

High Desert Turning

www.nmwoodturners.org

Calendar Year Membership: \$25 individual, \$30 family
Contact Rick Judd at rickjudd@mac.com or 612-280-8300



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NEXT REGULAR NMWT MEETING

Dec 2, 2017
9:00 A.M. to Noon

Christmas Exchange

Rules are simple: Bring one or more woodturning item to exchange and receive a ticket. When your number is called, select the next ticket number, select your item, and keep your ticket because after all the numbers have been drawn, we will start over until there are no woodturning items left. Everyone who brings an item will receive at least one item, probably two, three who knows.

Items can include anything to do with turning. Tools, wood, finished turnings, books, videos, DVD's, etc., etc.

2018 Program Planning

Your help is needed to identify the topics you want to have covered.

FUTURE PROGRAMS/ ACTIVITIES

Dec 2	NEXT YEAR PROGRAMS AND EXCHANGES
Jan 6	WORKHOLDING
Feb 4	TBA

PRESIDENTS CORNER



Hi Ladies and Gents -

Well, it may not feel like it outside, but December is here and Christmas is just around the corner!

And just to help get you in the mood, we'll be having our annual gift exchange at the upcoming December meeting! So, don't forget to bring one or more woodturning-related gifts (tools, blanks, jigs, videos, books, finished turnings, etc.) to the meeting. In order to receive a raffle ticket, you must bring at least one gift. Many folks bring

more than one, and the club also brings some turning blanks from World of Wood, so there's a really good chance you'll leave with more than one gift.

But the second part of the December meeting is even more important - the part when we select the topics to be covered during next year's meetings. It is important to have as much input as possible, so please plan on staying for this part of the meeting. We start with a brief review of topics presented the last couple of years, as well as topics suggested for 2017 but not presented for one reason or another. Suggestions for 2018 will be taken from the floor, and then everyone gets a chance to vote for 10 topics.

And that will be my last order of business as President of the New Mexico Woodturners. I have sincerely enjoyed leading the club the last two years, and I will leave a parting piece of advice: Get involved! I did, and I don't regret one minute of it. Remember, even a club as dynamic as ours can fade away without the active participation of a lot of different folks.

Turn on!

Larry Linford, President

2018 MEMBERSHIP DUES

2018 Membership renewals are due!

It is that time of year again to renew your membership for next year!

- A single membership is \$25 for one year, \$45 for two and \$65 for three years
- A family membership is \$30 for one year, \$55 for two and \$80 for three years

Please see treasurer, Rick Judd at the December meetings to renew.

Or, you can mail your renewal check directly to Rick, make checks payable to NMWT and send to:

Rick Judd
59 Canyon Ridge Rd.
Sandia Park, NM 87047

NOV 4 PRESENTATION:

Stone Inlay Hollow Forms – Jim McLain:

Jim provided us with an excellent demonstration of his unique design using stones inlayed into a turned and burned hollow form. His final results are unique and very attractive. He uses a variety of stone types and sizes. River rocks, semi-precious gems and turquoise are seen in many of his pieces. Jim looks for uniform sized logs cut in and turned like a natural edge bowl to balance the wave flows consistently across the piece. Hollow to appx 1/2" wall thickness. Sand with care and then drawn a line following the curve of the growth rings. Look for consistence form top to bottom. Jim suggests that Ash is a good wood for burning.

The lines are burned to assist with the carving of the growth ring. Carve with a square tipped tri tipped carbide cutter (rotary chisel.com from creative technologies.

Stain the piece black and Jim seals the wood with Waterlox prior to inlaying stone.

Plan your stones to a size that fits the carved groove. Lay the out and begin to use in groups of 4-6 stones with a touch of Starbond glue and accelerator. Check for a consistent tight and consistent fit.

Jim finishes up with Deft Satin from a rattle can. You may find the complete well illustrated and documented handout from Jim on our website.

We thank Jim for such a well prepared and comprehensive demonstration of his favorite Stone Inlayed Hollow Forms!

BEADS OF COURAGE

Beads of Courage: The size of the box, as a minimum, must be 5 inches wide x 6 inches deep. These boxes do not have to be round, they can also square. Of course, you can make them larger, to allow the kiddos to put all their beads in a safe place. Go to www.beadsofcourage.org to see to whom you will be making these boxes. Don't forget to bring your boxes to the meetings, and put them into the instant gallery. Scott Eckstein is our official representative for the

local hospitals, give him your box(s) for delivery to the hospitals.

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 wood-working 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.sfcc.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, information can also be found at SFCC's web site.

DISCOUNTS & REBATES

WOODWORKER'S SUPPLY

www.woodworker.com

Meeting Day Specials for the Dec 2nd meeting will be announced at the meeting.

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

NORTH WOODS, LLC

www.nwfiguredwoods.com

PO Box 808 Forest Grove OR 97116

800-556-3106, 503-357-9953

Free shipping to AAW folks for any order over \$99 checkout use coupon code "FREESHIP99". Your discount will automatically be calculated.*



*Please note that FREESHIP99 does not apply to all products on our site, such as, but not limited to clearance boxes/items, Norfolk Island Pine rounds and wood slabs. For more information or if you have any questions feel free to reply to this email directly.

ALBUQUERQUE EXOTIC WOODS

www.abqexoticwoods.com

Jake Jacobson has a store specializing in exotic woods, located at 4224 Menaul Blvd NE.

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

PACKARD WOODWORKS: THE WOODTURNER'S SOURCE

www.packardwoodworks.com/

Specializes in woodturning tools and supplies with a catalog available.

215 S Trade St, Tryon, NC 28782
1-800-683-8876

RUGBY ARCHITECTURAL BUILDING PRODUCTS

1050 18th St. NW (505) 924-2270

NMWT members receive Wholesale Prices. Rugby's have hardwoods, Thermofused Melamine, plywood, veneers, and furniture grade white pine.

STOCK BUILDERS SUPPLY

www.stockbuildingsupply.com

5815 Edith Blvd NE

Albuquerque, NM 87107

(505) 345-2865

Wholesale Prices to NMWT Members

CRANE MOUNTAIN WEAPONS

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

NICHROME WIRE FOR CHEAP

Jim Breeden says www.lightningvapes.com has nichrome wire.

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.

FREE: Ron Breen at rjbreen@rt66.com; 505-410-5945 has a Delta lathe guard available for free. See photo, and contact Ron if interested.



Are you missing a Nova Chuck body from the Ken Pilkington tool sale?

At the Ken Pilkington estate tool sale at the end of July, there were three chuck and jaw sets offered at three different prices. The chuck bodies from two of them were switched by mistake. I just noticed recently that although I bought and paid for the Oneway Talon chuck and four jaw sets, I ended up with the correct jaws, but a Nova chuck body. Someone else went home from that sale with several sets of Nova jaws that don't fit the Talon chuck they were packed with. I hope we can exchange chuck bodies, to get the proper sets. If you have my missing Talon body, please contact Derek Roff, derek@unm.edu.

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

INSTANT PHOTO GALLERY

The photographer will only be available until 8:45 A.M. on the day of the meeting to take photos of the instant gallery items.



Chris Enke - Juniper Footed Bowl



Chris Enke - Maple Burl Hollowform



David Montano - Ash and Dyed Black Veneer Bowl



Drake Ward - Cottonwood Burl Bowl



Jeff Miller - Persimmon Vase



Drake Ward - Trivet



Jeff Miller - Red Maple Vase



Eddie Bell - African Blackwood Toothpick Box



Jim Breeden - OKC Elm Bowl



Jeff Miller - Dogwood Vase



Jose Sena - Cedar Vase



Kathy Knorr - Maple Bowl



Ray Berry - Silver Leaf Maple and Cherry Wine Jug



Kathy Knorr - Walnut Maple Box with Tiger Eye



Ray Berry - Silver Leaf Maple Tri-Corner Bowl



Ralph Watts - Maple Bradford Pear Sculpture



Scott Eckstein - Hybiscus Bowl



Ralph Watts - Mars Moons Maple Sculpture



Scott Eckstein - Myrtle Bowl



Scott Eckstein - Pine Bark Beetle Bowl

LIBRARY CORNER

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

DVD Rental

Please use and return DVD's in one month if possible and donate \$1.00 for each DVD checked out to help with expenses. If you encounter any problems with DVD's, please notify Ron of those problems.

There are several DVD's out from Library for more than 3 months. Please return them before end of year or call Ron Bahm at 881-8845

Ron Bahm 2017 NMWT Librarian

NMWT WEB SITE

www.nmwoodturners.org

Please visit our web site. Webmaster Mike Gardner 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.

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	263-6632	Basic spindle turning & tool sharpening
Irling Smith	865-9230	Segmented turning & design
John Ellis	771-1773	Basic turning, plates, tools & handles
Alan Becker	467-8382	Intermediate Hollowing
Ron Phillips	(505) 553-6139	Beginning Basic and Intermediate Turning. Also, specialty tools, rests & steadies
Ralph Watts	500-5859	Advanced turning, carving, coloring, and finishing
Ron Bahm	881-8845	Pen turning
Hy Tran	(505) 797-2041	Beginner and Novice
Mike Heiser	(505) 388-4678	Beginning Basic and Intermediate Turning.
Jim McLain	(575) 517-6535	Open and closed forms, especially southwest forms, decorative methods, including inlay and coloring

LOGO WEAR SHIRTS / HATS

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: Ivan Blomgrem: 615-5096



Ivan A Blomgren has taking over ordering for club caps, shirts, etc. Due to the lack of volume and associated shipping costs our embroidery shop experiences on small orders it has been decided we need to switch to placing orders on a quarterly basis in hopes of boosting the volume for each order so the per item shipping costs can come down

The way this procedure will work is that members can place orders with me up until the last meeting of each quarter. The collected orders will then be submitted to the embroidery shop and should then be available for distribution on the first quarterly meeting following order placement. Full payment for an order will need to be submitted with each order form before it can be processed!

Order placement cut off dates for each quarter will be as follows:

Quarter	Months	Order Meeting	Delivery Meeting
1st	Jan - Mar	March	April
2nd	Apr - Jun	June	July
3rd	Jul - Sept	Sept	Oct
4th	Oct - Dec	Dec	Jan

Order forms can be filled out and downloaded from our web site as well as gotten from Ivan at our meetings.

NEWSLETTER

If you have tips, news, "For Sale" or newsletter entry (try to stay 250 words or less, no embedded photos ; send photos as separate attachments), Please send it to news@nmwoodturners.org for publication in a future newsletter. **Must be received by the last Saturday of the month to make the most current newsletter.**

SUGGESTED OTHER 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 Mike Gardner 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.woodweb.com
www.woodturningvideosplus.com
www.sofasandsectionals.com/wood-turning-resources
www.woodworkersjournal.com

Another resource is:

www.albuquerque.craigslist.org

**New Mexico WoodTurners
c/o Roger Umber
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Albuquerque, NM 87123**

