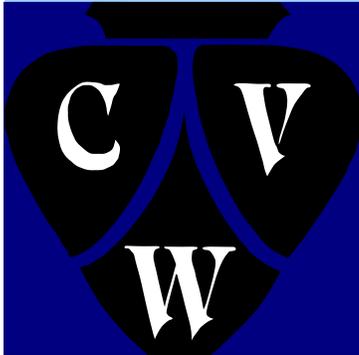


MARCH Newsletter



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Chapter & Verse

The March meeting of Central Virginia Woodturners runs from 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the workshop at the Miller School. A shop full of lathes awaits CVW members in the first-ever hands on event for the entire group. Plans call for small groups to work at each lathe, more veteran turners leading the groups.

Peter Welch said lathes, tools and wood supplies will all be supplied. Members are invited to supply their own tools and wood if they wish. Peter is shop director and editor of the CVW newsletter. He gave directions to the school off Rt. 250 near Batesville.

Some members made plans to meet at 6:00 p.m. at the "park and ride" parking lot to share rides. The lot is at the front of the Waynesboro

outlet complex where CVW meets.

Also at the meeting final plans were discussed for the February 26 demonstration. Mark St.Leger and Bob Rosand were scheduled to join for a daylong turning event. Bert Smith, president, has invited members of other chapters to attend.

A head count showed 27 members planned to be there. [Editor's note: The event was a huge success; however, Rosand was unable to come from Pennsylvania. St. Leger educated and entertained the group.]

In other news or plans:

****The treasurer reported \$1325. Dues for 2005 are now owed.

****Bert announced the first statewide symposium cleared \$6000, which will

be used as seed money for the next event. Discussion is underway about the site of the 2007 symposium. The president hopes to host it a second time in Waynesboro. He noted that Roanoke and Richmond are also vying to be host site.

****A daylong turning event featuring Bin Pho was announced for March 5. It is hosted by the Smith Mt. Lake chapter. Pho is widely known for his extremely thin pierced turning.

Show and tell drew a large number of pieces. This segment continues to be a popular forum for sharing ideas as member's work is presented and discussed.

The demo for the evening was multiple stations allowing hands on work like the Beale buffing system. Scott Koehn, treasurer, coordinated the demo.



Extra, Extra, Definitely a ~~Dual~~ Demo

Well, we almost had a first at the CVW Demo on Saturday Feb, 26. Due to unforeseen circumstances, Bob Rosand was unable to attend the demo. Mark St. Ledger stepped up and put on an awesome demonstration, turning some tops that were so small..(how small were they?), that they were difficult to see. Anybody remember how he turned that scoop? We had a great crowd and it looked like everyone got some great ideas and much needed inspiration. Lunch wasn't bad either. All in all a successful day and I know the next on will be just as good if nor better.

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Special LINKS of interest

- www.woodturner.org
- www.woodsmithshop.com
- www.woodturner.org/products/resource_dir/resource_listing.cfm
- <http://www.woodturner.org/community/chapters/practices/>
- www.virginiawoodturners.org.

NEXT MEETING

The next regular meeting will take place at The Miller School Woodworking facility.

We will be starting early (6:30) so we can get as much turning in as possible. Bring your favorite tool, piece of wood or idea to the meeting.

Getting there is easy. From Charlottesville, take Rt. 250 west to the traffic light at Miller School Road (635). Take a left at the light and go 3 miles. You will see the sign for Miller school on the right with the driveway on the left. Turn left between the brick pillars and proceed up the hill. Follow the "Event" signs.

You can take Interstate 64 west from Ch'ville and take exit 107. Turn right off the exit ramp and follow 250 east to the traffic light. Turn right (south on Miller School Rd) and follow the directions above.

From Staunton/Waynesboro, take 64 east and exit at 107. Turn left on 250 east and go to the light. Turn right on Miller School and follow the directions above.



The Central Virginia Woodturners was formed to promote the art of woodturning to the general populace and create an environment conducive to the sharing of ideas and talent to those interested in the pursuit of fine woodworking.

UPCOMING EVENTS

MARCH

15TH
Regular Meeting held at Miller School, meeting starts at 6:30 pm

APRIL

12TH
Executive Committee Meeting

19th
Regular Meeting

16-17th Fly Fishing Festival

MAY

17TH
Regular meeting held at the Artisan Center, meeting starts at 7 pm

28th
Saturday demo TBA

JUNE

21st
Regular meeting held at Miller School, meeting starts at 6:30 pm

JULY

18TH
Regular meeting starts at 7 pm

AUGUST

16TH
Regular meeting

SEPTEMBER

20TH
Regular meeting held at Miller School, meeting starts at 6:30 pm

Shirts and caps are in and will be available at the meetings. Shirts will be reduced to \$15 and the caps will be \$11. The club will be able to make a few dollars on each item, so buy some extra's. (2XL and 3XL add \$1.50)

<http://www.woodturner.org/org/mbrship/>

Here is the link for anyone who wishes to can sign up for membership in the AAW. It is highly recommended that you join this great organization so you can participate in the seminars and hands on demo that are planned for the upcoming year.

Library



If you have anything that you feel would be appropriate for our library and would like to lend or donate it, please contact Ray Tilghman at vturner@earthlink.net

Send comments to sawdust434@yahoo.com

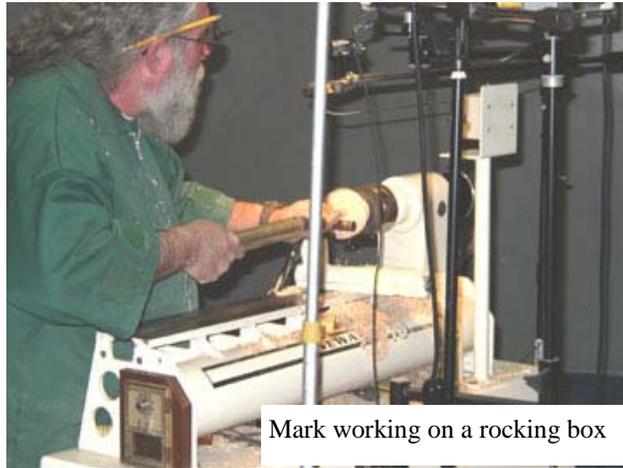
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President—Bert Smith
Vice President—Brian Mundy
Secretary—Bob Garnett
Treasurer—Scott Koehn
Newsletter—Peter Welch
Library—Ray Tilghman

St. Ledger Carries the day



Mark St. Ledger



Mark working on a rocking box



Tops



Rocking Box



Maple Egg



Scoop

What a great Demo. If you missed this one, you will want to make sure your at the next one. These demo's are great venue's for inspiration and getting the tools you need to move forward in your wood turning.