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Corridor wood turners if Cedar Rapids, Iowa

## Next Meeting

The Next meeting of the Corridor Woodturners will be held at 6:30 PM on November 10th at the Marion High School wood shop, 675 S. 15th St. Marion, Iowa

Kevin Bierman will have a program on Gnomes, for Christmas ornaments or other gifts that are

## Upcoming meetings

**November 10**, Gnomes– Kevin Bierman

**December 3**, Christmas party Antioch Christian Church

**January 12**, Lathe maintenance & Q&A session

**February 9**, Hand thread chasing basics

**March 9**, Pens

If you have any ideas or projects, step up and show the club how you do them.

## CWT Board of Directors

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## Last Meeting

Don Potter demonstrated creating a wine glass for special events or promotions using a commercially available wine glass and a turned base of your own design. Don presented a handout that detailed the process and added several of his own ideas for the project. The wine glass can be purchased from woodturning catalogs or more economically from local stores that deal in kitchen or table ware. To begin use a 3/8 open wrench to determine where the stem of the glass is 3/8 inch in diameter. This is the diameter of the hole where the turned base will join the glass. Then determine how much you want to be in the turned base and mark the stem at that point. Using a file, a triangular one works best. Score the stem on one side and turn the mark away from you and while holding the glass in a towel to prevent any accidental glass from shattering, snap the stem. Don't be timid when scoring and breaking the stem, give it a good snap. It should break cleanly at the score line. Measure and mark the stem of the



glass to determine the diameter of the hole needed in the turned base. Flair the top of the hole to match the bowl of the glass for a smooth fit.

Now proceed to turn the base to your preference following the handout sheet instructions.

Don starts with a 3x3x10 in blank which gives him two bases and enough left to make a stopper for the wine bottle.



Ben Lothamer-S&T



Jerry Potter-Walnut-Tried & True-POM

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Ben Lothamer-Variou-S&T



Brad Davis-Marbling -S&T

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Name -Wood - Finish - Category  
Legend: AO=Antique Oil WOP=Wipe on Poly POM=Project of the month S&T=show and tell  
BLO= Boiled Linseed Oil SB= Salad Bowl finish FOG=Found on Ground



Mitch Appleby-Boxelder-Wax-POM



Greg Ellyson-Maple -Oil-POM

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Jerry Potter-Walnut-Tried & True-POM

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Toby Hyde-Walnut-Tried & True-S&T





Rob Nabholz-Wood?-WOP-S&T



Ray Hamilton-Sugar Maple-Poly- S&T

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Brad Davis-Cherry-Oil-POM



John Cox-Sycamore-Friction Polish-POM

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE FOR NOVEMBER, 2022



Call it a gnome, or a gonk, or an elf; whatever you call it, Kevin Bierman will show us how to make one at the club meeting this week, November 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm. Just in time for the Christmas season. Check out his work on the club website home page.

Bring your project-of-the-month, a wine glass as shown by Don Potter at the October meeting, for a chance to win a gift certificate. Also bring your latest creations for show-n-tell.

I'll hold the "Christmas Gift Photo Contest" again this year. E-mail to me ([tgmills@mchsi.com](mailto:tgmills@mchsi.com)) a photo of what you made for a gift, along with a brief description and the intended recipient. I'll assemble a slide show and award prizes.

The slide show will be posted to the club website. The contest is open until December 26. Turned objects are preferred, but any handmade gift is welcome.

Keep an eye on the club website for details on the Christmas party on December 3<sup>rd</sup>. Meat and drink provided; other dishes are pot luck. This is a joint party with the Corridor Woodcrafters, and will include door prizes and show and tell from both clubs. December 3, 11:00 am, at Antioch Christian Church. Be sure to fill in the signup sheet at the November 10 meeting so we know how much food to buy. If you want to attend, but can't sign up, just send me a message.

Dues for 2023 will be collected between now and February. Still just \$25 per person or \$30 per family. Please fill out the info sheet that's available on the website ([www.corridorturners.org](http://www.corridorturners.org)) where it says "Click [here](#) for a membership form." We want to make sure we have your current address, phone and email information. You can turn them in to Don Coleman at any meeting, or mail them to his address as shown on the form.

There's a new wood retailer in the area: Knot Just Lumber, 1730 Robins Rd, Hiawatha. Check it out when you have time. [www.knotjustlumber.com](http://www.knotjustlumber.com) Also Facebook and Instagram.

The CWT board is always open for suggestions for demonstration topics, and especially for people that would like to lead a demonstration. See any board member for details.

--- Tom Mills



Ray Hamilton-American Elm-Poly-S&T



Don Coleman-Spalted Maple-Shellac-

## For Sale

Have something for sale? Let the club members know about it here. Get the info to John Cox to be added to the next newsletter

New - never used RIKON Slow Speed grinder  
80-805 Model Number. \$140.00

Bruce Kruse

319 377 4445 bak515@aol.com



## Dues Structure and Meeting Attendance Policy

Club dues are:

\$25.00 per year for an General membership.

\$30.00 per year for a Family membership

\$100.00 per year for a Supporting membership.

Dues are for the calendar year January 1 thru December 31 with a grace period ending at the close of the February meeting. New membership cards will be distributed at the March meeting.

Dues paid in September and later by **NEW** members will be considered in force for the rest of that calendar year plus the following calendar year.

Potential members may attend two meetings as a guest then must either join the club or pay 1/4 of the current general membership fee to attend a regular meeting.