

July 2006

It turns out, that there's more than one way to turn a bowl.

By Jerry Schaible



Demonstrators left to right,, Jerry Schaible, David Floyd, Hoby Horn, and Larry McCardel

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outside, including a tenon at the bottom. Then he placed the tenon in his scroll chuck to finish turn the interior of the bowl. Each of these techniques requires the use of a third step to complete the bottom of the piece. Jerry Schaible drilled a recess of 2 1/8 inches into the top of the bowl blank with a Forstner bit, and then used an expanding chuck to hold the piece. The tailstock was brought up for safety to hold the piece securely. The outside and bottom was shaped and detailed. The expanding chuck was then placed into the dovetailed bottom profile in order to turn the inside of the bowl. All turners finished about the same time. At the end, Hoby Horn was spotted walking around and stuffing his pockets with all the wood chips produced during the demonstration. A great time was had by all.

A note about photos

I would have liked to fill this space with one of the several photos that were sent to me by members of the club. Unfortunately, many of them were taken with the camera in a horizontal rather than a vertical position. I have the ability to rotate these pictures but for some reason we don't understand, the rotated photo is unacceptable to the software being used to convert this newsletter for our web page. Also please try to keep the file size down on your pics, we don't need great detail, and I have to email the entire newsletter to the Web Master. *Thanks, Dave Floyd*

Presidents Soap Box

The AAW Symposium in Louisville, Ky. was attended by myself and several other of our members. It was the largest gathering of turners ever assembled, 2230 while last year it was around 1200 in Kansas City. The Officers of the AAW were overwhelmed and had to move the Banquet to another location due to the crowd. Other than the crowded conditions and a few other glitches all was well in the world of woodturning. The Instant Gallery and the Trade Show were really great, along with an array of outstanding demonstrators.

Hope everyone gets word that our meeting time has been moved from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM for this months meeting. This is due to a conflict with Camp Y-Noah. As far as we can see this will be the only time this should happen this year.

It must be Summer. I've noticed that our attendance has been down a little and only 5 members donated to the raffle table, 4 members did the monthly project and 3 contributed to an article in the newsletter. Lets see if we can't improve the score. Scout around for a donation to the raffle table, bring in an item or two for the Show and Tell table. Everyone will benefit if we all get a little more active.

At the officers meeting we are working towards getting a professional demonstrator lined

up. Some are booked a year in advance. For a while our Treasury would not allow it and then we were not sure where we would be able to meet after being advised that our location in Hartville would be torn down. Hope to have something in the works soon.

Larry McCardel



Calendar of Events

July meeting at Y-Noah Saturday July 15th, 1PM

Due to a conflict regarding use of the hall, our meting for this time only will be at 1PM. Have lunch before you come, or bring it with you. There will be a 30 min. social time before the meeting starts at 1:30.

July demonstration will be Tool Sharpening. Bring in any tools you would like help with.

Please bring in any of your latest work for Show & Tell.

Save these dates:

August 12 & 13th - Tennessee Assoc. of Woodturners 19th Annual Symposium Nashville, Tn. Featured Demonstrators: Dale Nish, Mike Mahoney, Dick Sing and John Lucas. Trade Show, Banquet, Auction and Instant Gallery. Brochures availablest.

August 26 & 27 - Art on the Green - Hudson Society of Artists - Corner Rte 9I & 303

Free admission, live entertainment. Brochure on bulletin board.

September 9th - Buckeye Woodworkers & Turners Social at Goodyear Park Pavilion Bring your Spouse and a covered dish or desert to pass. Barbeque and soft drinks will be furnished.

October 7th - Ist Annual Arts & Crafts Festival - Hartville Market Place

Free space for demonstrators, \$30 for 15' x 15'

I will have information at meeting, lets talk about it.

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BUCKEYE WOODWORKERS AND TURNERS

June 17, 2006

The Buckeye Woodworkers and Woodturners met on Sat. June 17, at the Kastner Hall at Camp Y Noah in the lower level. The meeting was called to order by President Larry McCardel. He welcomed any visitors and there were several from Copley, Green, and Barberton. They were encouraged to participate in the meeting and to return next month.

Pres. McCardel stated that the dues to the club were \$20 for our local organization and \$40 for the national AAW organization. The AAW always produces 4 magazines per year on woodturning at no additional cost.

Larry mentioned that there would be a raffle at the end of the business meeting and tickets were to be on sale from Phil Brower for \$2 per ticket or 3 for \$5. We had \$108 collected from that raffle. Everyone went home with a very nice prize. It was mentioned that Hartville Hardware made numerous donations as well as the club members bringing in logs for bowl blanks.

Pres. McCardel mentioned that there would be a bowl turn off at the end of the meeting for our monthly demo. This demo was to illustrate several different techniques or styles used to turn a bowl.

The Monthly Project for June was to turn a mallet or some flat work. Many pieces were turned in for observation by the members.

There was a meeting with the Camp Director of Camp Y Noah to discuss our monthly schedule and resolve any conflicts in our programs. It was discovered that in the month of July, that there would be a conflict. It would require our members to

come at 1 pm on July 15 or meet at another location. So the result was that Larry would call Doll Lumber to see if we could have a meeting at the saw mill in July or meet at the Camp Y Noah at 1 pm. Members will be notified by our website at bwwt.org. Members were encouraged to look there for any changes. It was also mentioned that our club donated a \$150 check to the camp to help fund the scholarships for their youth campers. This was a gift in response to the installation of a heating system in the room that we were using during the winter as well as other amenities that the camp has provided for our organization during the past year. The membership agreed that we should make other such contributions throughout the year as an appreciation for what they are doing for us, provided that our treasury can afford it.

The camp director was informed that our club spent last Saturday, June 10, making picnic tables for the camp. These were made from donated timbers and the 18 tables were dispersed around the camp. There were approximately 10 to 12 club members that made these tables. The noon lunch was provided by the camp. At the end of the regular meeting, there was a video display of the project. This video slide show was presented by Mark Rinehart. It showed the good time that was had by all the members. Other projects that our club has worked on, was the building of a storage cabinet by Larry McCardel and donated to the camp. We also donated several folding tables and a storage cabinet to the maintenance staff. The other area of concern was the fact that there is a parking problem when our members are on site. The director stated that we can use the back entrance to the camp and then park by the maintenance shed or the flat area that is east of Kastner Hall. That generosity was much appreciated by the membership.

The next meeting MAY be at Doll Lumber Company in Southington Ohio. You take route 5 northeast of Ravenna and proceed past the Ravenna Arsenal to Route 534 north, crossing route 303 and then about 2 miles further and Doll Lumber will be on the west side of the road. There are also instructions on our website in the Sept. 2005 issue or the Doll Lumber company website.

The Tennessee Association of Woodturners will have their annual symposium in Nashville Tennessee on August 12 and 13. Any members interested in going should contact Pres. Larry McCardel for further information.

A question on finishing was asked of Larry McCardel, since his work is of such high value. He said that he sands his work to around 600 grit paper, then coats the piece with a 50/50 lacquer and lacquer thinner finish. He may use more than one coat, depending on how porous the material is. Then he applies 3 coats of finish lacquer with ample drying time between coats. He stated that the various coats will soften the previous coat and have great adherence. He then will buff the final coat to put a nice shine on the piece. He may then apply Renaissance Wax over the piece and buff out the wax to a high shine.

The show and tell table was had numerous projects for the month. Phil Brower showed his spalted maple box and mallet made of cherry, Larry McCardel showed his napkin rings and turned box. Ralph Kubal showed his candle stick holder. Don Karr showed his small mallet. Don Mills showed his walking canes with brass heads made from shovel handles. Very ingenious projects.

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