

# Tuckesseee Turners

Woodturners from North Central TN and South Central Kentucky

We provide an environment for beginning woodturners to get started with minimal start up cost

## August 2017 Newsletter

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Steve Sabinash, President



President's Message:

A program for September meeting has not been decided at this point. If another plan develops, I will demonstrate the Oneway Easy Coring system.

Please remember that space is limited for the TAW (Nashville) club 30th Annual Symposium. So make your plans now for tickets and lodging.

My suggestion by Ed Gill in last month's Message is worth repeating. A problem with harvesting wood in the summer is insect infestation (post hole beetles, grubs, ants, and many more). I have tried some different insecticides and have found one that has been very effective (Permetherin). It's available at most Farm Supply stores in concentrated form.

P.S. Hello my name is Steve and I'm a woodaholic.

Thanks  
Steve

## Safety First

### *September Program....*

*Steve will provide a program. See his description in his President's Message at left for more details.*

### *August Program...*

The program last month was presented by Steve Sabinash who showed us two videos by Robo-Hippy on Bowl Gouge Basics and Tenons.

The program was well received by the membership.

### *Update on Tops for Cash contest...*

*Tops below were donated by members*



*A total of 41 tops were donated. The cash was won by Ed and Penny Gill*

## Wear your Safety Helmet

## ***Club Activities for 2017.....***

### ***Monthly Club Meetings - 1st Mondays***

Monday, September 4th  
Monday, October 2nd  
Monday, November 6th  
Monday, December 4th

### ***Monthly Turn-ins - 4th Saturdays***

Saturday, September 23rd

### ***Fourth Tuesday Evening Turn-in Tuesdays prior to the turn-ins***

Tuesday, September 19th  
Tuesday, October 24th  
Tuesday, November 21st  
Tuesday, December 19th

### ***Clarksville Market Place First and Third Saturdays***

Saturday, September 2nd  
Saturday, September 16th  
Saturday, October 7th  
Saturday, October 14th **FINAL FOR THE SUMMER**

## ***HOMEMADE CA GLUE ACCELERATOR***

Woodworkers journal recently published this article by Paul Guncheon  
"I've discovered that you can make a version of cyanoacrylate (CA) glue accelerator at home. Just mix 1/2 teaspoon of baking soda into 1/4 cup of purified water. Brush it onto the "dry" half of the joint. The soda will neutralize the acid in CA glue, which is there to slow the curing time. At this ratio, your homemade accelerator will still give you several seconds of open time to align the arts. But if you want an immediate cure, increase the soda to 1 teaspoon instead. After trying this on many sample joints made of poplar, I've noticed no loss of bond strength, plus it's odor-free and doesn't stain the wood"

Paul Guncheon  
Wahiawa, Hawaii

***Safety first!!!***

Wear your safety helmet

# Show 'n Tell...

Bryce Ellison



Maple Bowl

Darrell Burkhart



14" Salad Bowl - Oak and Padauk

Bryce Ellison



Maple Bowl

Ed Gill



Oak Hollow Form

Darrell Burkhart



11" Salad Bowl - Maple and African Mahogany

Ed Gill



Spin Tops

Tommy Shepherd



Lidded Box purchased at Longest Yard Sale

Jim Mason



Mahogany Textured Bowl

Jesse Foster



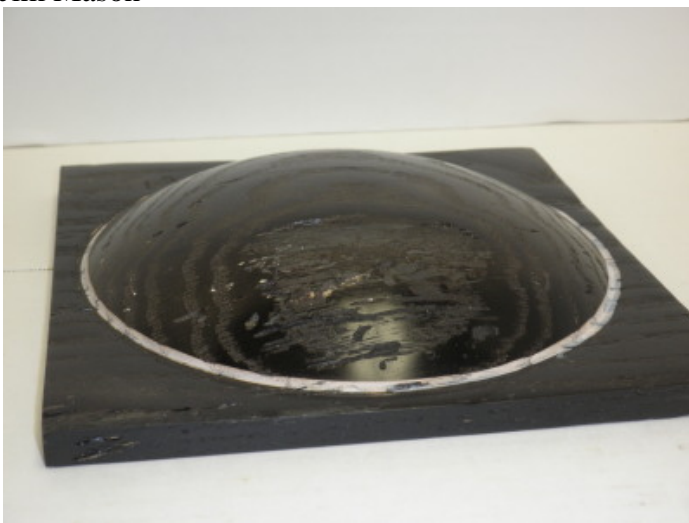
Christmas Ornament

Jim Mason



Small Cherry Bowl with Wood Burnings

Jim Mason



Eclipse Art - Wormy Oak

Jim Mason



Small Cherry Bowl with Wood Burned Edge

## **Tuckesse Woodturners**

### **August 7, 2017 Club Meeting Minutes**

The August 2017 Tuckesse Woodturners Club Meeting was called to order by President Steve Sabinash at 7:00 pm on Monday August 7th at the FOP Lodge 2576 North Ford Street in Clarksville TN.

There were no visitors at the meeting.

Treasurer Bob Forsythe was absent so there was no treasurers report. President Steve reported we had collected \$35.00 in club sales at the last Market Place.

President Steve reminded us that registrations for the 30<sup>th</sup> Tennessee Association of Woodturning, TAW, symposium are now being accepted. Registration for the January 2018 symposium will be limited due to Fire Marshall limitations on the number of people who can be safely accommodated in the demonstration rooms. If you are interested in attending, register early.

Franklin Street Folly will be held Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>. Let Steve know if you wish to participate.

Steve announced that the Rossview School Christmas fundraiser, "Hawks For The Holidays" will be held October 28<sup>th</sup>. A 10x10 booth without electricity is \$60.00 and with electricity is \$70.00. Let Steve know if you are interested in showing at that event. We will need to decide if the club is going to participate.

The club challenge to make spinning tops for sale by the club was met by the members. Forty-one tops were turned in and will be added to the club box of items for sale. Each top earned the member who turned it a ticket for the \$25.00 cash drawing which was won by the Gills. Thanks to everyone who participated.

Jesse Foster announced that Ken Harris has some tools for sale. He and Mike Patrick went to look at them. Included are an air compressor, Hitachi chop saw, radial arm saw, 24" planer, router, 16" scroll saw, belt sander, and pipe clamps. Contact Jesse if you want to look at these items.

Each meeting, members bring in projects they have been working on and show them during "Show & Tell". Items displayed this month included:

- Jim Mason - Solar Eclipse Souvenir.  
Mahogany Bowl embellished with a knurling tool.  
2 Bowls embellished with wood burning.
- Steve Sa  
Steve sabinash - Chatter Tool made at the last training class.
- Jesse Foster - Christmas Ornament (Jesse will demonstrate how it was made at a future meeting).
- Tim Powers - Turned Bird House (Tim could not bring it in to show because a bird already built a nest in it).
- Tommy Shepherd - Bowl with Lid he found at the world's longest yard sale for \$5.00.  
  
African Mahogany and Maple Large Bowl, Oak and Paduk Large Bowl.
- Ed Gill - Spalted Red Oak Hollow Form.
- Bryce Ellison - Two Maple Bowls.

In October, the program will be presented by Pete Weems from the Nashville Club who will show us how to use Milk Paint.

The program this month was a video done by Robo-Hippy on Bowl Gouge Basics and Tenons.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Charles B. Wall  
Secretary

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### **Directions to Club Meeting Place**

**FROM THE SOUTH:** Take N. 2<sup>nd</sup> 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)

**FROM THE NORTH:** From Hwy 41A (Providence Blvd) turn left on Chapel St About 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)

### **Woodturning Clubs of Interest...**

**American Association of Woodturners**  
[www.woodturner.org](http://www.woodturner.org)

**Tennessee Association of Woodturners**  
Nashville, TN [www.tnwoodturners.org](http://www.tnwoodturners.org)

**Duck River Woodturners Club,**  
Columbia, TN [www.duckriverwoodturners.com](http://www.duckriverwoodturners.com)

**Tri-State Woodturners Club**  
Chattanooga, TN [www.tristatewoodturners.com](http://www.tristatewoodturners.com)

**Blue Grass Area Woodturners**  
Lexington, KY  
[www.bluegrassareawoodturners.org](http://www.bluegrassareawoodturners.org)

**Louisville Area Woodturners**  
Louisville, KY  
[www.louisvilleareawoodturners.org](http://www.louisvilleareawoodturners.org)

**Cumberland Woodturners**  
Crossville, TN  
[www.cumberlandwoodturners.com](http://www.cumberlandwoodturners.com)

**Smokey Mountain Woodturners**  
Knoxville, TN  
[smokeymountainwoodturners.org](http://smokeymountainwoodturners.org)

**West Tennessee Woodturners**  
Jackson, TN [www.tristatewoodturners.com](http://www.tristatewoodturners.com)