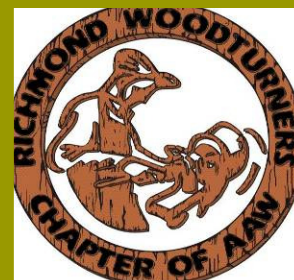




Richmond Woodturners' Newsletter



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.

April 21

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Program Schedule:

April: Mounting Natural Edge Bowl

May: Barbara Dill

June: Platters

Challenge Schedule:

April: More Finishing

May: Different Finish

June: Open

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Finishing Part 2

Matt Baker: CA finish Is fast. 2 types of CA glue: thin and thick. Thin is good for stabilizing knots, porous wood, end grain hardener to lessen tear out and cracks. Thick is for bigger cracks. The accelerator will set up the CA glue even faster, but if too much is used it will crystallize. CA finish is shiny. Matt uses the numerous little baggies you get with pen kits to apply the glue. #400 grit between coats.



Andy Hammer: Durable Finishes The finish should do 2 things: enhance the appearance and provide protection. There are two types: drying oils (Tung oil, Linseed, Walnut) & evaporating solvents (Lacquer, shellac). Drying oils polymerize so solvents have no effect: a durable finish. In the other, the solvent is removed leaving behind what was dissolved in it. Both types, Andy applies and wipes off the excess.



Danny Luttrell: Beal Buffing System Be sure to sand through the grit series first. (#80 -600.). System is 3 wheels of cloth each loaded with a different buffing compound (Tripoli, white diamond, carnauba wax). These are spun at high speed to buff the finish of wooden objects. Open grain woods should not have the white diamond treatment (stays in the pores)



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Shows Coming Out Of VA:

April 29-May 1, Southern States 11th Woodturning Symposium, Gainesville GA

June 24-26, AAW Symposium Saint Paul, MN

November 4-6, NC Woodturning Symposium, Greensboro



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Shows Coming In VA:

May 7: Woodcraft Turning Competition, Richmond



Safety First,

Tie back long hair
before you turn on
the lathe



Meeting Vibrations

Charles Farrar did a good job for the demo. He has a piece in the White House.

No more money in the cup for the snacks, but thank you for the extra cash.

Roy T will be moving to PA in June. Hey Roy! Any chance of a garage sale before then?

Treasurer report: ~\$9500.

Club picnic will be this summer. Think about where, when and what to eat.

Paddow's will be open until 9PM with beer & Pizza.

Woodcraft Turning Competition is May 7

SHOW & TELL



Officers for 2011

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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. List is on the website. Lose it and you bought it.

Newsletter Entries: If you have tips, news, "For Sale" or a newsletter entry (250 words max and no embedded photos; send photos separately as attachments) please send it to the Editor for publication in a future newsletter. Must be received by 7th of each month to make the most current newsletter.

Website: www.richmondwoodturners.org Updated regularly and contains links to other VA clubs.

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.

Visitors / New Members:

Ray Melton , Bill Carter

1st Time Visitors: John Anderson, Burgan Pugh

Beverage & Snack Roster Reminder

Snack Roster for APRIL

22	Mace	Ice -10lb bag & cooler
23	Childress	Two 2-liter diet drinks
24	Haywood	Two 2-liter regular drinks
25	DeLesDernier	Two 2-liter non caffeine drinks
26	Biggers	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
27	Wagner	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
28	Baker	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
29	Squire	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)
30	Deyo	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)
31	McLaughlin	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)

Snack Roster for May

32	Hamilton	Ice -10lb bag & cooler
33	Thomas	Two 2-liter diet drinks
34	Dill	Two 2-liter regular drinks
35	Rendalen	Two 2-liter non caffeine drinks
36	Weber	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
37	Mack	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
38	Tingle	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
39	Bradford	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)
40	Mosser	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)
41	Cox	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)

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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!

Will Trade

1ft diameter X 2ft long Walnut logs
for Cedar

Rollie Sheneman 233-5366

I am a relatively new member of the Richmond Woodturners, and live in Williamsburg, VA.

I am looking for a good, used 14" bandsaw with more than 6" resaw capability, 1 HP min, more preferred

I have a dozen or so pieces of recently cut poplar fork wood, if anyone is interested in having it for free. Chuck Horton annchuck@cox.net

Ninth Annual Woodcraft Turning Competition

Saturday, May 7th 9 – 6pm

Entry deadline: Thurs
May 5th

15% off all turning and carving tools and supplies throughout the day

Free demonstrations (looking for demonstrators)

Rules and entry forms are available at the store or can be downloaded from the website

www.woodcraftrichmond.com