

Tuckesse Turners

Woodturners from North Central TN and South Central Kentucky

We provide an environment to help beginning woodturners get started with minimal start up costs

February 2013 Newsletter

Message from The President

Spring is just around the corner and should help to get we woodturners out of the depressed state of mind that many of us get into during the winter months of trying to work in cold shops.

Our Saturday Turn-in's have been well received of late with many beginners wanting to learn more.

It was unfortunate that the one on the Feb. 23rd had to be cancelled. Our host, Jon Holloway was ill and could not unlock for us. Jon is much better now and will open as usual on Monday March 4th.

You will be pleased with our March Demonstrator, Jimmy Greenwood. Hope to see most of our members there. Bring a guest if you can, and bring something to show for Show 'n Tell.

Bob Forsythe
President
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Jimmy Greenwood February Demonstrator

Jimmy Greenwood, from Gainsboro, TN (the Cookeville area) will be demonstrating making a 4-sided, lidded box. Jimmy will be keeping it down to our level of turning, even though, as many of you will agree, is one of the best turners in the middle Tennessee area. I hope he will bring some of his work, or pictures of his work, for you to view.



Here is a piece Jimmy showed at the last TAW Mtg.

We are fortunate to get turners of this caliber to show us how he does it. Let's show Jimmy how much we appreciate it.

**2013 Annual Dues
Are still coming in...**

If you are paying your dues at the meeting, please see Charles Wall and give him all your **updated** information...email address, phone numbers, mailing address, etc.

February Visitors

Harold Ellis, Harold Thompson, and Tim Terry visited with us at the Feb. meeting. Neither of them gave information other than their names. The battery was low on the Photographer's camera so we have no pictures of our guests.

**February Demonstrator,
Mike Zinzer**

We were in for a treat at our February meeting as Mike Zinzer showed us how he produces items like the ones pictured below.



Mike demonstrates his procedures



Jack Bastin, right, talking with Brian Clarry who assisted our February demonstrator



<i>Scheduled Meetings</i>	
Saturday, Feb. 23rd	9:00 to Noon - Turn-in
Monday, Mar. 4th	Monthly Meeting Jimmy Greenwood Four sided lidded box
Saturday, Mar. 23	9:00 - Noon - Turn-in
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Saturday, April 27th	9:00 - Noon - Turn-in

Instant Gallery

(Show 'n Tell)

Steve Sabinash



Six Inch Bocote Bowl

Charles Maddux



Cherry Goblet

Charles Maddux



Ten Inch Cherry Salad Bowl

Mike Haney



Ten Inch Cherry Bowl

Charles Maddux



Eight Inch Cherry Salad Bowl

Mike Haney



Walnut Lidded Box

Clarence Duzan



Fifteen Inch Mahogany Platter

Terry Ellis



Oak Burl Vase

Max Harris



Four Natural Edge Maple Items

Tom Pressler

Photo of Ten Inch Walnut Bowl that did not come out well enough to show up on the camera.

Mike Haney

Photo of a 4 X 4 Cherry Vase that did not come out well enough to show up on the camera.

Sorry Fellows

The Camera Operator will try to do better next.time.

Jessie Foster and Jim Mason
Represented our club at the
TAW February meeting in Nashville

Terry Ellis



Thirteen Inch Cherry Salad Bowl

John Lucas,, Singer, Composer, & Woodturner



John beautifully demonstrated offset turning

He composed a song about woodturning and with the help of his guitar had the members cheering. It was an informative and entertaining evening.

***Mason Represents
The Tuckesse Turners at the
Valentine's Day Afternoon event of the
Clarksville/Montgomery County Arts and
Development Council***



Jim Mason display table

At the F & M Bank, Franklin Room, the air was fresh with Chocolates, champagne, and Chamber music on a dreary Sunday afternoon. About a 100 visitors enjoyed a rainy afternoon among a few select vendors and plenty to eat and drink.

Tables were colorfully decorated for the vendors. Jim Mason who represented our club sold eleven of what he called "artsy" items and handed out lots of the Tuckesse Turners business cards.

Creation

A man said to his wife one day, 'I don't know how you can be so stupid and so beautiful all at the same time.' The wife responded, 'Allow me to explain. God made beautiful so you would be attracted to me. God made me stupid so I would be attracted to you.'

Who Does What

A man and his wife were having an argument about who should brew the coffee each morning. The wife said, 'You should do it because you get up first, and then we don't have to wait as long to get our coffee.' The husband said, 'You are in charge of cooking around here and you should do it, because that is your job, and I can just wait for my coffee.' Wife replies, 'No, you should do it, and besides, it is in the Bible that the man should brew the coffee.' Husband replies, 'I can't believe that, show me.' So she fetched the Bible and opened the New Testament and showed him, at the top of several pages, that it indeed says, 'HEBREWS'

Magician Cruise Ship

A magician was working on a cruise ship in the Caribbean. The audience would be different each week, so the magician allowed himself to do the same tricks over and over again.

There was only one problem: The Captain's parrot saw the shows every week and began to understand what the magician did in every trick. Once he understood that, he started in the middle of the show: "Look, it's not the same hat!" "Look he's hiding the flowers under the table!" "Hey, why are all the cards the Ace of Spades?" The magician was furious but couldn't do anything, it was the Captain's parrot after all.

One day the ship had an accident and sunk. The magician found himself on a piece of wood, in the middle of the ocean, and of course the parrot was by his side. They stared at each other with hate, but did not utter a word. This went on for several days.

After a week the parrot finally said: "Okay, I give up, what did you do with the boat?"

Woodturning Clubs of Interest...

American Association of Woodturners
www.woodturner.org

Tennessee Association of Woodturners
Nashville, TN www.tnwoodturners.org

Duck River Woodturners Club,
Columbia, TN www.duckriverwoodturners.com

Tri-State Woodturners Club
Chattanooga, TN www.tristatewoodturners.org

Blue Grass Area Woodturners
Lexington, KY bluegrassareawoodturners.org

Louisville Area Woodturners
Louisville, KY louisvilleareawoodturners.org

Cumberland Woodturners
Crossville, TN cumberlandwoodturners.com

Smokey Mountain Woodturners
Knoxville, TN
smokeymountainwoodturners.org

Tri-state Woodturners
Chattanooga, TN tristatewoodturners.org

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Directions to Club Meeting Place

FROM THE SOUTH:: Take N. 2nd Street north onto Hwy 41A (Providence Blvd), Turn Right on Market St, Turn Right on Chapel St, Turn Left on North Ford St. About ½ mi. rd turns hard right, continue about ½ mile to the last building on the Left. (F.O.P. Lodge)

FFOM THE NORTH: From Hwy 41A (Providence Blvd) turn left on Chapel St ¼ mi. turn left on North Ford St. About ½ mi. rd turns hard right, continue about ½ mile to the last building on the Left. (F.O.P. Lodge)

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