



Contains February 2019 Minutes

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**BUCKEYE WOODWORKERS
AND WOODTURNERS
February 9, 2019**

Anyone wishing to submit pictures for the newsletter please send them to the editor within two days of the meeting

*****Note*****

**Buckeye Woodturners Meeting
Camp Y Noah
Feb. 9, 2019**

*Respectfully submitted,
Paul Crouse*

Tom Nellis opened the meeting by having two new members introduce themselves to the club. He then announced the new quarterly Stranski challenge, as well and clarified the rules of the challenge. Requested nominees for the club's Hall of Fame to be turned into Secretary Paul Crouse to be brought forward to the next officers meeting.

The following upcoming events were announced:

March- Pete Wade will be demonstrating how to turn an Urn as well as how to turn threads on project pieces.

April- there will be a turn-and-learn for novice turners on how to make small projects like tops and possibly small boxes.

May- Kevin Bedgood will be doing a demo for both novice and experienced turners all day on several different projects. The novice class will be in the

morning and the experienced class will be in the afternoon.

June- Doll lumber picnic

July- Buckeye Woodturners club auction

Aug- Pro turner Keith Gothell will be doing a pro demo

Sep, Oct and Dec.- (open schedule Tom Nellis opened the floor for members to do demo during those months)

Nov- Jim Echter pro demo

Secretary Paul Crouse announced the distribution of the club's new digital calendar that will be going out to the members and explained how to access it.

**Toothpick Holder
Dave Wells
Feb. 9, 2019**

*Respectfully submitted,
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Dave Wells demonstrated how to turn various types of toothpick holders using standard HSS turning tools as well as a few tools he developed and made himself using everyday items. He based his designs on an article he found on the AAW members website online magazine *Woodturning Fundamentals* (March edition 2016, Vol. 5, Issue 2, page 28). These de-



signs make the project look like a wine barrel or butter churn.

Dave first spindle turned the blank round with a roughing gouge, and cut a tenon on one

end for mounting into a scroll chuck. He then shaped the main body on the outer 3/4ths of the blank, tapering it to look like a butter churn



with 3 barrel rings spaced evenly along the body of the churn shape. He accented the rings by using a wire to burn their edges.

Dave used a 2" Forstner bit to cut the recess for the lid, and then a 1 5/8" Forstner bit to hollow the rest of the churn body. He saved the last inch or

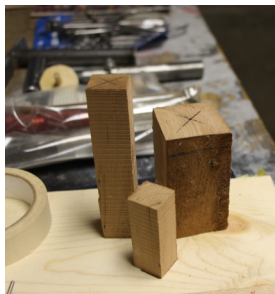


so of the blank at the tenon end for the lid after parting off the churn body. The lid is sized to fit into the 2" recess in the main body, and a 1/4" diameter hole is



drilled through its center for attaching the top finial and the basket post.

Dave used separate pieces of wood to create the toothpick "bucket" as well as the top finial & post for the bucket. The bucket was also hollowed using a Forstner bit.



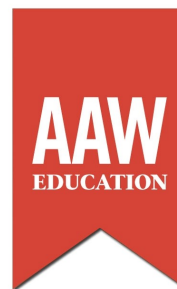
Dave detailed the barrel rings by using a [basket-weave woodburning tip from Packard Woodworks](#). He also used the woodburner to detail barrel staves on the churn body. The stave lines can be laid out using indexing on the lathe or by using pieces of masking tape cut to match the barrel circumferences and then marked into even segments and replaced back onto the barrel body.

Refer to the following AAW article which Dave used for additional information.

TOOTHPICK HOLDER

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Turning FUNCTION with Design



Here is a description of how I turn wood tooth pick holders. First, I suggest you consider the design to fit the personality of the person you are making it for. Turn the separate components and get creative and have fun combining function with the designs. Two of my favorite designs are the light house and barrels.

Materials Needed

- A turning blank about 4"x 4" and 6 1/2" - 7" long. I like hard maple, walnut, or fruitwood (apple, plum, cherry) because they have a terrific natural, rustic look, and seem appropriate. Fruitwood also splits so readily it is hard to get bowl and box blanks out of it, so this makes good use of the wood.
- 3/8" dowel about 4 " long
- Small piece of wood for finial

Tools/Supplies

- Safety equipment
- Ruler
- Spindle roughing gouge
- 3/8" +/- gouge or larger skew chisel
- 1/6" parting tool
- 1 1/4" Forstner drill bit

- 1" Forstner drill bit
- 1/4" drill bit
- Drill chuck
- Sandpaper (120, 180, 240, 320 grits)
- 3"- 3 1/2" square blank 5" long. If you use the drawing, the block will have to be longer for a tall lid.

Turn blank between centers, making a tenon on one end to mount it in a chuck.

Mount wood in chuck. Dome end to make lid. Take 1/2" of the cylinder down to 1 3/4". Drill a 1/4" hole in center. Sand and part off 1/4" to serve as the lid.

Cut an indentation for lid to sit in and drill the cylinder with a 1 1/4" drill 3 1/4" deep. Lid can be set in indentation at this point to finish bottom of lid. After the lid bottom is finished, cut the opening large enough so the lid has no resistance against it.

Shape outside whatever shape you desire. Make your indentation to put your burn marks on if you want them.

Sand.

Turn block around on long jaws down center hole and finish bottom.

For inside: use a 3/8" dowel 3 1/4" long. Set in dowel chuck and turn end down to 1/4" about 1/4" deep. Turn dowel around and turn other side down to 1/4" and drill a 3/16" hole in center.

To make a bucket, turn a cylinder down to a 1 1/8". Drill a 1" hole 3/4" deep. Then drill a 1/4" hole in the bottom of bucket to put dowel into. Part off at 1".

Make a handle for lid with a 1/4" base down to a 3/16" base to go through lid and down into dowel for support. Be creative.

A butter churn has a long thin handle where a barrel might have a short fat handle. Use a wood burner to make the slats or bricks. Glue dowel between the bucket and lid and then glue handle in. Finish with a lacquer. Put toothpicks in bucket and enjoy.

Calendar of Events

PLEASE NOTE

BWWT MEETINGS ARE HELD ON THE SECOND SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH BEGINNING AT 9:00AM

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