



Pikes Peak Woodturners

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Meeting

2 Feb 2024, 5:30-7:30 pm

Join us at the BEMIS School of Art (Upstairs)

LOCATION: 818 Pelham Place, Colorado Springs

Demonstrator: Larry Fox on "Inlays & Outlays"

(<https://www.foxywoodz.com/>)

Larry's specialties is turning Colorado Bristlecone Pine and inlaying with Cripple Creek Turquoise.

Club Membership

It's time to renew your club membership dues for 2024

PPW dues are \$30/year per member and \$50 for family and paid by March. Dues are used for guest demonstrators, purchase and maintain club equipment, and to expand our Library inventory.



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Valentine's

Is anyone turning anything for Valentine's day? I've seen Mike Peace and others demo turning wooden flowers for a vase. Alan Stratton turning a woodturning heart shapes...

Pikes Peak Woodturners Meeting Minutes

Last month we had our 2024 chapter officers elections and the incumbents were re-elected to hold current positions for another year!

January's meeting had 17 club members present and 1 guest. We had 1 new member join.

10 club members renewed their membership!

Thanks to Dr. Bob and Ben Kovach for donating the raffle wood! Dr. Bob donated to perpetual bowl that was won by Bill David. Bill should donate the next perpetual turning for Feb raffle.



Up-coming demos!

- Mar 1 - Jessica Edwards (FRW) – Gnomes
- Apr 5 - Gary Baker (PPW) – Drying Wood
- May 3 - Rick Orr (FRW) – Texturing
- June 7 - Tony Bevis (PPW) – Natural Edge Bowls
- July - No Meeting
- Aug 2 - Robert Brewer (PPW) - TBD
- Sep 6 - Marty Christensen (FRW) - Pens
- Oct 4 - Doug Schneiter (RMWT) – Small Hollow forms
- Nov 1 - Bill David (PPW) – Finials and Ornaments

Something New!

President's Club Challenge

February demo is Inlay/Outlays

March challenge is Something with Inlayed/Outlayed

April - Easter Eggs

May - Treen (spoon, spatula, spurtle)

Jun - Textured piece

July - no meeting

Aug - Off center turning

Sep - Non wood turning?

Oct - Ornament

Nov - Weedpot



Jean François Escoulen
Dale Larson
Rudy Lopez
Jacques Vesery
Kimberly Winkle
+ REGIONAL DEMONSTRATORS



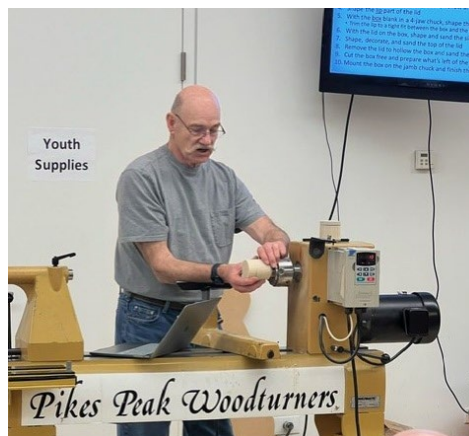
SEPTEMBER
27 - 29
2024
LOVELAND
COLORADO

Rocky Mountain Woodturning Symposium

<https://rmwoodturningsymposium.com/>

New this year: Registration includes lunch on both Saturday and Sunday! And we are adding an additional rotation on Friday afternoon!

January's demo – Bill Smith did a great demo on turning boxes. He showed us several techniques that he uses. His handout will be posted on the website / resources.



Wood raffle items



Robert brought in his wig stands



Show N Tell



MISC.

Editor's Notes

Let me know If you have any Tips/Tricks for woodturning to pass along

I encourage all of you to submit an article to be included in the newsletter.

If you have any ideas for suggestion, please email me at
semaike@hotmail.com

Lathe Safety Check

Do Not Turn if Tired,
Upset, Sick or Tipsy
Use Safety Glasses & Face Mask
Wear Short Sleeves, No Jewelry, Comfortable Shoes, Tie-up Hair
Sharpen Tools
Remove Shavings and Clutter, Eliminate Distractions
Is Blank Sound and Securely Mounted? (both ends)
Check Locks on Tool Rest, Banjo, Tailstock, etc.
Rotate Work by Hand First
Begin at Low Speed, Listen while Turning
Turn Lathe Off for Adjustments
Remove Tool Rest and Use Dust Mask while Sanding

<https://turnawoodbowl.com/10-woodturning-tips-and-tricks-for-wood-bowls/>

<https://www.woodmagazine.com/woodworking-tips/techniques/skills/tested-woodturning-tips>

<https://www.familyhandyman.com/article/woodturning-basics-tips-for-beginners/>

<https://www.turningforprofit.com/woodturning-workshop-ii/>

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLel9nM3jaNJ4_tj8iiXOD-AMxUC5sZBoH

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