



SHAVINGS

FROM THE PREZ

Hello Everyone,

As we kick off the New Year, one good thing is that every tree gets just a little bit larger, and that means bigger bowls for all. We are still trying to come up with some good meetings in the months to come and would like to hear some ideas from you.

The San Diego County Fair (aka: the Del Mar Fair) is coming up fast, so get your turnings started now. It is also time to start planning on the Woodturning Symposium in Provo, Utah. Make your hotel reservations early.

At our last meeting, we had to cut our planned demo of Bill Jones and his Native American flutes because of time, but we hope to have him give us a demo soon.

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Woodturning Accessories - Bring Out Your Gizmos and Gadgets

For the February program, several members will be showing and/or demonstrating home made shop accessories that they use to aide their turning. These accessories include things that help repetitive turning, solve problems with tools, or just make life in the shop a little easier.

Chuck Luebbers will be showing his home made faceplates and vacuum chucks. Nan Bushley will explain how her overhead hoist is constructed and will be demonstrating Oskar Kirsten's hollow form reverse chuck. Ernest Grabbe will be showing off a couple of bandsaw jigs and how to balance lopsided wood blanks. Pete Campbell will show his bandsaw ripping sled. Joe Fleming will have his homemade steadyrest, skate wheel sander and lathe-mounted sanding disk. Others will be bringing their creations as well.

Also, if you have a gizmo, gadget or doodad that you would like to share, please bring it along.

NEW FEBRUARY AND MARCH MEETING TIMES AND DATES!

Mark your calendars!

February 20th at 7:00 pm:

Gizmos and Gadgets

March 9th at 9:00 am:

Richard Raffan demonstration

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ELECTION RESULTS – 2002

Dateline: Poway, 1-17-2002. The election results are in – at the club's regular meeting on January 16, 2002, the last minute, hastily formed consortium of **CAMPBELL, REEVE, KIRSTEN, FLEMING and YOUDE** (in no particular order except alphabetical by the second letter of their last name) swept the competition in the hottest Directors' election of the San Diego Woodturners since the club's inception. Putting together an explosive appeal in the waning minutes of the campaign, the members of the consortium stepped to the microphone before a cheering crowd at Election Central, one by one, strongly soliciting voter support for their platform of more tools, a lathe in every shop and full wood bins of exotic timber for every member.

Overwhelmed by the surprisingly strong, last minute rally by the consortium, the other contenders, Richard Riebe, Richard Trujillo and Jim Young, fell apart at the polls. Riebe delivered a strong, but unsuccessful, pitch in a last ditch effort to gain additional support; Trujillo slipped into the shadows not to be heard from; while Jim Young withdrew from the race as the polls were opening. Young's campaign crumbled when his campaign band, a '30's rock group, Ed Ducharme and the WoodTones failed to show up at Election Central.

Nominating Committee Chairman, Mike Lonnecker, shocked by rumors of illegal voter solicitation (Campbell allegedly passing out pink ivory within 50 yards of the polls), ignored shouts of "unethical voter influence" as he placed a box of wood (pink ivory??) in his truck.

On the serious side, we wish to thank Mike Lonnecker for the great job he did it finding and convincing eight members to run for the five places on the board, preparing the ballots and running the election. We appreciate Pete Campbell's, Joe Fleming's, Oskar Kirsten's, Jim Reeve's, Richard Riebe's, Richard Trujillo's and Lorin Youde's acceptance of the nominations, making speeches and running for office. We know that Pete, Joe, Oskar, Jim and Lorin will be great assets on the Board and will do a great job, enthusiastically. We hope that the Richards, Riebe and Trujillo, and Jim continue to help the club grow and improve in the future and look forward to serving with them on the Board at some future time.

The great turnout at Election Central was a strong indication that members are concerned about who represents them on the Board and how the club is governed. We thank you for coming out and casting your vote for your candidate.

Dues are Due! Time is Running Out!

Well, we have *urged*. We have *pleaded*. We have *begged*. We are now at *finger-wagging*. If you have not paid your 2002 dues, we will soon be removing your name from the mailing list. If you still want to receive the newsletter and be eligible for the discounts that our sponsors provide, then you better hurry. Dues are \$30 (\$25 if you want to download the newsletter from the internet).

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Thanks to everyone who came to our last meeting and took part in the voting of the new suckers...uhh – I mean board members. It is always nice to have some new ideas and perspectives at the board meetings.

Well, I think we should all do our part to help our nation's economy by going out and buying a tool, some wood or maybe a lathe. I'm sure that your wife or husband will understand that you are just trying to help.

See you on the 20th,
Don

The Raffle Report

A large maple burl is the featured item for this month's raffle along with some other items that all woodturners use. Please see me if you have suggestions for prizes. You may call me at home (858 571-2798) or e-mail me at: tooljkny@san.rr.com. Please feel free to call with questions or needs that you may have.

Warren Sherman

Design in Wood Exhibit at the San Diego County Fair

It is not too early to be thinking about the San Diego County Fair (formerly known as the Del Mar Fair). Once again, the San Diego Woodturners will have a demonstration booth in the corner so that we can help to show what we do to the public. Our booth is always one of the more popular attractions in the Design in Wood Exhibit. Hours of operation will be 10am to 2pm and 2pm to 6pm. These shifts are every day. The Fair starts June 15th and runs through July 7th.

You should also be starting on your entries into the Fair. There will be over \$15,000 of prizes awarded in 22 categories. There will be four turning categories again this year: center work, face work, embellished work and segmented turnings. You may enter a total of three pieces into the exhibit. Entries are due April 26th at 5pm. Actual works are due at the Fairgrounds on June 2nd. Pick-up will be on July 8th. The entry fees will be the same as last year. Rules and regulations will be available at the February meeting. Entry forms will be available on February 15, 2002 on the San Diego Fair Website: sandiegofair.com

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Logo T-Shirts

San Diego Woodturner logo T-shirts are available for \$15 in medium, large and extra large. They are navy blue with the club logo on the back. See a board member for yours today.

San Diego Woodturners' Video Library

Don't forget that we have a video and book library available for you to check out tapes and books for a small fee. We have almost every turning video ever made and are starting to grow our collection of books.

For those of you with rentals that are outstanding, please return them to Lynn Moon, Box 972, Rancho Santa Fe, 92067, (858) 756-2296. Either bring them to the club meetings or mail them to me. Media mail is the best price.

Title	Name	Title	Name
1. Miniature Lathe Demo	Bonnie Kline	45. Hollow Turning	David Ellsworth
2. Woodturning II Bowls	Bonnie Kline	46. Introduction to Bowl Turning-AAW	
3. Woodturning III Boxes	Bonnie Kline	47. Introduction to Bowl Turning-AAW	
4. Thread Cutting	Robert Sorby	48. AAW '97 Technique and Instant Gallery	
5. Tips for Turners-Hollow Turning Tools	David Ellsworth	49. Coloring Wood	Jan Sanders
6. Turning Between Centers #1	Dennis White	50. Cutting and Sharpening for Woodturners	Chris Stott
7. Turning Bowls #2	Dennis White	51. Welding, oxy, arc, wire	
8. Boxes, Goblets, Screws and Threads	Dennis White	52.	
9. Novelties and Projects #4	Dennis White	53. Mahoney – Demo A & B	Mike Mahoney
10. Classic Profiles #5	Dennis White	54. Basic Box	Ray Key
11. Twist and Advanced Turning	Dennis White	55. Finial Box	Ray Key
12. Bowl Turning	Del Stubs	56. Finial Box	Ray Key
13. Southern California Woodturning Conference 1986		57. Finial Box	Ray Key
14. Del Mano Gallery 1988-1990		58. Turned Forms-the Collection	Irving Lipton
15. Del Mano Gallery 1990		59. Woodturning	Richard Raffan
16. Turning Boxes	Ray Key	60. Turning Wood	Richard Raffan
17. Stewart Tools-Promo Incra	Dennis Stewart	61. A & B Turning Projects	Richard Raffan
18. Stewart Tools-Signature in Woods Promo Incra		62. The Translucent Bowl and Hawaiian Woods	Ron Kent
19. Decorative Techniques	Robert Sorby	63. Turning Boxes	Chris Stott
20. San Diego Woodturners-Flutes and Spindle Turning		64. Decorative Effects and Coloring	Chris Stott
21. Woodturning Symposium 1992-Irish Woodturning		65. Woodturning – A Foundation Course	Keith Rowley
22. Demo Part 1	Dan Ackerman	66. Signatures in Wood	Ditmer, Holzapel, Scarpino
23. Demo Part 2	Dan Ackerman	67. History of Irish Woodturning	
24. Photographing your Pieces (defective)	Gary Zeff	68. AAW Symposium '96-'97	
25. The Woodturning Workshop		69. San Diego Woodturners	
26. Bowl and Hollow Turning	John Jordan	70. Turning Boxes	Richard Raffan
27. Bowl and Hollow Turning	John Jordan	71. Chatter Techniques, Coloring	Bonnie Klein
28. Small Shop Projects:Boxes	Jim Cummings	72. Turning Unusual Materials	Bonnie Klein
29. Lets Make a Bowl Lathe	Timby plans	73. Elliptical Turning	David Springett
30. Colonial Footstool-beginning project		74. Woodturning Wizary	David Springett
31. AAW Symposium 1994		75. Bowl Turning	Del Stubbs
32. Wood Dust Solution		76. Turning for Furniture	Ernie Conover
33.		77. Threaded Lids (V)	Bonnie Klein
34. Sharpening, Sanding #1	David Ellsworth	78. Dick Sing Demo 1 & 2 (7/00)	Dick Sing
35. Hollow Turning Tools #2	David Ellsworth	79. Introduction to Bowl Turning	Rus Hurt
36. Hollow Turning #3	David Ellsworth	80. Inlaid and Novelty Boxes	Chris Stott
37. Natural Edge and Hollow Form	Chris Stott	81. Finishing for Woodturners	Chris Stott
38. First Steps Woodturning, Cutting, Sharpening	Chris Stott	82. Skill Building Projects	Mark St. Leger
39. Turning Bowls	Chris Stott	83. Turning Projects from Scrap	Robert Rosand
40. Turning Bowls	Chris Stott	84. Turning Green Wood	Michael O'Donnell
41. Howard Lewin Seminar 1996		85. Wet Turning	Stuart Mortimer
42. Photographing your Work	Berry Parr	86. Turning Pens Demo	Art Majeras
43. Instant Gallery AAW Symposium '85 and '86		87. Fundamentals of Sharpening	4-Experts-AAW
44. Coloring and Decorating	Stoff	88. The Skew Chisel	Allan Batty
		89. Hand Thread Chasing	Allan Batty

“eWoodturning” - Woodturning on the Internet

Like most things today, you can find all kinds of resources about woodturning on the internet. In case you haven't had a chance to go surfing, I will be doing a periodic article about some of the resources on the internet. If you have a computer, I encourage you to dig in for yourself.

First, for those who have done little or no internet activity, I would like to give a short glossary of terms. I will add to the list as I think of others:

Web – The general term for the graphically-based internet that is viewable for most users.

Web browser – The software that allows you to view web pages. Internet Explorer and Netscape Navigator are the two most popular.

ISP – Internet service provider. This is the service that hooks you up to the internet.

WWW – Worldwide web; the graphical internet.

URL – An internet address.

Host site – A group of internet resources that are usually free for you to use. They provide web searching capability (Search engine); news gathering (like your own, online newspaper); and special interest group services.

Web site – A collection of information pages formatted for internet viewing.

Home page – The hierarchical top page of a web site where other sites typically link.

Bookmark – A saved web site address. Most browsers allow you to save frequently visited web site addresses in an organized method for later access.

Hyperlink – An internet connection built into a web page that allows you to jump from web page to web page. Hyperlinks are often underlined and/or are a different color on a web page. By pointing your mouse cursor at the hyperlink and clicking once, the hyperlink will cause your web browser to switch the screen to the new page.

Surf – the process of navigating through several web sites.

On the internet, there are several different types of woodturning information. One article would be too long to review all of them, so I will only review a couple at a time.

I currently have over 100 websites bookmarked for woodturning and a couple of hundred for woodworking. I tend to classify woodturning internet resources into three categories. I also tend to bookmark sites following this category hierarchy too:

- Information sources
- Supplier web sites
- Personal sites

Information Sources:

Information sources include several different resources. Our own club web page is an information source (www.sdw.org). The American Association of Woodturners also has a web page (www.woodturner.org). Many clubs have web pages that show their calendar, their newsletters, club activities, etc. They often have hyperlinks to other club web pages and resources.

Another information subgroup is that of web pages created by people interested in woodturning and wanting to share their knowledge. I will review some of these in a later issue, but the information out there is vast. I have bookmarked sites on magazines (Wood, Tauton Press, Woodturning, etc.), personal pages (segmented turning, alabaster turning, turning spheres, wood species, etc.), galleries of turnings,

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and sites with links to other sites.

The third area of information is referred to as "Usenet newsgroups". Originally, the internet was not graphically based. It was a text-based medium used by academics and other technologists for exchange of information. A hierarchy of newsgroups evolved to serve this community. At first, these groups tended to be computer-oriented, but they gradually grew to include many different interest areas. I would hazard to guess that there are in excess of 45,000 different groups available. The groups are sorted by topical area. Some of the group topics include **comp.** (computer), **sci.** (science), **talk.** (current events), and **rec.** (recreation). Under **rec.**, there are some 75 subgroups with further breakdowns available. There are 38 game subgroups, alone.

Three groups of particular interest to woodturners are listed below. I will provide a review of these groups in another article. If you want to access them now, use your browser to connect to *news* or *news groups*. You may have to ask for assistance. You can also access them through **Google.com**.

rec.crafts.woodturning
rec.crafts.metalworking
rec.woodworking

Finally, there are **Host Sites**. Host sites are internet service providers that give free information gathering services to the public by selling advertising space on their web pages. Many started out as search engines, but have evolved to provide many other free services. Four of the more famous services are Yahoo! (**yahoo.com**), Google (**google.com**), Microsoft Network (**msn.com**) and Altavista (**altavista.com**). Yahoo!, for example, has a group service that several Stubby lathe owners from around the country use to chat about their lathes. This group has about 40 members. There is another group in a different service that is set up so that anyone without their own web page can post pictures of their turnings for others to view.

Supplier Web Sites:

Many suppliers, both local and national, have web sites in addition to their traditional paper catalogs. Some are well known while others are obscure. The genius of the internet is that small businesses can have a formidable presence just like the big guys. I will list a few here and will plan to provide a longer list with additional information about many of these in the future. Needless to say, almost every manufacturer has a web site where you can get product information and, possibly, buy products.

Local:

San Diego Woodturning Centre
Tropical Exotic Hardwoods of Latin America
Rocklers Woodworking

www.sdwoodturning.com
www.anexotichardwood.com
www.rockler.com

National:

Packard Woodworks
Craft Supplies USA
Cutting Edge
Vicmarc
Oneway
Woodfast
McNaughton

www.packardwoodworks.com
www.woodturnerscatalog.com
www.cuttingedgetools.com
www.vicmarc.com
www.cyg.net/~oneway
www.ubeaut.com.au/wdfast1.htm
www.kelton.co.nz

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Personal Sites:

Individuals create personal web sites for any number of reasons. Many woodturners have web sites that show off their turnings, their shops and offer free information on tools, techniques, etc. Many have links to other web sites. Several big-name turners have web sites. At least one local turner has a site too. Here are a few:

Ed Zbik (SD Woodturning club member)

home.san.rr.com/zbikwoodturning

Soren Berger (New Zealand)

www.berger.co.nz

Vic Wood (Australia)

www.ubeaut.com.au/vw.htm

Ron Kent (Hawaii)

www.ronkent.com/RKhome.html

I hope this introduction to the world of woodturning on the internet has opened up some new sources for information and inspiration. Next month, I will dig into the *rec.crafts.woodturning* newsgroup and a couple of catalog suppliers.

Joe Fleming

Utah Woodturning Symposium

The Utah Woodturning Symposium will be June 13 through 15 with a pre-symposium sale and demonstrations at Craft Supplies on June 12. San Diego always sends a large contingent to the symposium where 15 to 20 national and international demonstrators show turning techniques, skills and tools for all ability levels. The event also includes an awesome instant gallery, a barbeque steak picnic, a swap meet and the ever-popular egg cup races.

Craft Supplies' sale is all full of goodies and the demonstrations are free all day.

The fee is \$225 (\$110 for spouses) and local accommodations around \$60 per night. If you are interested, please see one of the board members for additional information.

The Instant Gallery Update

We had a pretty good turnout for the January instant gallery, except for the advanced class. Jim O'Neal won with his small bowl in the novice category. Jim Berger won in the intermediate with his natural edge hollow form. Mike Lonnecker and Pete Campbell tied in the master class, each displaying a hollow form.



Jim O'Neal - Novice



Mike Lonnecker - Master



Jim Berger - Intermediate



Pete Campbell - Master

San Diego Woodturners Club Calendar

February 2002

- Wednesday, February 20th at 7:00pm - General Club Meeting at the San Diego Woodturning Centre. **Gizmos and gadgets. NEW TIME AND DATE**
- Thursday February 28th at 7:00 pm - Board of Directors Meeting at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.

March 2002

- Saturday, March 9th at 9:00 am - General Club Meeting at the San Diego Woodturning Centre. **Richard Raffan demonstration. NEW TIME AND DATE**
- Thursday March 28th at 7:00 pm - Board of Directors Meeting at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.

April 2002

- Wednesday, April 17th at 7:00 pm - General Club Meeting at the San Diego Woodturning Centre. Program TBA.
 - Thursday April 25th at 7:00 pm - Board of Directors Meeting at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.
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San Diego Woodturning Centre Calendar

See SDWTC website for other classes and information: <http://www.sdwoodturning.com/>

February 2002

- February 2-3 - Introduction to Woodturning from 8am to 4:30pm at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.
- February 4-5 - Basic Woodturning from 4pm to 7pm at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.
- February 11-12 - Basic Woodturning from 4pm to 7pm at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.
- February 13-14 - Stuart Batty Workshop from 9am to 3:30pm.
- February 15-17 - Stuart Batty Workshop from 9am to 3:30pm.
- February 18-19 - Basic Woodturning from 4pm to 7pm at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.

March 2002

- March 2-3 - Introduction to Woodturning from 8am to 4:30pm at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.
- March 4-5 - Basic Woodturning from 4pm to 7pm at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.
- March 9 - Richard Raffan Demonstration from 9am to 3:30pm.
- March 11-12 - Basic Woodturning from 4pm to 7pm at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.
- March 10-12 - Richard Raffan 3-day Workshop from 9am to 3:30pm.
- March 13-14 - Richard Raffan 2-day Workshop from 9am to 3:30pm.
- March 18-19 - Basic Woodturning from 4pm to 7pm at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.
- March 23-24 - Intermediate Woodturning (Nested Bowls) from 8am to 4:30 pm at the SD Woodturning Centre.

April 2002

- April 1-2 - Basic Woodturning from 4pm to 7pm at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.
- April 6-7 - Introduction to Woodturning from 8am to 4:30pm at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.
- April 8-9 - Basic Woodturning from 4pm to 7pm at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.
- April 15-16 - Basic Woodturning from 4pm to 7pm at the San Diego Woodturning Centre.
- April 27-28 - Intermediate Woodturning (Hollow Forms) from 8am to 4:30 pm at the SD Woodturning Centre.

San Diego Woodturning Centre: 2002 Calendar

The San Diego Woodturning Centre is currently planning to host four world-class demonstrators during the 2002 calendar year. On tap for the coming year are:

- Stuart Batty – February (class only)
- Richard Raffan – March
- Dick Sing - August
- Vic Wood – October

In addition to these demonstrators, the Centre will continue to offer Beginner, Novice and Intermediate classes every month. Please contact the Turning Centre for more details or visit the web site at: <http://www.sdwoodturning.com/>.

San Diego Woodturning Centre

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lathes & chucks

Stubby:

lathes

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See **Ken Roth** at the meeting or
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Solana Beach, CA 92075
(858) 481-0442

Tropical Exotic Hardwoods

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Carlsbad, CA 92008
(760) 434-3030

Rockler's

8199 Clairemont Mesa Blvd.
San Diego, CA 92111
(858) 268-1005

North County Tools

955-A Rancheros Drive
San Marcos, CA 92069
(760) 743-2004

Tool Depot

3555 Rosecrans Street
San Diego, CA 92110
(619) 222-6611

Hardwood & Hardware Co.

5673 Kearney Villa Road
San Diego, CA 92123
(858) 569-2482

ORCO Construction Supply

Formerly Junior's Tools
5680 Kearny Villa Rd.
San Diego, CA 92123
(858) 627-9181

Enviro-Safety Products

516 E. Modoc Ave.
Visalia, Ca 93292-7630
(800) 637-6606

Woodworker West.

P. O. Box 66751
Los Angeles, CA 90066
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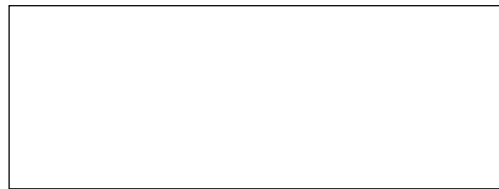
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Gizmos and Gadgets

**Homemade doodads that will
help improve your turning
quality and efficiency**

******* *Time and date change* *******

**Wednesday, February 20, 2002
7:00 pm**
