and read the story about Jim Vogel's "fluting and other indexing tricks". I'm just starting to do a little fluting myself and I found the article to be very interesting. What really caught my attention was his basket weave design. The article didn't talk about the basket weaving technique very much and I'd like to learn more. Do you happen to know of any articles or tutorials where I can find more about it? Thanks so much for taking the time to help. Best wishes, Al Stramiello*

Danny & crew have gotten the parts of the AV system working (Sound needs work still). He told us the AAW dues have gone up \$3.00 but we get 2 more issues per year. Still a good deal and a must if you want to demonstrate.

Chesterfield county fair had 6 peoples working for 8 days. That's a lot of turning!

State Fair (Caroline County) is Oct 1 & 3 for us. We have 6 passes, volunteers are needed.

Barry Irby is ordering Anchor Seal. Let him know by Oct meeting. Lee has taken over this duty.

Show & Tell's gift drawing is \$25.00. A separate drawing will be held for the Challenge. October is making a multi-axis "kayak" form.

Matt B. said the treasury has about \$9000, but we still have some AV system to pay for.

# SHOW & TELL

**Show & Tell:** Bowl, pens, platters, lamp, hollow vessels, segmented lidded vessel, bottle stopper display

**Wood:** Red bud, holly, tulip wood, walnut, sycamore, cherry burl, Leyland cypress, laminated beam

See more on our web site.



## Demos at the Recent Local Fairs

These are pictures from the Chesterfield fair and VA State Fair. Providing demos for the club were: Jim Ellis, Dan Luttrell, Jim Bumpass, Ray Deyo, Jack Hayes, Don Hart, Dick Hines, \Jim Marstall and Lee \Scarborough. It was a lot of fun to do and we all enjoyed talking to young and old alike. Next year we plan to expand our staff and improve on the portability of our equipment. Please do your part to support our endeavors in expanding our club's membership. When the time comes, please consider volunteering to attend the club's promotional activities.



## Officers for 2009

President:	Lee Scarbrough	(804-520-1745)
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## Visitors / New Members:

### 1st Time Visitors:

Robert Blader, Steve Taylor, Doug Campbell

About 46 present at the Sept 17 meeting.

**Dues:** \$25 individual, \$35 family & \$15 student. Member applications are available upon request at meetings or via email.

**Library:** Contact the club librarian to borrow tapes and other publications related to woodturning, for only \$2. Loose it and you bought it

**AAW Membership:** Dues are \$48 per year. For this, you receive 6 issues of "The American Woodturner" (a \$30+value), a great resource directory (over 450 pages), a huge annual symposium, personal grant opportunities, third party liability protection, and much more. If you are the least bit serious about woodturning, you can't afford to miss out on all this.

2010: AAW Symposium June in Hartford, Connecticut.

As a thank you for your listing (on your website) we would like to give you the free shipping offer below. Please feel free to pass the savings on to your club members. Enter the coupon code at checkout or when placing your order give the coupon code to the customer service representative when you call 1-800-228-0000. Ask about our Woodworkers Guild & Club Program for discounts and specials!!! Thanks again!!!

*Receive FREE SHIPPING (\$7.99 value) on orders over \$25 with coupon code FSCLUB. Offer good until 10/31/09.*

*Klingspor's Woodworking Shop Extravaganza 2009 Oct. 30 & 31 Hickory, NC*

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## FOR SALE, BUY, or TRADE

Ray Deyo offers a 10% discount on non-power tools and supplies on meeting nights at Woodcraft for members only. Another very good reason to join us every month!

### Free Oak Tree

Already cut down, ~2 foot lengths & ~ 2 foot diameter. Call lady to get directions to Bon Air area.

**330-3050.**

### FOR SALE: LATHE

Jet Lathe, JWL 1236, 3/4 hp, 12" swing, Working Distance Between Centers (in): 34-1/2, Outboard Turning (in): up to 16-1/2, Gently used for teaching Mobile base (\$169 value) and nova 4 jaw chuck ( \$70 value) **All for \$495** (see photo on web site!)

Call Barbara Dill 749-8565, or e-mail [bdill6@verizon.net](mailto:bdill6@verizon.net)

**Wood**, (cherry, walnut, mahogany) some thick enough for turning for sale / free. Near Meadowbrook Shopping Center. Call Betsy at 730-8324 to get the guy's phone number. Let it ring he is hard of hearing.