



# As the Wood Turns

## A Newsletter of the Peaks Woodturners

### April Meeting Highlights

Don Barnes called the meeting to order. The minutes from the March meeting were approved as presented.

Rebecca gave the treasurer's report. Income since the last meeting included: \$30 in membership dues, \$44 from the raffle, \$217.20 in sales, \$26 to the club for reimbursement, and 21 cents interest. Expenses totaled \$534.24 and included: \$90 to AAW for liability insurance, \$86.61 to Don Baker for Longworth chuck materials, \$165.15 to Bob Fain for Longworth chuck materials, and one new AAW membership. This leaves a current balance of \$4,922.61. The treasurer's report was approved.

Rebecca suggested that more members bring items for the raffle.

Don Baker reported that he and Paul Porter had taken a look at some recently cut elm at the hospice. If anyone is interested, they can go by and take a look for themselves.

Don Barnes brought a supply of 2013 workshop schedules from Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts. If anyone is interested, please take one.

Don Baker indicated that he had received an email from an Irish turner, Liam O'Neil, who will be in the Southwest next January,

February, and March. Liam is offering to give demonstrations (\$400) or workshops (\$800/day) while in the area. In addition to these fees, he is asking for transportation to his next stop. The Prescott club is interested so it may be possible to work together with some of the other clubs in the state. Paul Porter said he had seen Liam in demonstration and thought it was worth it. The club approved moving forward to try and schedule Liam for next winter, realizing that weather could be an issue.

Don Baker noted that a demonstrator for June has been identified. It is Matt Monaco who will demonstrate translucent bowls.

Carl brought information about a program he is helping called Beads of Courage. The purpose of the program is to provide turned, lidded bowls for children who are going through a serious illness. They receive "beads of courage" for their various treatments. The bowl serves as a "treasure box" for the children's beads. Printed material was provided for anyone who wishes to participate.

John announced that the Recycled Art Show is now at the Coconino Center for the Arts. The display will be up for about six weeks.

Jeanette Baker

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#### Board of Directors

- *President: Don Barnes*
- *Vice President: Bill Dooley*
- *Secretary: Jeanette Baker*
- *Treasurer: Rebecca Crawford*
- *Program Coordinator: Don Baker*



- *Librarian: Steve Van Ooteghem*
- *Videographer: Bob Fain*
- *Outreach: Rebecca Crawford*

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#### From the Editor

Rebecca submitted an idea to club president Barnes for a monthly President's Challenge to club members to submit photos or sketches of a clever, helpful, or useful idea from your workshop. If it's something that you made, tell us how you made it and what materials you used.

We'll start this month with a spring clamp storage idea from Don Baker's shop. If there is enough interest, we can add an "Idea Corner" to the newsletter.

Jeanette Baker

#### ~IDEA CORNER~



Hang a metal towel rack from your shop ceiling or wall and use it to store your spring clamps.

# Members

Members attending the April meeting were:

Jeanette Baker  
 Don Baker  
 Carl Smith  
 Terry Davis  
 Ernie Kurmes  
 Bob Fain  
 Karl Doerry

Rebecca Crawford  
 Brandon Blue  
 Mike Dries  
 John Rogers  
 Don Barnes  
 Don Nord

Guests:

Paul Porter  
 Chris Porter

New members and guests are always welcome. Annual membership dues are \$30. Family membership is \$30 for the first member and \$10 for each additional member. Dues include membership in the American Association of Wood-turners.

# Pride & Practice



Carl Smith



Karl Doerry



Jeanette Baker

Paul Porter



# April Demonstration - Paul Porter - Hollowing in Action



## Upcoming Demonstrations/Activities

May 14	Bill Dooley Hand Thread Chasing	July	TBD	Summer Potluck
May 16-18	Utah Woodturning Symposium, Orem, UT <a href="http://www.utahwoodturning.com">www.utahwoodturning.com</a>	Aug. 13 31 (Sat.)	Carl Smith	Natural Edge Bowl Coconino County Fair
June 11	Matt Monaco Translucent bowls	Sept. 10	TBD	
		Oct. 8	John Giovale	Wood Preparation and more TBD





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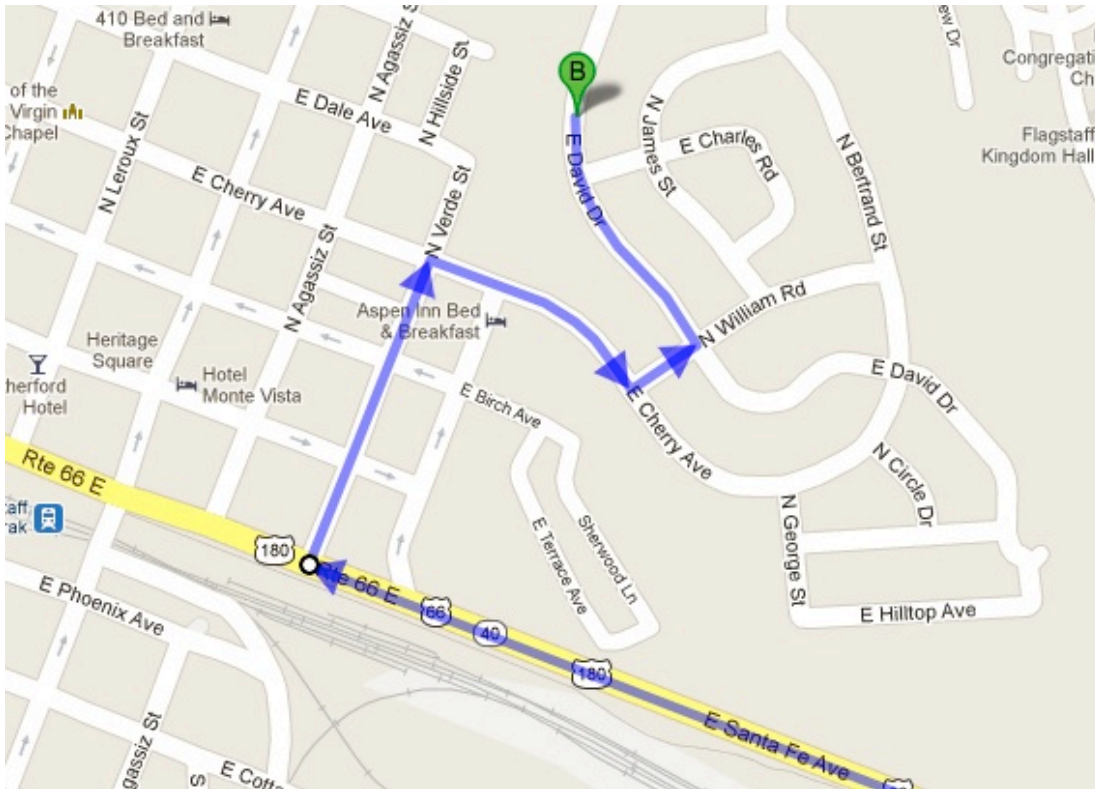
*The Peaks Woodturners is a chapter of the American Association of Woodturners. The purposes of the Peaks Woodturners are to (1) provide a meeting place for local wood turners, (2) share ideas and techniques regarding woodturning, (3) trade woods, (4) exchange ideas about tools, and (5) educate and foster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

*Meetings take place on the second Tuesday of the month and begin at 6:30 p.m., unless otherwise posted. The location is 333 E. David Dr. in Flagstaff from January through May 2013.*

[www.peakswoodturners.org](http://www.peakswoodturners.org)

# How to get to Don and Jeanette's:

From Route 66 downtown take N. Verde St. north to E. Cherry Ave. Turn right and go to N. William Rd. at the top of the hill. Turn left on William and go one short block to the cross street, E. David Dr. Turn left on E. David Dr. We are a block and a half down on the left, 333 E. David.



## PEAKS WOODTURNERS MEMBERSHIP FORM

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Confirm e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Membership (\$30/year, individual. Family: \$30 + \$10 each additional member)

Additional member(s): \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Are you an AAW member? \_\_\_\_\_

**Make Checks Payable to: PEAKS WOODTURNERS**

Send completed form and check to:

Peaks Woodturners  
c/o Rebecca Crawford  
5775 Campbell Ave.  
Flagstaff, AZ 86004

Willing to give a demonstration? \_\_\_\_\_

Topic \_\_\_\_\_

Demonstrations you'd like to see: \_\_\_\_\_

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