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WOODTURNERS
SPSW

June 13, 2016

June - Roy Lane



This month's demonstrator is Roy Lane. You have all seen Roy's work at the monthly Show & Tell as well as at our Mini Symposiums. Roy is a master of the hollow form vessel. Roy has been turning for a long time and makes his own hollowing tools. This month he will share with us how he makes his hollowing tools as well as giving us pointers on just how to make hollow forms.

Roy's work is displayed at a couple of galleries in Tacoma. Partnering with his daughter, Stephany, he does some beautiful work.

Roy will also demonstrate how he makes the light thickness.

All said, it will be a very enjoyable evening.



he uses to check wall

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Save The Date

Next month on Sunday, July 24th is our Annual Picnic and Wood Auction.

Plan to attend. This is always a fun event and a chance to pick up some turning wood at a very good price.

Remember, this is a family event.

For those of you who have not yet looked, we have a presence on the internet. In addition to our website: <http://www.spswoodturners.org>, we also have a Wiki site: http://woodturningwiki.org/w/index.php?title=Main_Page and a YouTube channel. Go to YouTube.com and search SPSW and then click on SPSW Video Library. Last but not least we have a Facebook page: South Puget Sound Woodturners. Everyone needs to go to this page and like it.



Letter from the President



Members Shine in the Spring

Once again the compassion and caring attitudes of the members of the SPSW have given me something to brag about in this month's newsletter.

I first want to give a huge shout out to Steve and Carol Zandel. Their caring spirit and can do attitude showed that woodturning can change a person's life. Carol and Steve saw a need and found a way to help a friend overcome the challenges that were keeping her from getting back to turning on her lathe. Lydia's' emotional story was a vivid illustration of the kindness of the wonderful members that make up the SPSW.

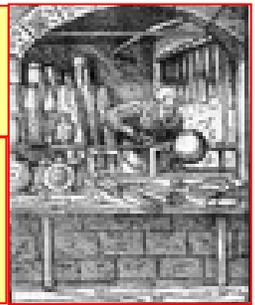
Another strong example of the kindness of our members came on a less than sunny Saturday in May when over a dozen members gathered together to do our annual Spring Clean-up at Nancy Sweazey's shop.

New members donned their rain gear alongside some of our long term members and enthusiastically plowed through the chores listed. A quick and thorough cleaning of Nancy's comfy shop combined with an assortment of yard chores that were rapidly crossed off, till all that was left to do was eat the pizza and you know that is one chore that I don't have much trouble with.

See you on the 16th.

Be safe, have fun, and make shavings.

Pat



SPSW 2016 Event Calendar

January 2016

21st - Membership Mtg
Dan Stromstad
23rd - Sawdust Session

26th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

February 2016

18th - Membership Mtg
Tammie Bachmeier
Harry Lincoln
20th - Sawdust Session
23rd - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

March 2016

17th - Membership Mtg
Eric Lofstrom
19th - Demo
29th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

April 2016

21st - Membership Mtg
Mini- Symposium
23rd - Sawdust Session
26th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

May 2016

19th - Membership Mtg
Kim Hoover
21st - Clean -up at Nancy's
31st - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

No Sawdust Session

June 2016

16th - Membership Mtg
Roy Lane
18th - Sawdust Session
28th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

July 2016

21st - Membership Mtg
23rd - Sawdust Session
24th - Annual Wood
Auction & Picnic
26th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

August 2016

18th - Membership Mtg
Jay Shepard
20th - Sawdust Session
30th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

September 2016

15th - Membership Mtg
Mini Symposium
17th - Sawdust Session

27th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

October 2016

20th - Membership Mtg
22nd - Sawdust Session
25th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

November 2016

17th - Membership Mtg
19th - Sawdust Session
29th - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

December 2016

15th - **Holiday Mtg**
No Sawdust Session
Jan 3rd - Board Mtg
Pat McCart's

No Sawdust Session this month

Upcoming national & international events courtesy of Fred Holder and More Woodturning

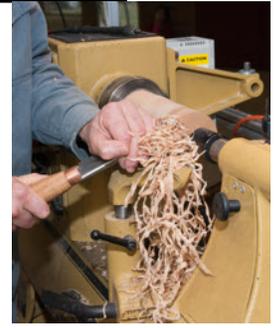
This Month at a Glance

- Membership Mtg. - June 16th (Thur.) 6:00 - 9:15 pm at Fife Senior Center
- Sawdust Session - June 18th (Sat.) 10:00
- Board Mtg. - June 28th (Tue.) 7:00 - 8:30 pm at Pat McCart's, members welcome (RSVP to Pat McCart)



Pictures from May Meeting

Photos by Fred Abeles: For additional Club photos by Fred please go to <http://avoided-artist.smugmug.com/Woodworking>



I am sorry about the shortage of pictures this month. My software just crashed. You can see the balance of the pictures on the site listed above or perhaps on our website.

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Please note: Hyperlinks do not work. For more information go to

<http://www.woodturnersofolympia.org/symposium-2016.html>



Announcements

Are you a new member or visiting our club for the first time?

We are glad you are here and want to welcome you to our general membership meeting. **Please introduce yourself to an officer or mentor so we can welcome you.**

Need help with a splintering question?

Contact one of our "MENTORS". These club members have stepped up and would like to use their knowledge and expertise to help other turners with their questions. If these turners aren't able to answer your question, they will do their best to help you find a solution.

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- **SEATTLE AAW MEMBERSHIP MEETING** – 2nd Thursday of each month, VFW Hall, 4330 148th Ave NE, Redmond, WA 98052
- **OLYMPIA AAW MEMBERSHIP MEETING** – 4th Thursday of each month, Thurston County Fairgrounds
- • The South Puget Sound Woodturners now has a club policy for harvesting wood as a club function. We also have a Wood Rat - Jerre Griffin. You can contact Jerre at jgriffin@centurytel.net

MORE WOODTURNING

The magazine for turners. Published electronically 10 times a year by Dennis Daudelin. One yr: \$25.00; Two yrs: \$50.00; Three yrs \$75.00. Effective immediately More Woodturning is published only electronically at: www.morewoodturning.net Lots of great information for your browsing pleasure.

More Woodturning Magazine

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We are collecting 2016 dues. Dues for the whole family are \$35. We accept cash, check, credit card, and PayPal. This is still one of the best deals around. For this, you get a monthly meeting featuring top notch presenters, an avenue to display your talents, and a forum to seek advice and ask questions. You have access to a group of mentors who can help you improve your skills. Also, there is a monthly open turning session (Sawdust Session) on the Saturday following the meeting. Use the membership application below or pay at the meeting.

And now a new way to pay. Go to our website, fill out the form, and pay with PayPal.

We now also have the option for you to join, renew, purchase supplies or just donate (we are a registered 501(c)(3) non-profit) using Square. You can use your Visa®, Mastercard®, American Express®, Discover® or debit card.

Now is also a good time to sign up for the American Association of Woodturners (AAW). Annual memberships in the AAW operate on an anniversary cycle, whereby your membership will start with your join date and continue for one year.

If your level of membership includes a printed copy of the American Woodturner journal, you will receive six issues starting with the issue published after your join or renew date.

See <http://www.woodturner.org/org/mbrship/index.htm> for the various levels of membership.

South Puget Sound Woodturners (SPSW)

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Woodturning interests: Spindle turning _____ Bowls _____ Vases _____

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