



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 20

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Program Schedule:

Feb: Candlesticks-Barbara Dill

**March: Chain saw turning
– Liam O'Neil**

**April: Production Turning
– Mike Lane**

Challenge Schedule:

Feb: Burls

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Bob Silkensen & Simple Segment Turning

For a last minute fill-in Bob was very well organized, great handouts and superb demo. Segment turning is different from others in the fact you need a design first- no room for design modification after turning starts. In fact turning is the last step in the process.

Design & Wood calculation: After determining how many segments for each ring you have to find the thickness, width, length & cut angle for them. Time for high school geometry or use one of the segment cutting programs available on line (www.segmentedwoodturners.org or www.woodturnerpro.com).

Cut Segments: How select the wood and rip it to size. Cut all the segments for 1 ring (keep them together). Bob uses a miter jig to do this on the table saw. You can buy one or make it from the plans in *Woodturning Design*, Dec 2012.

Ring Glue-up: Glue up 2 half rings, place a small piece of dowel between them and clamp the halves together. Rubber bands or hose clamps work well. When dry fix the two halves together. If you have a gap, sand the ends with a disc sander. A perfect fit is required. Flatten the ring on a disc or drum sander.

Assemble Rings: Mount on a flat-ten base (Bob likes to use a solid piece of wood for the base). Turn the other side flat then glue on another ring. Use the tail stock to center & add pressure.

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Shows Coming Out Of VA:

Jan 31-Feb 2: Florida Woodturning Symposium.

Floridawoodturningsymposium.com

Jan31-Feb1: Tenn Association of Woodturners 27th Symposium, Cool Springs, TN. See Barbara Dill in action.

June 13-14,2014: AAW Symposium, Phoenix,AZ

Shows Coming In VA:

April 26: RW Turning Competition, Woodcraft.

May 2-3: MidAtlantic Penturners Gathering. Woodcraft.
www.midatlanticpen.com

[From page 1] Turn and Finish: Check out the clubs library for DVDs and books on Segmented Turning.



Pen Turners Gathering @ Woodcraft
May 2& 3 7-9pm Friday & 9-5pm Saturday.

Meeting Vibrations

Pay your club
dues



Va Woodturners Symposium Sept 13 &14. 5 demonstrators/mentors per club needed. Email Gerry if interested.

Dick Hines needs someone to take over his position on the Va board. Guy Cox volunteered.

Liam 4th Thursday demo, Friday-personal instruction, Sat-chain saw turning. **Demo this month: Barbara Dill- multi-axis candlesticks.** RW Woodturners Competition April 26.

Officers were all reelected for the next year.

S&T was set-up in the snack room this month for more room to browse.

Gerry wants a Mentor Program for new folks. Jim Bumpass will chair it. A Memorial Program: burial urns for members and persons present at all members' funerals. Needs a chairman.

Challenge due today: Something Burl

SHOW & TELL



Things: Vessels, bowls, pens, salt/pepper mills, bud vase, lidded box, winged/natural edge/lidded box, segmented bowl, bird house ornaments, plane, clock, chair

Wood: burls, antler, boxwood, holly, sapele, maple, spalted maple, mulberry, tupelo, oak, Norfolk Island Pine



Officers for 2014

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Visitors / New Members:

1st Time Visitors: Mike Holmes, Chuck Owen, Bob Fagan, Ralph Lutz, Bob Hudson

Meeting Snack Roster

Hayes	59	Ice -10lb bag & cooler
Reid	61	Two 2-liter diet drinks
O'Hanlon	62	Two 2-liter regular drinks
Turner	64	Two 2-liter non caffeine drinks
Crook	66	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
Sheneman	67	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
Silkensen	68	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
Smith	71	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)
Dompkowski	73	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)
Hart	74	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)

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 \$53/year for printed, \$43/year for email. For this, you receive 6 issues of "The American Woodturner" 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.

Next Month Snack Roster Reminder

Murray	75	Ice -10lb bag & cooler
Adams	80	Two 2-liter diet drinks
Willmer	81	Two 2-liter regular drinks
Fegely	84	Two 2-liter non caffeine drinks
Adams	86	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
Gundel	87	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
Williams	90	Sweet snacks(cookies, etc.)
Dill	95	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)
Campbell	98	Salty snacks(P-nuts, etc)
Blader	100	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 with current cards only. Another very good reason to join us every month!

For Sale: Jet Lathe JWL-1236

\$500 Jim Ellis 743-8611

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Ray M had more free wood last month. Check out his truck each month just in case. First come gets the best wood.

Free Wood large Elm tree and have several rounds available. The rounds are 7 inches and larger thick and 18 to 24 inches in diameter. The wood is available free for pickup at my home in Wake, Middlesex County, VA. If not picked up in about 2 weeks the wood will be split for drying for next years firewood.

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**March 4th Thursday,
Friday, Saturday 2014**

Liam O'Neill, Irish turner.

Turns with a chainsaw.

Members \$10.

Hands on & Chain sawing too.

Check him out on U-Tube