



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

Next Meeting

The Next meeting of the Corridor Woodturners will be held at 6:30 PM on February 9th 2017 at the shop of Tom and Stacy Nehl.

We will have two presentations, one by Bruce Kruse on the 40/40 grind for bowl gouges and one on the Lichtenburg Fractal Burning system from Brad Davis.

The project of the month is something that uses the indexing system on your lathe or one that you have added to your lathe.

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 of this newsletter.

Those who have paid their 2017 dues by the end of the February meeting will be entered into a drawing for a refund at the March meeting.

Test Drive AAW with a Guest Membership

- AAW Guest membership is free.
- AAW Guest membership offers access to samples of AAW’s digital publications and services for 60-days.
- Sign up for an AAW Guest membership at <http://tiny.cc/AAWGuest> or call 877-595-9094 (toll free) M-F 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. CST.

Last Meeting

Several months ago at a board meeting while we were looking for topics for programs the idea of using the indexing feature on a lathe or scroll chuck came up. Tom and Stacy were enthused about the idea and volunteered to check it out and do a program. As it turned out Stacy did the research but had to work the evening of the meeting so Tom took up the cause and gave the demonstration.

Starting with a disc with holes spaced at intervals to



give divisions around the turning Tom showed how this could be mounted on the lathe and used to determine even spacing . Marking the turning allowed holes for accents to be bored or lines to be drawn the length of the vessel to be used later for fluting. The advice was to purchase a pre made disc rather than produce your own for the most accurate and varied spacing. With a table that sat on the bedways and a few jigs Tom demonstrated using a pencil to mark lines and a trim router to “carve” flutes in the vessel.



From the President

Hello to one and all.



Kevin Bierman

This is going to be one of the most positive letters I have ever written for the club. I mentioned last month that we were near completion in our efforts to secure a new meeting location, Thanks to the efforts of David Kesler, John Cox, Bruce Kruse, Tom Nehl, a great contact heads up from Jeremy Hanson and many others I can't seem to remember right now, sorry if I left someone out, our next home will be the wood shop at Marion High School. Tom, Bruce and I are to meet with the business director on February 9th to iron out all the details, dot the i's and cross the t's. Should be able to answer most of your questions at the meeting.

This month the meeting will be held once again at Tom and Stacey's shop. Bruce Kruse will be giving a demo on the Stuart Batty 40 degree bowl gouge grind that many of us saw at Stuart's demo in Des Moines. We have an added demo this month as Brad Davis has asked for a little time to demonstrate the Lichtenburg Fractal Burning system. This is very neat way to enhance your turnings using electricity. Should be a great meeting. Also mark your calendars, the March meeting will at Harvey Jeck's shop in Amana.

The last thing I want to talk about is the club officers. At the March meeting we will have some what of a changing of the guard . Bruce will take over as president once again, Tom Nehl will be the vice president, John Sandor will be the new treasurer and we will welcome three new people to the board. Tom Mills, Jeff Kromminga and Mark Goodsmith have all agreed to join. New blood should equal new ideas! This is not the final list by any means so if you would like to help out please let one of us know.

Hope to see you all Thursday

Kevin

P.S. please take a minute to thank Tom and Stacey for their hospitality. It is a lot of work to get ready for a meeting and they deserve all of our thanks!

Officers for the 2017-2018 Year

The following members have agreed to serve as officers for the next term and will be presented at the March meeting. Nominations will be received from the floor if any are presented.

Bruce Kruse -President Tom Nehl - Vice President John Sandor - Treasurer John Cox- Secretary

Board members

Kevin Bierman Jeff Kromminga Tom Mills Mark Goodsmith



Dean Sherman-Spalted Maple-AO



Kevin Bierman-Boxelder & Walnut-Spray-S&T



Branden Westmark



David Tegeler-Bamboo



Tom St John-Walnut & Maple—POM



John Sandor-Walnut and Maple-WOP-POM



Dean Sherman



Gary Nosek-Walnut Bark-Epoxy & None

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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



Harold Rosauer-Cherry Burl & Blackwood-SB



Tom Mills-Maple-Poly-S&T



Roland Massow-Walnut & Cherry-Varnish

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Paul Rohrbacher



Stacy Nehl-Basswood-Poly



Bruce Kruse-Spalted maple-Tung Oil-S&T



David Kesler-Walnut-Buffered-POM



Ron Luckerth



Greg Ellyson-Maple-Wax-POM

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Ben Fiedler-Catalpa-Shine Juice-S&T



Jeremy Hansen-Spalted maple-WOP-



Greg Ellyson-Maple-Wax-POM



Dean Sherman-Boxelder-Lacquer

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Roland Massow-Walnut & Tulip-Sanding Sealer



Bruce Kruse-Cottonwood-BLO-S&T

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Jeff Kromminga-FOG-WOP-S&T

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.



David Kesler-Walnut & Flooring-Salad Bowl



Greg Ellyson-Maple- Wax-POM



The Help Corner

This month's Help Corner asks the question, where can I get help or questions answered? We have a number of new members and I thought this might be of help. We have a list of mentors on our website that are willing to help. You can go to corridorturners.org and find the list of mentors.

If there are any members that would be interested in becoming a mentor, please let me know. You can reach me at 319-310-0727 or email me at jksandor83@mchsi.com. Have a great week and happy and safe turning.



Tom Nehl-Ash-Poly-POM

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

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.