



Pikes Peak Woodturners

A Chapter of the American Association of Woodturners

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Next club meeting at Bemis:

Friday, October 4, 2019 @ 5:30

Demo: Bill Smith

Bird House Ornaments

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Message from the Prez

Got up this morning and there was a bit of a nip in the air. Love this time of year. Not too hot and not too cold. Now if we could convince the trees to hold on to their leaves so I wouldn't have to rake.

Speaking of nips, a big thank you to Dennis Liggett for his demo on canteen/flask turning demo. We recruited that morning to fill in for Rich who was under the weather. If you make a small one you could fill it with your favorite adult beverage. When the mood strikes pop the cork and take a little nip to living up a boring day. Oh what the heck turn a large one, it holds more and you can share!

Our October meeting is going to the birds! Literally, who else would you make a bird house for? Our very own William "Bill" Smith will be demonstrating his take on turning a birdhouse ornament.

We are going to try something new with the Instant Gallery. We will be dividing the table into two sections. One section will be for items you just brought to share/show off. In the other section put your items you

would like constructive criticism on. For easier Identification we will have slips to fill out with a spot for your name, material, finish etcetera. Look for an example later in the newsletter.

We will be holding our chapter elections in November. If you have an interest in serving, contact me or any of the other officers.

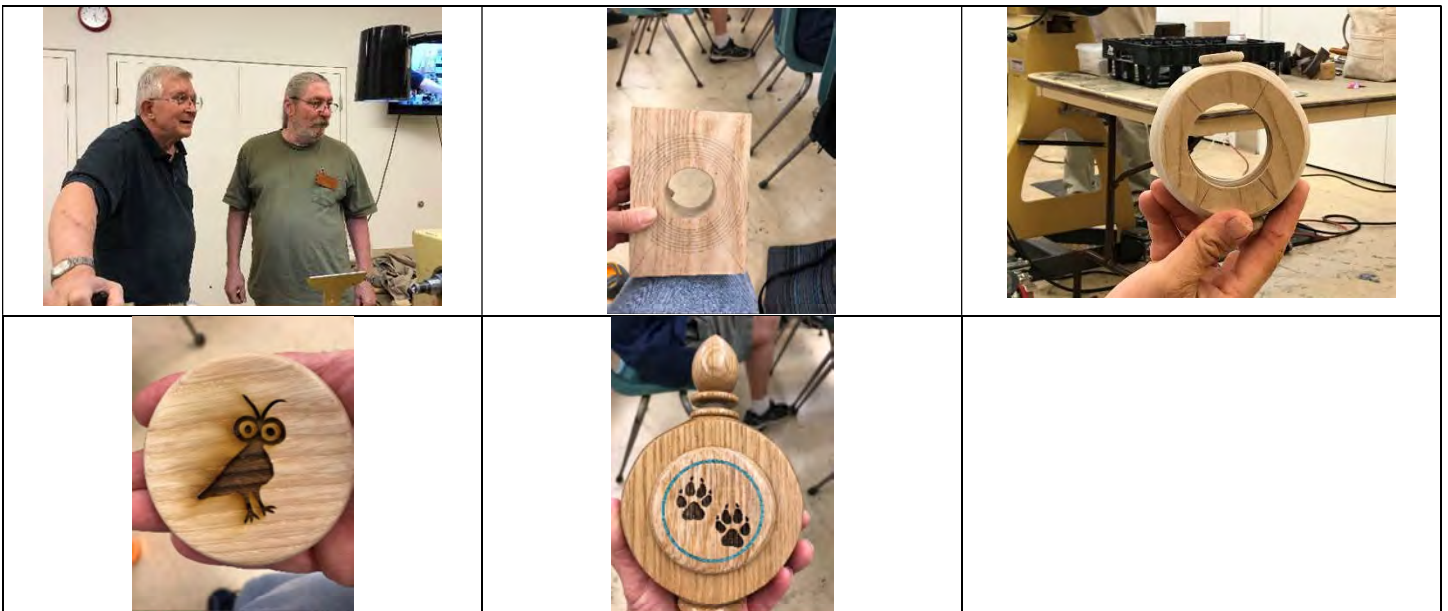
We are working on our demo schedule for next year. Is there a demo or demonstrator you would like to see? Are you interested in presenting a demo? Do you have the good on someone we can blackmail into giving a demo? If so, get with me or Steve to coordinate. Just kidding on the blackmail.

“The President’s Challenge” for October is to turn a Canteen. See you all at the next meeting on Friday, October 4th.

Until then, be safe and keep turning,

Vic

Pictures from our September Club Meeting with Dennis Liggett



UPCOMING DEMONSTRATIONS

November 1, Don Prorack, Denver Club Member, Off-center bowl

DEMONSTRATORS

Let any officer know if you are interested in doing a demo or if you know of a National turner you would like to see. Let's not rely on the same people every year. If you've done something interesting or think people will be interested in your work, PLEASE volunteer, even if it's something we've done in the past. There is always something to be learned.



Nice Member Gallery Last Month



Great deal on greenwood sealer. \$20/gal.
Contact Tony Bevis- asawyerb@comcast.net

PPW Board of Directors

November is the season for Club Elections. Please consider becoming a member of the board. See Vic if you are interested.

BEADS OF COURAGE

Members please support the Beads of Courage effort. These boxes are a big encouragement to kids going through traumatic medical procedures. Your participation is really helpful.

Beads of Courage: The size of the box, as a minimum, must be 5 inches wide x 6 inches deep. These boxes do not have to be round, they can also square. Of course, you can make them larger, to allow the kiddos to put all their beads in a safe place. Go to www.beadsofcourage.org to see to whom you will be making these boxes. Don't forget to bring your boxes to the meetings and put them into the instant gallery. Steve Maikell will be the point of contact to turn in the BOC bowls to the Denver club for the children's cancer hospital.

MONTHLY RAFFLE

Nice turnout for the club raffle. Keep bringing in those pieces of wood or other turning supplies cluttering up your space!



For Sale

Baxter's Threadmaster Woodturning Jig" for Powermatic 3520 or Vicmarc 300 (never used). Contact Dr. Bob 488-9487 (bobandcamilla@comcast.net) (This might be at the club meeting on September 6th).

Club Mentors

Dr Bob Gibbs -- basic turning techniques, bowls, platters, hollow forms, coring, drying and storing, bottle stoppers, natural edge work, winged bowls and boxes 488-9487

Dennis Korth -- teacher-coach 634-1260

Tony Bevis -- a professional turner 660-8305

Dennis Liggett -- a twist work specialist, teacher; 481-8754

Vic Vickers -- pen specialist, 683-3350

Robert Brewer -- 640-5325

Show and Tell Form

You'll find a form like the one below on the table when you bring in pieces to share. These forms will definitely help us credit pictures of your work in the newsletter. It should also make our Show and Tell time a bit more constructive.

PPW Show and Tell	
Name of Turner	
Experience	Beginner / Intermediate /Advanced
Description of piece	
Description of turning	
Type of wood	
Type of finish	
Turner's comments: What was successful, and what not? If you were to make another piece, what would you do differently	
Critique? Do you want your piece critiqued>	Yes /No