# **ART Newsletter**

## March 2016 issue

A.R.T. Association of Revolutionary Turners

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# **President's Letter**

In the last few months we have gotten several new members. This is great. The only problem is with me — there may be times when I don't go into enough detail, for the new people, on an upcoming event because it is something that we have been through before and I make the wrong assumption that everyone knows what I am talking about. If I make an announcement of an event that we have held before I need the long term members to make sure I am detailed enough.

**The Open Turning** went well — thanks to Derrick for an interesting presentation.

**ART Equipment:** As you know we are trying to get a handle on the equipment ART has and needs and its current condition. I think we made a good start at the open turning. Many thanks to Ralph Rumery as he has taken the lead on this project.

Darragh is tracking down the video equipment. Thanks to both for taking on these tasks.

**The treasury:** No one has come forward with any ideas for the money we currently have. Come on members there must be some new tool you want to try out, book or DVD you want to see.

That reminds me I would like to thank Cat Francis for organizing our DVD and book collection. Thanks Cat for a fine job.

**President's Gripe of the Month:** We are running out of Anchor Seal. We can order another 55 gal. drum but it needs a home. As you read over the above letter there are several members helping the club. This is not even counting the officers. We need someone to step up and say they will provide a home for the drum. That's all! Just a home! Either John Early or myself will come to you once every few months and fill up several jugs. There is literally nothing more you need to do. So when John Early (thanks for doing a great job with supplies) stands up in a month or two and says no more Anchor Seal, you'll know why. P.S. It cannot be someone who is already doing something for the club. {See Officers list and people noted above.}

Turn Safe John Flynn

### Next Meeting: March 17, 2016 7:00 – 10:00 pm

Demo: Gary Bashian short demo on the Beall finishing system

Don't forget to bring your *Empty Bowls* donations to this meeting.

#### Club Officers

John Flynn President

Darragh Cosgrave Internal Vice President

Mike Souter External Vice President

Mark Holden Secretary, Treasurer, Newsletter Editor

Duncan Suss Membership Director

Ron Pouliot Topsfield Coordinator

Catherine Francis Club Librarian

John Earley Supplies Coordinator

Ralph Rumery, Equipment Coordinator

Ken Paciulan Webmaster, Photographer

#### Safety First!

- Always wear a face shield !!
- Make sure your tail-stock is LOCKED before turning on the lathe!!!
- Never move the tool rest while the lathe is Spinning.
- When you have to chase your lathe around the room, you're turning speed is too high.



#### Business Meeting Minutes, February 20, 2016 Mark Holden, Secretary

10:14 meeting opened.

Attendance approximately 38 and 2 new visitors.

New visitors: Larry Briggs, new to turning. Mark Wheeler, turned many years ago, starting again.

John mentioned the club mentor list can be found on the ART website. (It's also in this newsletter.)

#### Reports

Membership Director: 53 paid members.

Treasurer: \$5,825.94 balance

- Internal VP: 4-5 meetings still need demonstrators. Steve Reznek offered to do a Greenland slide-show, raise of hands showed interest.
- External VP: It was suggested that since we have a lot in the bank we should pursue professional turners, Mike Mahoney, John Beaver, David Elsworth were suggested. Mike S. will contact them for availability and costs/expenses.
- Supplies Coordinator: free black super glue samples available. Doing better than breaking even, costs are going up. Need a volunteer to store the Anchor Seal drum about mid-year.
- Equipment Coordinator: All equipment brought in today will be color coordinated with duck-tape and an inventory taken. New inventory sheets will be created for the 3 lathes with name/date of storage provider listed. Suggested that a 6-month limit be given to each storage provider and if no one wants to take over the care can be extended for another 6-months. Motion made, seconded and approved.

Librarian: Library is online and in the newsletter. We have books that need to be added to the lists.

#### **New Business**

Steve Mittleman brought up the condition of the club sign at Woodcraft and suggested we replace it. George Romanski offered to cut one out of wood on his CNC. Mark Holden to design new one and run past officers.

Club patch: Black border with navy logo agreed to. Kathy Fisher to have 100 made for \$25. Motion for one free to each paid member, seconded and approved. Mark to get artwork to Kathy.

Smocks discussed. Voted for Darragh to take orders and collect \$ and order green smocks from TimberBits. Motion made, seconded and approved. Kathy Fisher will then coordinate adding patches and embroidering names.

Club is renewing the AAW \$95 insurance.

Bylaws have been updated and are with AAW for review.

Duncan and John will work to get email list current.

#### Announcements

Woodcraft corner display will run until club ends it.

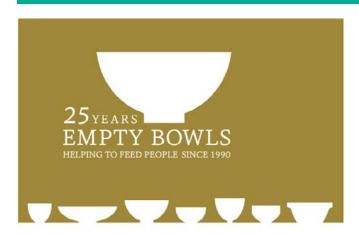
Empty Bowl donations, if you wish to participate bring your donations to the March meeting.

Arnold Arboretum show still on, will run Oct. 21-23.

Woodcraft looking for part time help.

10:46 meeting adjourned.

Short break followed by Derrick Te Paske's slide show, show & tell, open turning, lunch, wood swap drawings and close of silent auction.



#### **Donations for Empty Bowls Project**

Gary Kaplan has invited ART members to donate to this fundraising event to help end hunger. It is an international grassroots effort to raise both money and awareness in the fight to end hunger. **Please bring your wooden bowl(s) donations to the March meeting.** 

Small bowls will be event attendees gifts, large bowls may end up in an auction!

Attention Members! You can now pay your dues for 2016 online at: <a href="https://squareup.com/market/revolutionary-turners">https://squareup.com/market/revolutionary-turners</a>

# **Nearby Events**

# **Totally Turning 2016**

Saturday & Sunday, April 2nd & 3rd, 2016 Saratoga Springs City Center, Saratoga Springs, NY

Featured Presenters will be Binh Pho, Stuart Batty, Glen Lucas, Hans Weissflog, Jimmy Clewes, Steve Sinner, Derek Weidman, Kurt Hertzog, and Linda Ferber

#### http://www.totallyturning.com

## Fuller Craft Museum Exhibt

**Visions from the Lathe:** Selections from the Massachusetts South Shore Woodturners

March 12, 2016 – June 5, 2016

In 1996, the Massachusetts South Shore chapter of the American Association of Woodturners was founded with a group of approximately ten individuals. Today, over 60 woodturners are part of a group that promotes an appreciation of wood through education,

demonstrations, and occasions for public display. Visions from the Lathe will mark the 20th anniversary of the chapter. This exhibition brings together an exciting variety of approaches to form, color, grain, and texture.

Admission: Adults \$10 Seniors \$8

**5th AAW National Segmented Symposium** October 27–30, 2016 at the Boston Marriott, Quincy.

#### **ART Mentor Program**

The purpose of this program is to provide a resource for members who need a bit of help. Whether you're a beginner or a more experienced turner, whether you need an all-day session or 20 minutes worth of pointers, the mentors are here to help you. Feel free to give a mentor a call or approach them at the next meeting.

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# 2016 Club Demonstration Schedule

March	Gary Bashian	short demo on the Beall finishing system		
April	Ralph Rumery	his version of a video tracking rig for hollowing		
May	Ron Pouliot	hollowing system on a big lathe		
June	Steve Reznek	Greenland slide show		
July	—	_		
August	—	—		
September	—	_		
October	Donna Banfield	tbd		
November	—	_		
December	—	—		

If you have a skill, technique or a unique turning that you would like to share with the club please contact Darragh Cosgrave, at a meeting, by phone 978-712-8042 or email: InternalVP@revolutionary-turners.com

# Short Meeting, Show & Tell and Open Turn





















#### Media Library Books

Wood Turning (The Art of Woodworking) *Time Life Books* 

The Fine Art Of Small-Scale Woodturning William R. Duce

Fundamentals of Wood Turning Mike Darlow

Woodturning Methods Mike Darlow

Turning Wooden Jewelry Judy Ditmer

Turned-Bowl Design Richard Raffan Creative Woodturning

Dale L. Nish

Hand or Simple Turning: Principles and Practice John Jacob Holtzapffel

Contemporary American Woodworkers Michael A Stone

Turning Wood with Richard Raffan Richard Raffan

Wood for Woodturners Mark Baker

The Craftsman Woodturner Peter Child Revised by Roy Child

Taunton's Complete Illustrated Guide to Turning Richard Raffan

DVDs Allan Batty hand thread chaising *Allan Batty* 

Elegant finial design Cindy Drozda

Turning boxes Richard Raffan

Turning Projects Richard Raffan

Bowl Turning Dell Stubbs

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AAW Presents Skill Building projects Mark St. Leger

Wood turning wizardry AAW Presents Turn projects from scrap *Robert Rosand* 

Natural Lipped Bowl *Ken Bullock* Ken Bullock wood bowls on a budget

Ken Bullock

AAW Presents Rude Osolnik Rude Osolnik

Ellsworth Tips tapes 1 Ellsworth

Ellsworth Tips 3 *Ellsworth* 

Wood turning, a Foundation Course *Keith Rowley* 

Turning wood—Salt and Pepper Mill Alan Holtham

1996 AAW Symposium 1997 AAW Symposium

1998 AAW Symposium Techniques Vol 1

Brent Bosch vessels of Illusion Brent Bosch

Mike Mahoney from the tree to the table *Mike Mahoney* 

Basic Box Ray Keys *Ray Keys* 

Ellsworth Tools for hollow turning

Capsule box Ray Keys Ray Keys

1999 AAW Symposium techniques V1

1998 AAW Symposium 2 J Richer, J Mascall, R Munro, M Curtis, E Conover

Fundamentals of sharpening Bonnie Klein, John Jordon, Bill Johnston, Alan Lacer

Son of skew Alan Lacer Alan Lacer

AAW Presents Turn projects from scrap *Robert Rosand* 

Segmented vessels cassinger template Practice of Wood Turning Disk1 Mike Darlow

Practice of Wood Turning Disk2 Mike Darlow

Snap lid Box Jeff Levine Jeff Levine

Binh Pho thin wall turning Binh Pho

Binh Pho Surface Design Binh Pho Projects 4 Everyone 1 Nick Cook Projects 4 Everyone 2 Nick Cook

Luke Man ART *Luke Man* 

Turning pens and other small Projects—Marshfield 2004

AAW presents a turning tradition Myron Curtis

2002 AAW Symposium 1

2002 AAW Symposium 2 2002 AAW Symposium gallery and critique

AAW magazine vol 1 to vol 8 (1993)

AAW magazine vol 9 to vo116 (2001)

Basic off center turning *Chris Scott* 

Turning outside the box Beth Ireland

Wood turning, Getting Started Right Alan Lacer

Frank Klausz Dovetail a drawer Frank Klausz

Making Rustic Furniture/ reclaiming Planes/ Picture frames

Program ART June 2006 Michael Hosaluk

Aesthetics and properties of wood disk 1 John Jordan

Aesthetics and properties of wood disk 2 John Jordan

Skew Chisel, Sweet Side/ Dark Side One Tool Wonder Pinkerton Academy *Graham Oakes* 

Slim Line Pen Russ Fairfiled Russ Fairfield

A turning tradition Ray Husky

Metal Inlay Techniques Ted Sokolowski Ted Sokolowski

The Art of Hosaluk in Wood Turning Two Disk Set Michael Hosaluk

Turning around the World V1 Jimmy Clewes

Turning around the World V2 Jimmv Clewes

Turning around the World V3 Jimmy Clewes

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