



Central Connecticut Woodturners

A Chapter of the American Association of Woodturning

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President note:

I would like to thank Walter McMahon for becoming the club's new librarian. And thank you to Dave Scott (dscott1518@cox.net) taking over the position of club newsletter editor. I have contacted Anneliese Fox and will have information for the club at the next meeting.

Thank you to Dayton Stimson, Mark Lefebvre and Dick Rybak for your help as librarian, web master and newsletter editor.

Mike Murray came across this article & thought it would be interesting to share:

<http://www.stuartking.co.uk/index.php/chair-bodgers-of-buckinghamshire/>

The 2010 AAW Symposium maybe over a year and a half away, but I would like the club to start thinking of ideas for the club collaborative. CCW did participate in a symposium collaborative years ago. The club collaborative is not something that is made in one night. It is something that the entire club can share a part in. Think of ideas that represent the club, Connecticut, woodturning or something off the wall. I believe with the talent of this club we can do it!

Lynda

Wood of the Month!

Apple

Malus sylvestris (Rosaceae)

Grows: Europe, south-west Asia.

Health risks: Not known.

Description: A fruitwood whose heartwood can be a pinkish-buff with variable darker streaks.

Properties: It is a brittle wood that does not bend well. It is of moderate strength. Apple does dull tools and is not particularly stable and seasons poorly. .

Typical Uses: Although the wood is considered a non-durable wood it is used for decorative veneers, turnery, carving and tool parts. The grain and hardness make it suitable for tool handles. Apple finishes clean and stains well

Tuesday Night
October 28, 2008
Christmas Ornaments at
Jim Kephart's
Woodworking Emporium
7:00 pm

Central Connecticut Woodturners
Meeting minutes for September 23, 2008

The September meeting of the Central Connecticut Woodturners was held at the Connecticut Valley School of Woodworking located at the Manchester Woodcraft. President Lynda Zibbideo called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

President's Report: Lynda Zibbideo

- Lynda welcomed guests.
- Lynda thanked Vivian & Ken Rowe for hosting this year's summer picnic. The Rowe's have offered their home for the 2009 summer picnic.
- Thank you to John Lorch, Mike Orenstein, Eric Holmquist, Jim Kephart, Rick Meier and Chris Zibbideo for donating their time for the CVSW Open house on Saturday September 13th. It was a great success.
- Much thanks to Jim Kephart for the new badge box for our new badges.
- The Wood Show is Jan 9th -11th up at the Big E. We will be looking for volunteers.
- Hartville Tool catalogs are available. Remember 20% off our 1st year of membership!
- Freedom Pen Turn-a-thon is Saturday November 8th at Woodcraft in Manchester.
- AAW Presenter Handout books are available through AAW \$7.50 +SH
- Jim Knight is looking for a lathe to turn a 20" bowl. Mike Murray suggested Craigslist.com

Vice President Report: Rick Meier

- Suggestions for turners/presentations that you would like to see. Would like to plan for the next 2 years.
- Holiday Party is Sunday December 14th and all those that come will be entered into a raffle for the 5lb box-o-sandpaper from Klingspor.

Treasurer's Report: Alan Moltz

- This is the CCW Treasure's Report for June 24th - September 23, 2008.

Beginning balance	\$1,272.82
Income:	
Dues	<u>35.00</u>
Total Income:	\$ 35.00
Expenses:	
Newsletter (July/Aug)	103.95
Bank fees(July/Aug)	13.00
Picnic food	35.57
Badges	227.54
Website hosting	119.99
Club house rental for holiday party	<u>75.00</u>
Total Expenses:	\$ 575.05
Amount in Checking Acct as of 9/23/2008	\$ 732.77

Amount in Savings Acct as of 3/25/2008
Membership stands at 76

\$1002.38

Secretary's Report: Chris Zibbideo

- No report.

Newsletter:

Librarian:

Miscellaneous Business:

- Bob van Dyke - CVSW is raffling off the school's table saw. Great condition. \$25 each or 3 for \$60. Only 100 tickets will be sold. See Bob or the guys up front at Woodcraft. Cash or check only.
- Mike Murray - Ocean Woodturners will be having a presentation by Jeff Levine on Saturday November 22nd. Additional details to follow.
- Lynda called for help from the club for the librarian, newsletter editor and webmaster. Walter McMahon volunteered for librarian. Dave Scott took on the position of newsletter editor. After a discussion on the pros & cons of who the webmaster should be; Ken Guarneri made a motion to hire Anneliese Fox as the webmaster. Gil Hite seconded the motion - unanimous in favor.
- **Show & Yell:**
 - Corey Anderson - 5' winning croquet mallet (complete with umbrella & fan!), 1 square shaped and 1 maple bowl - sculptured and sandblasted
 - Steve Bemont - carved ambrosia maple bowl with 1 cow horn, sculptured ambrosia maple bowl with 2 cow horns
 - Albert D'Antonio - 4 mini Banksia pod ornaments
 - Howard Loos - 3 burl weed pots complete with weeds!
 - Mike Murray - dyed red maple vessel with dyed black final accented with gold leaf.
 - Tom Stevenson - winning rubber wood croquet mallet with offset handle & brass ring end caps. 2 segmented balls (rubber wood & maple).
 - Lynda Zibbideo - 2 small flat pierced maple leaves, 1 maple leaf-shaped bowl totally pierced.
- **Tonight's Demonstration:**

Demo on pen making by Rick Meier. This is an introduction to pen making as the November club challenge is a Pen Challenge. There will be prizes awarded in 3 categories - Slim line (wood), Slim line (non-wood) and Collectors (open).

Thanks to our demonstrator and participants, nice job!

Next meeting: October 28th at Jim Kephart's shop at 85 Hilliard St. Manchester.
Demonstration will be on Christmas Ornaments. Bring your ornament in for Show & Yell!

Respectfully submitted,
Chris Zibbideo, Secretary.



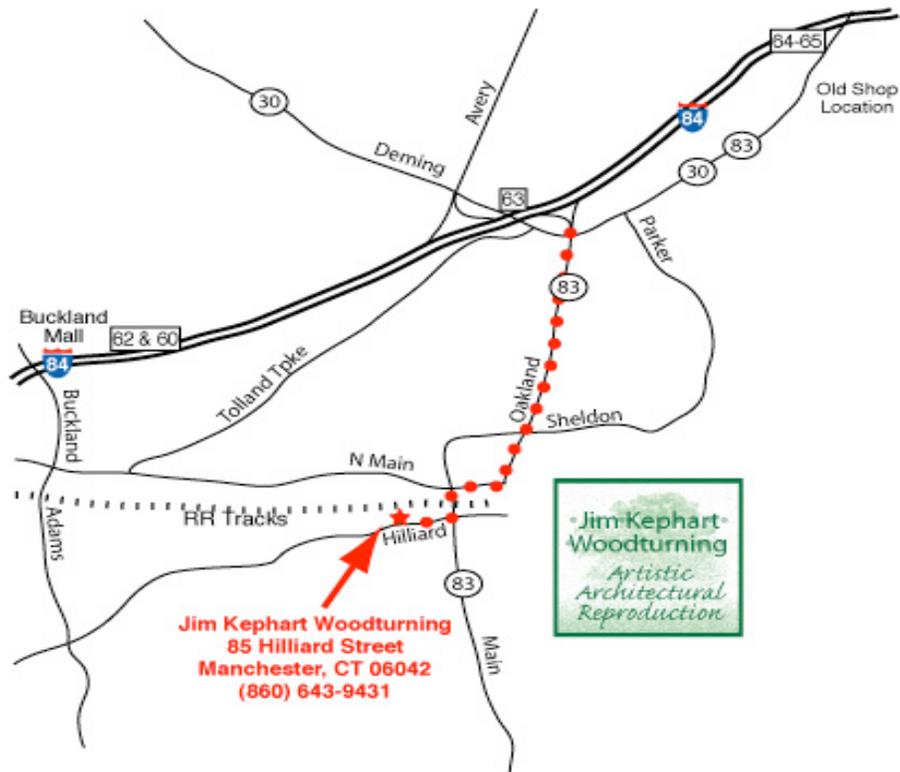
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