



As the Wood Turns

A Newsletter of the Peaks Woodturners

Kwis' List

Summer is here which means the trip to Albuquerque is closing in fast!!! I am looking forward to seeing all the demonstrations and hopefully coming home with a lathe for the Club. I have been in contact with several companies and hope to pick one up in New Mexico. So far I know of 5 going-Baker, Baker, Moore, Kwis, Fox.. We should have a final count by the meeting Tuesday night.

I am eager to see our new logo. It is my understanding that we have really brought it down to #3 by a huge majority. I hope we can get some business cards to use in New Mexico before we leave. Are you ready to beg some more items for our raffles Jeanette?

I have heard from Don Baker

that the egg turning night went well and people are getting their eggs ready for the library show at the end of the summer. Keep in mind that we also want some other items so keep turning!

To Do List

1. Decide if you are going to go to New Mexico.
2. Mark your calendar with our visiting demonstrators; we want a good turn out !

July 18th, Saturday, at 1:00 pm - Shermane Frei

August 15th, Saturday 10 am - Hans Finsterwalder.

3. Get your eggs and other turnings ready for the Branch Library display in August.

4. Dan will be leaving us in the fall, so we need to be thinking of someone to take on the job of

program coordinator. Any volunteers?

5. If anyone is interested in information about insurance through AAW, ask about it at the meeting Tuesday.

6. Remember that Brodie's son will be with us Tuesday and you might want to bring some money for a mug liner. His company manufactures them. They might make a nice Xmas present for coffee drinking friends. He will show us how to turn the covers for them.

Lin Kwis

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June Meeting Highlights

Don Baker reported the votes on the logo. The one on this newsletter won by a wide margin. He asked if the colors should be changed. Everyone indicated that the current colors were fine.

The demonstrator for August is willing to do two demonstrations on that Saturday. It was decided that the first one would be at

10:30 am and the second would start at 1 pm. There was discussion about whether we should have a barbeque or some type of lunch between the demonstrations. There was no resolution to the question and it was decided to discuss more at the next meeting. It was decided that there should be short business meetings before

any special demonstrations we have on a Saturday.

Jeanette gave the treasurer's report noting that the club has \$514.21 in the bank.

It was mentioned that Dan Liggett, the current program coordinator, is moving out of

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Members

Members in attendance at the June 2009 meeting were:

- John Giovale
- Bill Dooley
- Don Baker
- Jeanette Baker
- Brodie Brickey
- Andy Fox

- Don Barnes
- Cindy Runyon
- Mike Dries
- Jill Farrell
- Gene Balzer

New Members

- Judy Gangi
- Steve Van Ootenhem

Guests:

- Janet Brickey
- Brodie Brickey, Jr.
- Carol Reed
- Kevin Fox

New members and guests are always welcome. Membership dues are \$15 a calendar year.

Pride and Practice



Bob Fain used a CNC router rather than a lathe to create these very nice pieces



These pieces were done by our guest, Jerry Viken using woods found here in Northern Arizona



Cindy Runyon's candle stick.



Mike Dries helped his sons, Joshua and Luke, turn these salt and pepper shakers.



Gene Balzer turned what looks like a cane, but is actually a 2 position monopod for picture taking.



A goblet and bowl by Jeanette Baker

JUNE DEMONSTRATION

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Flagstaff. The club will need to fill that position so please consider volunteering to fill that role.

Someone asked if we could develop a calendar of who is bringing food and drinks to the meetings. Jeanette said she would develop a list that could be circulated at the next meeting.

Brodie Brickey Jr. gave an excellent demonstration of turning an outer shell for an insulated mug insert. He showed a variety of in-

serts available including one that could be used as a wine cooler.

Next Meeting:

Drinks - Don Baker

Food - Mike Dries

Upcoming Demonstrations/Events

JULY 18 *SATURDAY*— Basket illusion turning — 1 pm Shermane Frei

AUGUST 15 *SATURDAY*— 10:30 am-Hans Finsterwalder

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The Peaks Woodturners is a chapter of the American Association of Woodturners. The purposes of the Peaks Woodturners are to (1) provide a meeting place for local wood turners, (2) share ideas and techniques regarding wood turning, (3) trade woods, (4) exchange ideas about tools, and (5) educate and foster the art of wood turning. Membership is open to anyone interested in wood turning.

Meetings take place on the second Tuesday of the month and begin at 6:30 p.m. The location is The Shop at 450 S. River Run Road.

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