

Newsletter November 2016

We are a chapter of the American Association of Woodturners (AAW)

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Christmas Toys – Lloyd Benedict, Rod Stabler

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October's Club Meeting

The club met on October 6, 2016 at 1773 Warm Spring Rd. Chambersburg, PA, 17202. The social began at 6:30pm., and the meeting started at 7:00pm.

The president opened the meeting with a few announcements that have been incorporated throughout the newsletter.

The demonstration for the night was pen making, and how to teach others to turn a pen. Demonstrator was John Stewart, and the student was John Wadel. The demo was recorded by Lee Burkholder, and will be available on YouTube as soon as Lee can get it posted. You can check the links page on the website to see if it's posted.

Show and Tell

Our challenges are geared to take our members out of their comfort zone by having them turn a designated item, or perform a certain task. *The Challenge for October was to turn a tic-tac-toe box.*

We also enjoy projects that members are willing to share with the club. This gives other members ideas on what they may want to turn. Turnings are photographed at the club meetings, and are usually posted on the club's website for all to see. *To see these and other great turnings please* click here.

The challenge for November is to turn a pen.

Upcoming Events

The 2016 Virginia Woodturning Symposium November 5th & 6th, 2016, EXPO-land, Fishersville, VA http://www.virginiawoodturners.com/

Gettysburg Gingerbread Celebration – December 2nd and 3rd. Our club participates in this event by giving children the opportunity to experience wood turning. We will be showing them how to turn pens again this year. Bob Robinson heads up this event, and is need of some helpers. If you can donate some time please let Bob know.

Shop Tour

There was a shop tour at Jim Stottlemyer's shop on October 22, 2016. There was plenty to explore in Jim's shop. He has several lathes, and just about anything else needed to work with wood. (I think Larry and Jim may be in competition to see who can collect the most toys).

Please don't forget to check-out the club's web site.

http://www.cumberlandvalleywoodturners.com

*The club's website has a lot of good information for your viewing pleasure. Please take time to check it out. If you have something you would like to post on the site, send your request to mailto:secretary@cumberlandvalleywoodturners.com

*The library is for your use, please take advantage of it. If you're not sure what we have to offer, you can check our website, or talk to Joe Wertner. If you have some videos, or other material that you would like to loan or donate to the library, that would be appreciated as well.

"Tool Sign Out" is available for our members. This is a way to try out some tools that you don't have.

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bmconthego@comcast.net

*Wood Sale - Members have the opportunity to purchase wood at the club meetings. See Rod Stabler.

"Hats and Shirts" – We still have hats at \$12.00 ea. and shirts at \$30.00 ea. See Jim Stottlemyer if you're interested.

Some folks found the secret door to the back room which could be a whole separate tour in itself. Jim did fire-up his industrial Band-saw for us which was very impressive. That was my favorite toy. Jim also had some nice give-a-ways for folks to take home. We had a very good turnout for this very interesting tour.

Christmas Toys

Christmas will be here before you know it. Hopefully we all are in the process of making toys for the underprivileged children in our area. If you can't decide what to make, please get with Rod Stabler or Lloyd Benedict. I'm sure they will be happy to share some suggestions. Lloyd would like to collect all the toys between now and the club's Christmas Party.

Christmas Party

Our annual Christmas Party will be held on December 1, 2016, at the Waynesboro Fire Hall (Station 2) which is located at 10 Virginia Ave., Waynesboro PA. 17268. If you go down Main



Street and turn on the road by the CVS, you will be on Virginia Ave. The Fire Hall is on the right beside the CVS. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m.

The club is going to provide ham and chicken, and we are asking each family to bring a covered dish to complement the meat, or a dessert.

As done in the past, we would like members to turn

an ornament and bring it to the Christmas Party. The club will supply wood during the November club meeting to make the ornament. Please remember that these ornaments will be used as prizes at the Christmas Party.

<u>Important Note</u>: We need everyone to contact Joe Wertner with the number of folks attending from their family. Joe can be reached at <u>wertnerjc@hotmail.com</u>, or by phone, 717-369-2342. Please contact him as soon as possible. The deadline for notification is 18 November 2016.

Officer's Meeting

The next officer's meeting will be November 21, 2016 at 1200. The location will be at Brothers Pizza restaurant in Greencastle, PA. All members are welcome, and encouraged to attend.

Club Elections

Nominations and elections will be held during the November club meeting. Please consider holding an office this year.

Club Dues

During the November meeting we will be collecting membership dues for 2017. Please remember to bring funds (check or cash) to pay your membership fees. The cost is \$40.00 for single membership, and \$50.00 for family membership. Kids are free up to the age of 17. Kids under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult club member.

Next Club Meeting

- November 3, 2016
- Demonstration, Outboard turning, presented by Jim Mills
- Challenge is to turn a pen
- Officer elections
- Collection of Dues for 2017