



Central Connecticut Woodturners

A Chapter of the American Association of Woodturning

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Next Meeting

Join us on Zoom on Tuesday January 25th, 2022 at 7:00pm. Log in early at 6:30pm for social ½ hour!

At the Jan 2022 meeting, Dan Merlo will be doing 2 demos. Turning tenons and how to remove them; and finishing the bottom of a bowl. And turning a birdhouse.



President's Note:

Hello woodturners,

Keep on turning.

I hope to see you soon.

John Webber

November 23rd 2021 Central Connecticut Woodturners meeting minutes:

CCW Meeting minutes Nov 23rd, 2021

16 members on the Zoom call. Meeting began at 7:13pm.

No new members.

Treasurer's report: Balance seems to be the same as at the last meeting. \$2710.79. John Webber made a motion to accept; Kip Lockhart 2nd motion. All in favor.

Kip Lockhart makes a motion to accept minutes from last meeting. All in favor.

Elections: Joanne Mann will serve as secretary for another term (2 years). Mark Fields will serve as Treasurer for another term (2 years). Kip Lockhart will serve as Vice-President another term (2 years). John Webber, President-He is willing to serve another term if no one would like to step in as President, but looking for a volunteer. Emmerich Fellinger makes a motion to have John Webber serve as President again, and to change the CCW bylaws if necessary. Joe Garofalo 2nd. This information will be put in writing and sent to all CCW members stating that we will be voting on this at the next meeting. Joe Stajduhar makes a motion to have John Webber serve another term. Emmerich Fellinger 2nd that motion. CCW has 4 officers and 2 at large board members: Lynda Zibbideo & Tom Stevenson.

Christmas party: Probably can't meet anyplace due to Covid. Everyone is comfortable meeting in person. We need to decide on a place. American Legion hall across the street from John Webber's house. Grab bag party Saturday January 8th, 2022. And John will check other places as well.

Future CCW meeting places: John Webber will check with Bob at Woodcraft. John has also reached out to Martin in Marlborough, but has had no response from Martin (or anyone else who has a shop). Bylaws say the club meets every 4th Tuesday of month, but there is good turnout when meetings are held on Saturdays. It was suggested that if the CCW bylaws are going to be changed, we might want to change CCW President's term AND meeting time.

Bob at Woodcraft contacted John... Woodcraft wants the 2 CCW 2door metal cabinets removed. CCW has an amplifier, and American Woodturner magazines, VHS tapes, DVDs, and some signage in storage at Woodcraft. For now, the CCW items can be stored in John's storage shed. John will go to Woodcraft and pick up the CCW stuff. Perhaps auction some of the items off, or donate to a library, or to a boys and girls club, etc. Maybe save some for a newer turner. We will hash this out and try to get a plan together. Note: There is a Library listing on the CCW website.

Big E The Woodworking show.com will be January 14th, 15th, and 16th, 2022. CCW usually had a liaison (point person to interact with WW show). CCW should contact the Woodworking show. Kip will contact them.

This weekend Fri, Sat, Sunday (Nov 26th, 27th, 28th, 2021) 7pm to 9pm CST, Cindy Drozda, and Lyle Jamieson, John Jordan,....(possibly free) online demo. John Webber will forward email to CCW members.

Totally Turning...end of March 2022...Demonstrators... Nick Cook, Rudy Lopez, Carl Ford, Alan Zenrich. This is a really good show! John will forward the email to CCW members. Usually have special room rates for woodturners. Is anyone interested in having one of them demo at the CCW March meeting, as they will be in the area? John will send out the list to CCW members; CCW members will then reply as to who they would be interested in. Then John will reach out to a couple of the demonstrators. Joe Stajduhar said we could deplete the cost of any demonstrator by asking other clubs...Eastern CT, Western Mass, etc.

Can we put videos on the CCW website? No, takes up too much space, but CCW could set up a YouTube page specifically for Connecticut woodturners, and then put the YouTube link on our CCW website page. Lynda Zibbideo will do this for CCW. John cautions us to be careful about the videos. Be professional.

Joe Stajduhar participated in 3 turning events in the past 3 months. Does CCW have any plans to do any more pen turning events? Kip Lockhart will reach out to the Carousel Museum. Lynda will let Kip know when the woodcarvers have their event at the Carousel Museum. Dan will see about Old Town Hall in Ashford. Is there a pen turning event at NE Air Museum near Veterans Day or Armed Forces day? Tom Stevenson will ask.

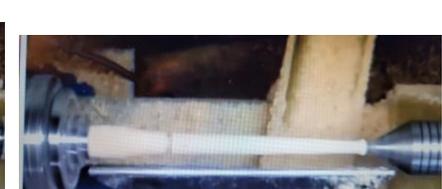
Tom Stevenson was at the Wood Library in South Windsor, and they would like some hand-made wood items for their glass cabinet. They are celebrating an anniversary.

Show and Yell: John Webber has 7 Craft Supply gift certificates that expire Dec 31 2021.
Winners of Show & Yell: Dan, Kip, John, Joanne, Rob, Emery, and Charlotte.

90 year old man donated wood to Kip for us..... beech, sycamore, cedar, and oak. Kip is going back for more. Let him know if you're interested, and if you want some.

November Demo- John Webber turning a stick pen:

John's demo was on turning a stick pen. John saw this for the first time when he watched Captain Eddie make one. Need 1/8 inch drill bit and 5/32 inch drill bit. Turn it round; put a tenon on it. Drill a hole between 3/8 and 7/16, drilling in about 6 inches.





Show and Tell

Emery made a finial ornament – finial is lilac stem, and top is branch off of black birch. Emery also made a pen made out of a piece of maple that bittersweet vine wrapped around.

Charlotte made apple wood handle ice cream scoop. She also turned a maple bowl. She also turned a walnut bowl from wood pickup from Middletown (dark picture).

Dan made ambrosia maple bowl. The knot rotted the back side of the bowl, so he put a pine cone and some grey resin.

John made stick snowman pen and gnome (gonk) stick pen.

Kip made ambrosia bowl. Really cool shape.

Kip made an ornament. Purple heart bottom walnut and yellow heart.

Joe Garofalo made a walnut and cherry snowman tweaking the umbrella ornament plans a little.



Lynda Zibbideo made a sugar maple coffee mug. Handle is maple flooring.



Rob Robinson made butternut bowl with a lot of worm holes, and a couple of cherry pen holders, and a cherry and maple Christmas ornament..



Tom Stevenson made a finial.



Dave Messina made a black walnut bowl within a bowl.

