

Central Virginia Woodturners

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November 2023 Newsletter

Next Meeting
November 21, 2023, 6:30PM

3-Legged Bowl Base **Mike Diehl**

In-house Demonstration and Zoom Meeting

Come join us in person at the Crimora Community Center or attend the Interactive Remote Demonstration Zoom Meeting.

Join the CVW Zoom Meeting

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

You can always find the Zoom link on our website: <https://centralvawoodturners.org/next-meeting/>

6:00 – 6:30 PM Eastern time – Social time for participants and set-up
6:30 – 7:00 PM Eastern time – Club business meeting, show & tell, etc.
7:00 – 9:00 PM Eastern time – Demonstration
9:00 – Meeting conclusion and clean-up.

The Program Team is always soliciting ideas/suggestions for demonstrations. Please contact Tom Hanson. 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.

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Central Virginia Woodturners 20th Anniversary

Please join us in celebrating our 20th anniversary! Several of the founding members will be joining us for this celebration!

Date: December 9, 2023

Time: Noon to 2:00 p.m.

Place: Crimora Community Center

Who: Current and past members and their significant other.

The club will provide main dishes and drinks. We ask that attendees bring a covered dish. If your last name begins with: A – H, Vegetables; I – P, Salad; Q – Z, Dessert. Please bring serving utensils. If your dish requires cutting, please do that at home.

For planning purposes, we need to know how many people plan to attend. Please RSVP the following information to **Joel Spring** at jspring13@hotmail.com - your **full name** and the **number of people attending** (no children please). In the subject line please note: CVW 20th Anniversary.

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Upcoming Elections

The following are nominees for 2024 Club Officers to be elected on at the November meeting. Additional nominees will be accepted prior to the club election. See the last page for current officers and staff.

- President – Norm D’Allura
- VP Programs – Tom Hansen
- VP of Membership – Gary Conley (second year, not up for election)
- Secretary – John Schmidt
- Treasurer – Rob Burton
- Video Team: Scott Cassel and one other

We still need volunteers to help with the video team. We cannot possibly have demonstrations in the community center without more help!

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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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.

Beads of Courage

We have an outlet for our Beads of Courage bowls! We have a courier (Bill Hemminger) to the Pittsburgh Children's Hospital, and they are very glad to get our bowls. Keep em' coming! We have a box in the back room and plenty of beads for inserts.

Quote of the Month

Courtesy of Mike Sorge

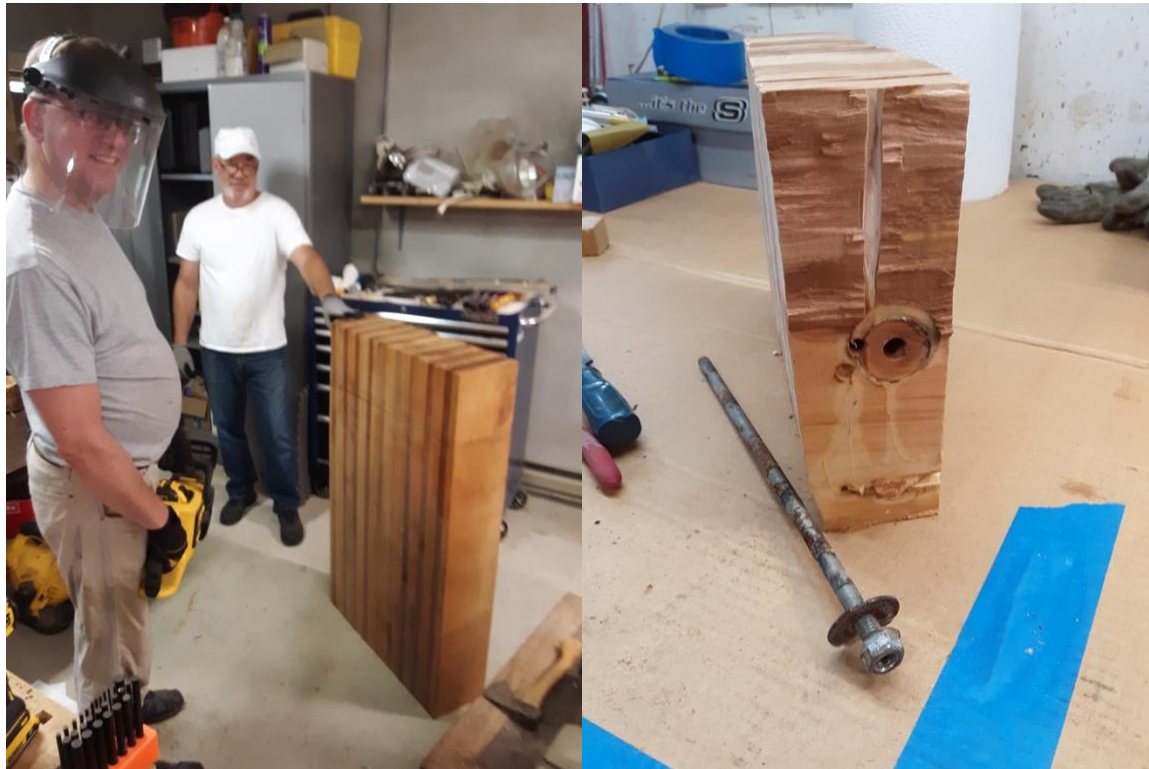
"To create a piece of work that you can hold in your hand, to make something that endures, it's a magical thing." ~ Eric Clapton

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Turners' Corner

Repurposed Butcher Block Bowl
Dennis Hippen



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This year's CRAFT & DESIGN SHOW will feature the excellent work of 150 fine craft artists November 17-19 at Main Street Station in Richmond. Mike and Cindy Sorge will be showing Mike's work in booth 208

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Show and Tell

Our primary way to share Show-and-Tell items is at the monthly meetings. Here all members get a chance to share their work, solicit suggestions as well as creative criticism and learn something new. The newsletter is also a way to share your creations, but this medium is missing the interactive element. Please bring your work to the meetings to start a discussion! If you have photographs for the Newsletter, please send to norm.dallura@gmail.com.

John Lowdermilk
Latest Rollerball Pens



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Liz Brown

Heavily spalted sugar maple bowl



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Hollow forms turned from red oak and embellished with foil, texture and acrylics



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Another maple bowl with flared rim and trans tints



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Mike Sorge

Manta Ray box with a captured glass sphere in the lid



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Elected Officers for 2023	Esteemed Volunteers
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• President – Norm D’Allura• VP Programs – Joel Spring• VP of Membership – Gary Conley• Secretary – Tom Hansen• Treasurer – Scott Cassel	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Skills Center Director: Jim Oates• Cheese Shop Coordinator: Donnie Maupin• Video Team: Chris Culotta, Ron Burton• Store Manager: Buck Culver• Librarian: Jeff Corwin• CVW- VA Symposium Board Member (VP): Peter Welch & Gary Conley• Photographer: Bob Shiflett• Webmaster: Norm D’Allura• Newsletter Editor: Norm D’Allura



The Central Virginia Woodturners (CVW), located in the Shenandoah Valley in Crimora, VA, is an affiliate of the [American Association of Woodturners](#), serving turners from Charlottesville to Staunton to Harrisonburg. Please visit our [web site](#) and consider joining our interactive, informative, educational, and very friendly club.