

BayLake Woodturners

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A Chapter of the American Association of Woodturners

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Upcoming Events

MEETINGS START at 9:30 am

NOV 19 Rings — Ed Cole

DEC 17 Carving Accents

Becky Wallschleager

JAN 21 Stabilize — Lisa Miotke

Artisan Center Classes

www.nwtc.edu/about-nwtc/places/artisancenter

NWTC Artisan Center does not require masks to be worn at our meetings. The meetings will be held on the third Saturday of each month at 9:30 am, but dates may change due to scheduling conflicts. If you would like to be a demonstrator please notify Tim Harteau on what you would like to demonstrate. Thank You!



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President Letter

By: Tim Harteau

Hello Woodturners,

As I dictate this I'm driving east through Wyoming. Paul Borawski and I jumped in my pickup a week ago for Provo Utah and Craft Supplies to attend Mike Mahoney's 5-Day Signature Course. We, and nine others, had a 40 hour week of nonstop learning and turning. Bowls, platters, vessels, and thread cutting. And the mother of all pepper mills. Mike is an excellent, production oriented, instructor and we learned techniques that will improve our turning efficiency and form. As an added benefit Kirk DeHeer, who's on Craft Supplies staff, joined Mike and added a lot to the experience. The setting provided top notch equipment, tools and supplies, and wood that was fresh and beautiful. We met a great group of turners, ages 19 to 80, and was reminded, again, of the supportive and giving nature of turners. We were invited to the local AAW chapter meeting hosted by Craft Supplies. Mike did the demo - a paper thin bowl.

We'll all be turning our attention (no pun intended) toward Thanksgiving soon. A time to reflect on all we have to be thankful for. I'm thankful for having found wood turning, the wonderful community of turners and especially the members of Bay Lake Woodturners

Happy Thanksgiving!

See you Saturday, Tim



Tim with Mike Mahoney



Tim at work

OCTOBER DEMONSTRATION

By: Terry Hermes

Our October demonstration was making a mallet by Tim Harteau. A mallet is a great tool to have in your shop. You can make a mallet with different scraps from your shop's woodpile. Tim went through all the steps in making a mallet and you can view his video on our YouTube Channel. Pinterest and YouTube also have many diy instructions on making different kinds of mallets.



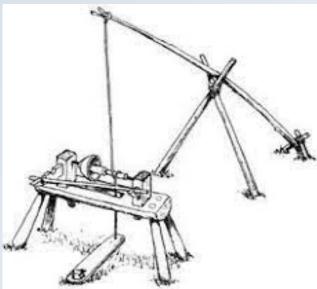




POLE LATHE HISTORY

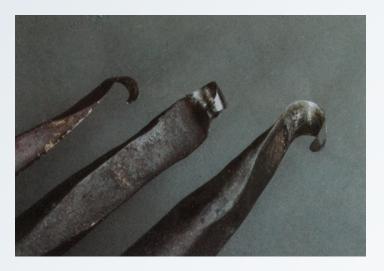
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The actual pole lathe's origins is lost in antiquity. During the middle ages (793—1066 AD) Norsemen known as Vikings made cups, dishes and silverware out of wood. Historians believe these Norsemen used a pedal power pole lathe to make these items. A pole would be cut and staked in the ground with a cord wrapped around the pole to a spindle and attached to a pedal. When the pedal was pressed down the lathe would turn forward and you would cut on the downstroke. As the pedal was released the lathe would turn backward so you had to get in a rhythm on cutting on the downstroke and taking the tool off on the upstroke. The wood was very green so it would cut easy and the side walls were thicker to prevent cracking. The woodturner would first shape the outside of the bowl or mug and then cut the inside down to a small nub so it could be cut off with a knife. All the cutting tools used on the lathe were made by the local blacksmith. The finish used on these turnings was non other than bees wax. Bowls and cups were not sanded smooth and some of the tool marks remained. Check out www.bodgerjohn.com and The Ravens Warband Wood Turning for more information on the pole lathe.





SMALL NUB INSIDE A BOWL



CUTTING TOOLS



SPINDLE

NEW MEMBERS

By: Terry Hermes

Two new members joined our club in October.

Dan Johnson from Green Bay is a beginner turner and has a Powermatic 2014 lathe. He is looking to learn and improve his woodturning skills.

Brian LaValliere from Green Bay is also a beginner turner with less than a year of turning. He has a Laguna 1216 lathe. Brian has completed the Turning Fundamentals Class and is enrolled in the Bowl Class in October.

Welcome to Baylake Woodturners!

SIGN-IN AND VOLUNTEER SHEET

Thanks to everyone who have signed up on our new volunteer sheet. With everyone helping with one of the jobs listed below it helps the meeting go very smooth. Thank You for lending a helping hand!

<u>Clean up Crew Volunteers</u> are in charge of sweeping up after the demo, putting chairs away on the chair racks and placing the coffee pot back in the cabinet.

<u>Library Volunteer</u> is in charge of moving the library books and DVDs from the cabinet and placing them on the table. Then after the demo is done place the books and DVDs back in the cabinet.

<u>Wood Exchange Volunteer</u> is in charge of selling the wood exchange tickets and calling out the numbers.

If everyone would volunteer for one or two meetings a year it would take the pressure off the same people doing these jobs each month.

Membership Dues

By: Terry Hermes

Our membership dues will be \$20.00 for this year. If you would like to also pay the entire year for the Wood Exchange that will be an extra $$30.00 ($3.00 \times 10)$. Each month your name will be put in the Wood Exchange. If your name is chosen and you are not at the meeting we will pick something from the wood exchange table. It could be a nice piece of wood, pen blanks, a tool, glue, finishes or something else.

There are two ways to pay for your dues and wood exchange. You can pay by check at the meetings and your check will be your receipt that you are paid in full. Also you can now use a credit card for paying your annual dues online.

To pay online go to our website www.baylakewoodturners.com and click Dues and Contributions, under Dues click Select, click Renew Dues, click Add to Cart. If you would like to pay for the Wood Exchange click Dues and Contributions, click Contributions, click Wood Exchange and click Add to Cart. You can pay for both items at the same time.

Please pay your dues as soon as possible. Thank You!

Rental Kits

The rental kits are all ready and can be rented for \$3.00 each from our store at the meetings. You will be able to use the kit until the next meeting. We have added another kit for making a ring and it's also ready to be rented. Everything you need to make a bottle stopper, pen or a ring are in these kits and the only thing that is not included are the wood and finishes.

Each kit has a list of all the items in the kit so it will make it easier for you to know what needs to be returned. Please return all bushings and small parts in their plastic bags so we don't lose any of these items. Please only rent one kit at a time so other members can try a different kit.

We now have two new books in the library on making pens. Each of these books has a section on making a Slimline pen, which is in the pen kit. If you are a beginner or have never made a pen, these books have great photos and explain everything step by step.

Give a pen a try because they are fun to turn and make great gifts! Happy Turning!

SCAMMER UPDATE

By: Terry Hermes

At this time the BayLake Woodturner's Club **is not** collecting any money for special projects. All special projects are voted on by club members and after the vote you will receive an email from Tim or myself explaining the project.

If you receive an email asking for a donation or to buy a gift card because we are out of town and will pay you back **DO NOT REPLY** to these emails because they are from scammers. Once you send them a donation or give them the gift card number your money is lost! Always check who sent the email because if it is not from one of our officer's email accounts listed on the first page of the newsletter it is from a scammer!

BayLake Woodturner's Club Website

www.baylakewoodturners.com

On our website you can pay dues and make contributions, see gallery items, read the newsletter, download instruction sheets and see recorded Zoom meetings plus much more.

YouTube Channel

Also check out our YouTube Channel at: **Bay Lake Woodturners**If you missed a demonstration or would like to review it again, they are listed on our YouTube channel.

Smile Amazon

Support BayLake Woodturner's Club by shopping at Smile Amazon

Go to www.smileamazon.com and click on the Supporting Tab then type in Baylake Woodturner. For every purchase that qualifies at Smile Amazon a portion of that purchase will be sent to our club.

Last Amazon Deposit (09/02/2022) = \$10.01

Total Amazon Deposits = \$65.22

Wood Exchange

We are looking for items to place in our wood exchange. If you have any extra wood or tools you would like to donate to the wood exchange bring it to the meeting or just let Tim know what you would like to donate. Thank You!



AAW International Woodturning Symposium June 1-4, 2023 Louisville, Kentucky

Join woodturners from around the world for the valued Symposium experience you look forward to:

- More than 100 compelling presentations and demonstrations over three-and-a-half days.
- Learn from world-class demonstrators.
- Evaluate and buy the latest equipment, tools, and supplies at the Trade Show.
- Share your work in the Instant Gallery.
- Get inspired by the professional and member exhibitions.
- Collect gorgeous, unique works from the auctions and Instant Gallery.
- Make new woodturning friends!

Location

Kentucky Exposition Center, 937 Phillips Ln, Louisville, KY 40209

As the site of our abruptly cancelled symposium in 2020, Louisville is ready to host woodturners from around the world once again! The Expo Center is close to the airport and has nearby options for RV camping.

Save the date and make this trip a highlight for 2023!

More details and registration coming soon.