

# Central Virginia Woodturners

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## September 2022 Newsletter

**September 20, 2022, Meeting 6:30**

**Stuart Batty**

**The 40-40 Grind and the Bottom Feeder Gouges**

### **Interactive Remote Demonstration**

6:00 – 6:30 PM Eastern time – Social time for participants

6:30 – 7:00 PM Eastern time – Club business meeting, show & tell, etc.

7:00 – 9:00 PM Eastern time – Demonstration

We will also host the meeting via Zoom for those who cannot attend. Below are the Zoom meeting details.

### **Join Zoom Meeting**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87119518658?pwd=cndUNzMybHp2akJHc3U5MWJDNzhiZz09>

The Program Team is always soliciting ideas/suggestions for demonstrations. Please contact [Joel Spring](#). We are looking for members who are willing to give a in-person demonstration in the fourth quarter. Please let Joel know if you are interested or willing.

Please check out the meeting plans on the website [Calendar](#) page

### **Next Skill Center Session**

Skill Center and Mentoring Sessions will be held on the 2nd Saturday of each month from 9AM-Noon. The Club Store will be open at this time. New and prospective members are always welcome. Please contact [Jim Oates \(Woodturning Skills Center Coordinator\)](#) if you have a specific request.

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<b>Elected Officers for 2022</b>	<b>Esteemed Volunteers</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• President – Norm D’Allura</li><li>• VP Programs – Joel Spring</li><li>• VP of Membership – Larry Parker</li><li>• Secretary – John Watkins</li><li>• Treasure – Jerry Jorgensen</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Skills Center Director: Jim Oates</li><li>• Cheese Shop Coordinator: Donnie Maupin</li><li>• Newsletter: Norm D’Allura</li><li>• Video Team: Chris Culotta, Steve Winkler, Ron Burton</li><li>• Store Manager: Buck Culver</li><li>• Librarian: Jeff Corwin</li><li>• CVW- VA Symposium Board Member (VP): Peter Welch &amp; Gary Conley</li><li>• Ruritans Liaison: Dan Stogdale</li><li>• Webmaster: Norm D’Allura</li></ul>

## Christmas Party

We are planning on having our annual Christmas Party in the Community Center and it will be catered by the Ruritan Club or the Crimora Players. We need volunteers to run the event, coordinating activities and just making sure things go right. If you are willing to serve, please let one of the Officers know.

## Preferred Vendors

### Vendors who donated to the Christmas Raffle

**Please thank these vendors with your continued patronage**

- Home Depot
- Black Forest Sawmill
- Advantage Lumber
- Starbond Glue
- Woodturningz, Inc
- Craft Supplies
- Ruth Niles
- Thompson Lathe Tools
- Highland Woodworking
- Packard Woodworks

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## AAW Virginia Woodturners, Inc., Symposium

The 2022 Virginia Woodturners Symposium has been cancelled.

### Cheese Shop



We are need of more items for the Cheese Shop. Please consider items other than bowls. Boxes, vases, and unusual items sell well, plus provide a variety for customers to consider buying.

Please items to the Skills Center when it is open and leave them in the yellow tote located in the lathe area. Please to not take them to The Cheese Shop yourself so we can manage inventory. Donnie Maupin is the Cheese Chip liaison for 2022.

If you haven't visited The Cheese Shop, please do so to see what we offer. Feel free to straighten the display if it seems in disorder. If there are easels without items on them, you can place them in the tote under the shelf. While you're there, feel free to introduce yourself to the manager, Todd Anderson, and thank him for working with club. He is an Honorary Member and

is great work with. This is your club so feel free to make suggestions on the display as well.

Thank you for all your help in making The Cheese Shop a successful source of income for the Central Virginia Woodturners.

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## Turners' Corner

*You are invited to write something to share with fellow woodturners, be it amusing, informative, instructive, or scary. It can be personal, anonymous, or professional.*

### A New Turner

Dennis Hippen hosted and mentored John Turner, who needs to sit while turning. Here is how he does it.





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Mike Sorge mentored Jeff Corwin and they turned a large Signature Sorge Curved Heart Bowl for his wife out of beautiful Purple Heart wood.





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## Show-and-Tell

Peter Welch



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## Mike Sorge – Art in the Park Staunton





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Jeff Corwin

5" diameter Red Mallee Burl form an estate sale



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Alex Pettigrew

Left: 799th thing I have made this year. Whew! When making a Celtic Knot blank if you hold back on the depth of the inserts versus the finished diameter you get this interesting figure. Not sure what to call it. Right: I've been grinding out inventory for the Fall / Holiday season including these grinders. I'm using a new mechanism from Penn State. It can be used for Salt as well as Pepper. Woods are, from left to right: Cedar, Ash & Spalted Sycamore



Left: Pendants created with homemade off-center jig. From left to right, Yellow Locust, Ash, Yellow Locust & Maple. Right: Pendant turned from left overs from making end-grain chef boards. White oak and walnut. ~2 1/2" diameter.





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Dennis Hippen

These bowls are in the September featured show at Oasis gallery. There are 10 bowls of ambrosia maple from Donnie Maupin, a big edge Osage Orange+ a bigger sugar maple, 3 bowls from Florida carrotwood and 5 Black Cherry bowls for Norm.

Yup, my hands need a break.





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Kirk McCauley

Acorns are falling early this year!



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