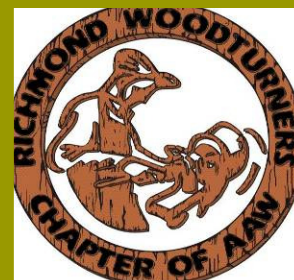




Richmond Woodturners' Newsletter



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.

February 18

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Program Schedule:

Feb: Hollow form-Danny

March: Triangle Bowl-Ray

April: TBA

Challenge Schedule:

Feb: Open

March: Natural edge

April: Triangle bowl

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DEMO: SHARPENING WITH CLUB MEMBERS

This month's demo was sharpening. Something we all need to learn and sometimes require a refresher course. My tools work fine for me, but the looks on other member's faces told me something was a skewed. All my gouges were pointed and the point wasn't even centered on the tool! (Too heavy on one side while sharpening) They now have a more rounded shape. Six stations were set up with each member doing their favorite grind using Wolverine systems to hand & eye-balling. We even had some talks about the theory of sharpening (To hone or not to hone). All in all it ends up being "What-works-for-you". Now if only I can sharpen tools without pointing 'em before the next refresher course.



Shows Coming Out Of VA:

Jan-May 15, "With Lathe & Chisel: NC Wood Turners", Gregg Museum, NCS University, Raleigh, NC. www.ncsu.edu/gregg

June 18 -20, AAW Symposium, Hartford, CT. www.woodturner.org

Shows Coming In VA:

April 10-12, Jimmy Clewes, Richmond

May, Richard Raffen, Tidewater.

May 27-29, David Ellsworth, Richmond

Oct 23-24, VA Symposium, Fishersville

To cold to work in the woodshop! Rent a turning DVD from the club, stay inside with a hot drink and learn something new. Only \$2.



SHOW & TELL



Wood used: Oak, holly, maple, Burls, Blackwood, basswood

Things: Pen, chair, candy bowl, bottle stopper, hollow form, mouse trap



Meeting Vibrations

We have two new VIP's: Don Hart & Jerry Fisher. They were put to work immediately after confirmation.

AAW survey was set up at the meeting for those not having internet access or needed help filling it out. If you have not done the survey, its too late now.

Club shirt order will be placed at the February meeting.

Jimmy Clewes will be here in April and David Ellsworth in May. Since chair space is limited, registration with money will be required. \$20 per day per demonstrator. If space is still available, it will be opened to other clubs.

Tidewater Turners will have Richard Raffen in May only for their membership. We hope to change that before May.



Officers for 2010

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Jimmy Clewes is not an ordinary woodturner. His charming British style, wit, creative mind and magnetic personality are only some of the attributes that make him popular in the woodturning demonstration circuit. Jimmy is a member of AAW. He has over 22 years of experience in woodturning and woodworking. The demand for his services as a demonstrator and teacher has taken him all over the world. The combination of his college education, his limitless imagination and his professional skills was a perfect fit for Jimmy to pursue his creative abilities as a woodturner and to take that ability to the next level. As an avid sportsman and adventurer you will find him expanding his creativity by exploring nature and enjoying the beauty of the desert. Or you might find Jimmy in his new workshop in Las Vegas creating innovative woodturning designs. In 2003 he produced the DVD **Turnaround with Jimmy Clewes**, in 2005 a 3-box set DVD **Turn it On with Jimmy Clewes**, in 2006, a 3-box set, **Turn it Up**, and in 2010 in H D Widescreen, a new box set including projects filmed on location in Norway, Scotland and the United States. www.jimmyclewes.com (taken from his website) **Sign up for his Richmond workshop in April.**

PAY YOUR CLUB DUES

ASAP



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 per month. 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.

Visitors / New Members:

New Members:

Rob Blader, Dana Mains, Doug Dill, Earl Cahoon

1st Time Visitors:

Bill Wilcox, Cindy White, Michael Ortega, Gerry Campbell, Jim Zorn, Bob Weiner

Membership now at 76 paid, with 22 more unpaid from last year. I'll send the annual nastygram to those unpaid members...

VA Club News

I am Jeff Fleisher, the new webmaster for the VA Woodturners Inc (VWI) website. VWI is the organization that sponsors the VA Woodturners Symposium that is held every other year in Virginia. We have just created a new online Discussion Forum and Information Center for Virginia Woodturners. This forum is now available for you to join and exchange information with your fellow, Va Woodturners. There are forums for general discussion, tool information and reviews, class reviews and tools for sale. You can visit the forums from links from your club's website or by following this link: www.virginiawoodturners.com/forums

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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!

Wood for sale

Turning blanks: figured White Oak, fruit woods, Hard Maple, Beech, Osage, Mulberry. Quarter sawn white and red oak lumber, plane sawn yellow poplar. Some wide flitches for counter tops available. All wood is recovered from storms, yard trimmers, and construction sites. Reasonable prices, mostly to recover my costs. Give me a call. Earl Dunning, 370 2910 or 541 6321, email edunning@live.com. I am near Prince George Court-house.

BACK of the TRUCK Sales During the Meeting:

Danny L& Don Hart— Red Oak Burl, \$5-10 per piece

Jack H — Mulberry Burl, \$15-25 per piece

FOR SALE

I am in the process of downsizing, Below is a list of the equipment I would like to sell.

Oliver 12" jointer 3 phase 220 volt 5HP EXTRA KNIVES model # 166-80 serial # 200159 \$ 2800.00

Powermatic 16" planer 3 phase 220 volt 5HP EXTRA KNIVES model # 160 serial # 560065 \$ 1500.00 new main bearings last year

7.5 HP roto phase to run the planer and jointer phase converter will be sold with the last piece of 3 PHASE equipment; if not need price will be \$ 250.00

Powermatic 25" drum sander 220 volt single phase 5 HP model # DDS225 serial # 051DDS22537 \$1800.00

Powermatic 10" table saw 220 volt single phase 3HP model # 66 serial # 93662558 \$1100.00

If anyone wants it all I will be very glad to deal!

I ALSO HAVE A SHOP FULL OF MANY TYPES OF DOMESTIC WOOD; AND I WILL SELL IT AT A VERY GOOD PRICE. BRING A LARGE TRUCK. There is also a small quantity of mahogany and teak.

Call cell phone 540-294-7271. I am located in Fishersville, Va. Thanks you. Starke