



<http://www.corridorturners.org/>

### Next Meeting

The Next meeting of the Corridor Woodturners will be held at 6:30 PM on January 12th at the shop of Tom and Stacy Nehl, 1008 Rolling Glenn Dr. Marion Iowa. Stacy will give a program on the use of the indexing feature available on most lathes and scroll chucks and some examples of how she and Tom have used indexing to lay out patterns on turned vessels for future enhancement. Project of the Month– a lidded box

We will have a show and tell session as well as a raffle. You will not need to bring a chair. The club chairs are at Tom and Stacy's.

### 2017 Dues

Dues for the 2017 year are payable now. If you wish to pay at one of the meetings please use the renewal form located on the web site (<http://www.corridorturners.org>) or ask for a form during check in at a meeting. This keeps things in order and avoids confusion about payments. The dues policy and coverage is located on the last page

### Officer Candidates Needed

Several members of the board of directors have expressed the desire to retire from the board which leaves us with some positions to fill. Board members help direct the mission of the club, plan meetings and in general keep things going. If you would like more information or would like to join the board contact Kevin, Bruce, David, Tom, Stacy or either of the Johns. Elections are coming up in March.

### Weather Notice

During the winter months if the CR schools are closed there will be no meeting that night.

### Last Meeting



Happy New Year to all. 2016 was a good year for our club, we continue to grow in membership and ability as a club as witnessed by the show and tell every month. I snoop around at other clubs newsletters and our show and tell photos are second to none. Of course the photos and newsletter would not happen without the great work of John Cox and contributions of club members.



Unfortunately there was one dark spot, good friend of the club and owner of our meeting place, Steve Goodson passed away. The business has been sold and we moved our equipment to the shop of Tom and Stacey for the time being. Good news is we might have a new home soon and will let you all know as soon as possible if and when we get it nailed down.

Kevin Bierman  
the time and space.

This month's meeting will be at the Nehl's in Marion and Stacey will giving a demo on indexing. Tom gave the demo on making a lidded box at the last meeting so this months project of the month will of course will be lidded boxes. As always we want you bring in your regular show and tell, Also just a note you will not need to bring a chair as we have club chairs already there. Thanks once again to the Nehl's for letting us intrude on their

Lastly I want to thank everyone for all the help planning and helping at the annual Christmas get together with the Woodcrafters. The meal/potluck was excellent, show and tell was one of the better ones and we had a nice selection of door prizes for all club members. A great time and thank John Sandor once again for securing the church for us. Looking forward to seeing you all Thursday.

Kevin



Well here we are, Welcome to 2017. We have now made it through the holidays and are ready to start a new year of turning. I have added a new thing to The Help Corner. I will be interviewing some of our members to get some insight into what different members are doing. I hope this will be a help to the new members.

Today's guests are Tom and Stacy Nehl. They started turning in January of 2010. Tom had purchased a turned bowl for Stacy and she wanted to know how it was done. That was the beginning of their hobby of turning. They are self-taught. They do some amazing things. Tom and Stacy turn all sorts of items, such as, pens, bowls, hollow form, and lidded boxes. They also, do other crafts and hobbies. Tom does a lot of flat work. Stacy does wood burning and piercing. They also offer their shop for meetings when needed. We have the picnic in September and open turning sessions in the shop. I would like to Thank Tom and Stacy for the interview and all of the things that they do for the club.

They posed a question for upcoming interviews.

Where do you go to get help or when you need a question answered.

Remember we do have a list of members who are mentors. These are people that are willing to help and to answer questions. Looking forward to seeing everyone at our next meeting on Jan. 12, 2017.

Thank you and happy and safe turning.

## The Help Corner



### **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

### **Library Information**

Do you use the literature library? What items would you like to see added, what would make it easier to use? See Gary Nosek and make your wishes known.

### **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.