

WHO: Don Derry, Ellensburg Woodturner
WHAT: Hollow Turning Demonstration
WHERE: Rick Terney's home in Issaquah
WHEN: August 10, 2013 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

COST: \$35.00
pay at the door
or at meeting

This six-hour demonstration consists of a broad group of techniques exhibited with wit, humor and storytelling. The day may begin with a demonstration of how to turn a very delicate and extremely lightweight traditional style ornament with the lathe going backwards and tools so big that it will surprise even the most seasoned turner. Or he may chuck up a piece of fire wood and turn it into a thin wall hollow form master piece. Don has a broad-minded approach to the craft of wood turning and feels that no single turner's ideas or turning technique are correct for everybody. He proves this by showing and explaining how, he discovered, that by using objective self-observation, and asking oneself the proper questions a person may be lead to answers and techniques that are often contrary to establish tradition. He will demonstrate the state-of-the-art torque arresting hollowing tools he has developed and show that they are so easy to use that anyone can quickly learn the techniques and become a master hollow form turner. Don will also exhibit a way

to prepare a shear scraper that is so sharp you may never need sand paper again. Throughout the day, between flying wood chips and entertaining banter Don will be expressing his unique point view on the art world and what is needed for the craft of wood turning to blend seamlessly within it and why this is absolutely necessary for the health and longevity of our craft.

