

High Desert Turning

Calendar Year Membership: \$25 individual, \$30 family Contact Hart Guenther https://hdc.net//hdc.net/https://hdc.net//hdc.net//hdc.net///hdc.net//hd

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Next Regular NMWT Meeting:

September 7, 2013 9:00 A.M. to Noon

Lathe Safety- Tom Cour

Tom will sharpen our focus on how to enhance woodturning pleasure by reducing risk. Can't hurt.

And, if that's not enough...

We'll also have a three ring turning circus with our own lion, tiger and bear – "Oh My!"

- •Turning Tops using a Skew Al Mirman
- ·Miniature Goblets Gale Greenwood
- •Two Piece Hollow Form Dan Shipman

So, grab your cracker jacks and don't miss a minute.



Sept 7	Lathe Safety and More
Oct 5	J. Paul Fennell
Nov 2	Hollowing Using Carbide Tipped Tools/ Ray Berry
Dec 7	Gift Exchange/ Program Selection
Jan 4, 2014	Finials & Thread Chasing/
Feb 1	TBD
March 1	Jimmy Clewes

President's Corner

We had a very successful summer picnic and those of you that were not there missed some great bbq AND fellowship.

The New Mexico State Fair is this month so your participation for entries, turning demonstrations, video monitoring and other help is greatly appreciated. This is our time to "shine" for the people of NM to show our skills. Take entries to Creative Arts Building on Sept. 6 and 7.

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The next regional turning event is the Rocky
Mountain Woodturning Symposium, September
13-15 at the Ranch/Larimer County
Fairgrounds, Loveland, Colorado. We have
several members that have attended in past so
if interested, ask around. Loveland is an easy
drive with great accommodations and venue. It
is SOON so act fast!

Keep the chips flying!

Ron

July 06 Program Summary

The review of the July meeting will be delayed until the next issue.

August 03 Program Summary

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It Doesn't Take a Geek: Web Help Wanted

NMWT's website is hungry for woodturning news and information.

And FYI, web publishing is much more than the geeky, nerdy, techie stuff. I mean, any monkey can learn to program (no offense to programmers or monkeys), but a website lives by its content -- content that is current, useful, and interesting to its audience. That means you! You are the best reporters and contributors we could want -- no web knowledge needed!

So, send in your tips, quips, ideas, gripes, thoughts, and hard earned wisdom about woodturning, woods, tools, trivia, spouse relations, or whatever. Have a story? An anecdote? Cool photos? Woodturning gossip? Don't keep it to yourself. Share it with the woodturning community.

Send it polished or send it rough. Our extensive editorial staff will get it ready for prime time.

You can look at our site for ideas, but also think "out of the bowl."

Email to: webmaster@nmwoodturners.org.

-Dave Stein

Silent Auction

Silent Auction will be held during each NMWT workshop to raise money for a scholarship fund. The earnings from this fund will be used to reduce member's cost of attending hands-on sessions with professional turner-demonstrators at the discretion of the NMWT Board of Directors.

You may place any item that you think will sell in the auction. Bring only items relating to woodworking or woodturning. There will be auction sheets on a table outside the WWS meeting room. Take a sheet, write the name of the item on the sheet and put your item with the sheet. If you want the item to go for a certain amount, put your name and the minimum bid on the sheet. The Auction will be over at the end of the break. Money will be collected for items sold during the last part of the meeting. All money collected will go into the scholarship fund. Items not sold will be returned to the owner and the owner will remove the items from Woodworkers Supply

Schools

Santa Fe Community College www.sfccnm.edu

Santa Fe Community College offers both credit and noncredit courses taught by some of the most prominent artisans in the woodworking field. Classes are offered in the Fall, Spring, and Summer sessions. For more information on SFCC classes, contact club member Al Mirman, one of the Woodturning instructors, at 771-0490. Information can also be found at SFCC's web site.

Discounts & Rebates

Woodworker's Supply www.woodworker.com

Meeting Day Special: For the Sept. 7 meeting are: all the Safety Equipment on pages 403 thru 408 in the BIG WWS Catalog. This includes eye

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Crafts Supply www.woodturnerscatalog.com

Offers a discount to members on large orders. Craft Supply has implemented a new club support program. Visit their web site or phone Kathy Lawrence at 1-800-551-8876

Albuquerque Hardwood Lumber Co

NMWT members receive Wholesale Prices. ABQ Lumber has hardwoods, Lampine Thermofused Melamine, plywood, veneers, and furniture grade white pine.

Oneway Manufacturing www.oneway.on.ca

Any member who may want to receive sales email direct from Oneway, please provide Alan Becker 505-467-8382 alan-

becker@comcast.net with your name and email address.

Check their web site **oneway.on.ca** for products.

Albuquerque Exotic Woods Jake Jacobson

Jake Jacobson has a store specializing in exotic woods, currently located at 2801 Eubank, NE #F, Albuquerque, 87112. He will be moving to 4224 Menaul Blvd NE on Sept.

23.

Hours are Tuesday through Sunday, 8:30 – 6:00. (Monday by appointment)
Call (505) 293-WOOD (9663)

Crane Mountain Weapons

Contacts are: Pat, Marti, or Joe - 271-0797. This business uses exotic woods for gunstocks and sells off-cuts as turning blanks.

Lumber & Milling Services

Wes Thompson 505-384-2544 **Doug Malmstrom** 505-907-3015

Custom milling of your lumber or ours.

For Sale

Remember, your items for sale will run for one month unless you request an extension. There is no charge for listing items, and we welcome members to use this space for anything related to woodturning.

Wanted – About a year and a half ago, Red Hollenbach, one of our longtime, if not founding members, passed away, and his wife Jean held a sale of his woodworking equipment and tools. Unfortunately, I didn't hear about the sale in time to purchase any of Red's equipment or tools. Red, was the person who gave me and my wife, Jill our first "lessons". He was such a great teacher and was always willing to help or answer questions. I remember going over to his house and taking my young son, Jay, and Jean baking cookies for Jay. When Jay was around 14 or so, now 18, Red gave him his first lesson, as we told Jay that he should learn from one of the "best".

So, I am writing to ask any of the club members who did purchase any of Red's tools or equipment, if they would be willing to sell any of them. I was fortunate enough to buy a couple tools of Red's from one member, but my wife and I would like to have a few more, if possible to remember him by. If you are interested in parting with any of Red's stuff, contact me.

Jeff and Jill Miller, 299-0785, jzrexm@yahoo.com

You can also run an ad to FIND or TRADE something?

Instant Photo Gallery



Eric Hester - Aspen Vase



Bill Kalb - Aspen Ornament



Jose Sena - Salt Cedar Hollow Form



Jose Sena - White Oak Hollow Form



Jim Preston - Peruvian Walnut, Wenge, Bloodwood Bowl



Ray Berry - Walnut Bolt Action Pen



Ralph Watts - Box Elder Box



Nate Davey - Pecan Natural Edge box



Larry Linford - Cherry with Knot Pot



Larry Linford - Aspen Hollow Form



Taz Bramlette – Cottonwood Burl Hollow form



Mike Jackson-Poplar Box



Scott Eckstein - Bowl

Mentors

Members are always welcome to contact the people on the following list for guidance to better turning ideas, and techniques -- Free to members so give a Mentor a call!

Name	Phone	Description	
Bill Zerby	891-9188	Basic spindle turning & tool sharpening	
Dan Shipman	296-9754	Basic turning, hollowing & segmented construction	
Irling Smith	865-9230	Segmented turning & design	
John Ellis	771-1773	Basic turning, plates, tools & handles	
Alan Becker	467-8382	Intermediate Hollowing	
Ron Phillips	867-0612	Specialty tools, rests & steadies	
Ralph Watts	792-4860	Advanced turning, carving, coloring, and finishing	
Ron Bahm	881-8845	Pen turning	

Logo Wear Shirts/ Smocks



NMWT OFFERS CUSTOM TURNING SMOCKS

After much looking I have finally found a domestic source for a quality turning smock. A picture accompanies this article. The smock design and material are identical to that offered by AAW. The smocks come in five colors: Royal Blue, Navy Blue, Burgundy, Tan and Grey and in seven sizes: S, M, L, XL, XXL, XXXL, XXXXL. The smocks are sized to fit over a shirt so if you wear an L shirt you should order an L smock. AAW sells their smocks

New Mexico Wood Turners, Vol. 14, Issue 9 online for \$50 plus about \$9 shipping and handling plus \$3 extra for your name (added here). NMWT will charge \$50 per smock with NMWT logo plus \$3 for your name if desired. The price includes sales tax. The XXXXL size is \$3 extra and there is no price break for volume. A company in Colorado is manufacturing the smocks.

Normally, if you order and pay for an item at one meeting I can have it at the next; however, if you say please and buy me a cup of coffee, I can probably have it in two weeks.

Prices for NMWT's Shirts and Hats

Long Sleeve Denim Shirt	\$27.00
Short Sleeve Denim Shirt	\$25.00
Polo (golf) shirt	\$22.00
Short Sleeve T-Shirt	\$15.00
Caps (baseball)	\$11.00

All items include embroidery
Add \$2 for XXL and \$3 for XXXL
Names Embroidered on Shirt \$3.00
Logo on Customer Supplied Garment \$9.00

Contact: Tom Cour: 867-8771

New Policy: Loaning Lathes to NMWT Members

With the recent purchase of new Delta lathes and sale of older Jet and Delta lathes, the Board clarified the policy on loaning lathes to members. One Jet lathe was retained for loan to members, and more may be obtained as needed. The new Delta lathes will be used exclusively for demonstrations, classes, and workshops.

Summary of New Policy

- 1. Borrowers must be NMWT members in good standing.
- 2. The Equipment Coordinator (currently John Ellis) is in charge of access, maintenance, and scheduling.
- 3. Borrowers must pick up and return lathes to storage.
- 4. Loans will be for two months or less, but may be extended if not requested by another member.

- 5. Loans will be on a "first come" basis with waiting list, if necessary.
- 6. A list of all items loaned and Loan Conditions must be signed by borrowers at pick-up.
- 7. Borrowers are responsible for any damages or loss of borrowed items.
- 8. Borrowing members must seek instruction for using the lathes safely.
- 9. NMWT assumes no liability related to the use of the lathes.

A copy of the full policy may be obtained from the Equipment Coordinator.

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The Board decided that the Delta lathes purchased in January may be loaned to other AAW-affiliated chapters and adopted a policy to facilitate that process.

Summary of New Policy

- 1. Use of the loaned equipment is limited to chapter workshops, demonstrations, or classes, but may not be for personal use.
- 2. Equipment will not be loaned when needed by NMWT.
- 3. Loaned equipment must be transported to and from NMWT storage by the borrowing chapter.
- 4. A list of all items loaned and Loan Conditions must be signed by the borrower when picked up.
- 5. Damages beyond normal wear and tear are the responsibility of the borrowing club.
- 6. A "Usage Fee" to offset normal wear and tear of \$15 per calendar day per lathe will be charged to the borrowing chapter and must be paid at pick up.
- 7. The NMWT Equipment Coordinator is responsible for scheduling, arranging for pickup and return, and collection of Usage Fees.

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Library Corner

A good selection of educational DVD's are available for check out during club meetings

Web Sites

NMWT

www.nmwoodturners.org

Please visit our web site. Webmaster Dave Stein continues to made many additions and improvements that are very useful to club members and the public. If you have not been there lately we now have a slide show on the Home Page and the Gallery is divided into sections with slide shows.

Suggested Web Sites

Found a good WEB site? Want to share it with other club members? Questions or suggestions are welcome. Please contact the club Webmaster Dave Stein at:

webmaster@nmwoodturners.org

www.cleanturn.net
www.pennstateind.com
www.tufftooth.com
www.woodmagazine.com,
www.penturners.org
www.woodturnerscatalog.com
www.WoodTurningz.com
www.woodturningvideosplus.com
www.woodweb.com
http://www.sofasandsectionals.com/woodturning-resources
www.woodworkersjournal.com

For those of you who have equipment or material for sale, you can have it posted here in our newsletter, but another resource is: www.albuquerque.craigslist.org

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