

# DAW NEWSLETTER

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Next DAW Meeting at 7:00 pm at WoodWorld on Thursday, January 18

# **Club Meeting Demonstration**

This month's demo by Tod Raines is a spindle turning of a small bud vase. Sometimes called a weed pot but this smaller vase has a unique feature. At about 4.25" tall and 1.75" wide it is simple and quick to turn, and they make a great gift. They also allow for experimenting with different woods and finishes. Add some color or pyrography or both. Very few tools are needed for this project – typically just a skew, spindle gouge and parting tool.

Happy turning.



# **Pay on Line for Dues**

2018 club dues can be paid January club meeting. However, you can avoid the Treasurer lines at club meetings by paying on line. Here is the link: <a href="https://squareup.com/store/DallasAreaWoodturners/">https://squareup.com/store/DallasAreaWoodturners/</a>

## **DAW Membership by Mark Montgomery**

So far, 62 membership dues have been paid for 2018 in October. The membership dues are part of what makes possible having things like having a great audio-visual system, new books, magazines & videos in the library, lathes & support tools for open shop and classes, and bringing in guest presenters and instructors. Also, your membership gives you discounts at our local woodworking stores; these discounts will not be available to you in 2018 until you have paid your 2018 dues to receive your new membership card.

## **DAW Library News by Mark Montgomery**

All the older SWAT and DAW club demo VHS videos have now been converted to DVDs and are available for checkout. Many of these videos are surprisingly good, and it is fun to see people we know doing demonstrations from 15 or more years ago; that's over 220 new videos.

Also, the following books & videos have been purchased and added to the library:

**Books:** Turned Boxes - 40 Inspiring Boxes by Experts; Turning Natural Edge Bowls (Bernard Hohlfeld); Woodturing Jewelry (Hilary Bowen); Rude Osolnik - A Life Turning Wood; Turning Bowls & Platters; Making and Using Turning Tools; Sharpening Woodturning Tools; Turning Bowls (Richard Raffan); The Complete Pyrography;

Videos: Traditional Irish Platter (Glenn Lucas); Dublin Viking Bowl (Glenn Lucas); McNaughton Center Saver Revised Edition (Mike Mahoney); Woodturning Christmas Ornaments vol 5 (Rex & Kip); Lessons in Segmented Turning vol 7 - Jewelry (Malcolm Tibbetts); Lessons in Segmented Turning vol 8 - Furnishings (Malcolm Tibbetts); Turning for Food (Nick Cook); Turning for Fun and Profit (Nick Cook); Turned Bowls Made Easy (Bill Grumbine); Bowl Turning (John Jordan); Hollow Turning (John Jordan); Get Turning! 4 Beginner's Projects (Tim Yoder); Turning Bowls (Richard Raffan); Build Elegant Wooden Kaleidoscopes (James Duxbury); Spiraling into Control (Jeff Salter); Myron Curtis - Architectural Woodturner & Teacher; An Introduction to Bowl Turning (Rus Hurt); Ray Huskey, A Turning Tradition; Turning Projects from Scrap w/ Bob Rosand; skill Building Projects w/ Mark St. Leger; David Ellsworth, The Spirit of Woodturing; William Hunter, Innovator / Sculptor; Dale Nish, The Woodturner's Mentor; Rude Osolnik, Dean of American Woodturners; Woodturning Projects vol 3 (Rex & Kip); Woodturning Christmas Ornaments vol 6 (Rex & Kip);

Library listings are posted on our website for you to look up the books, magazines, and videos prior to our club meeting. There are listing alphabetically by author and title for each category of media.

# **Empty Bowls and Beads of Courage by Lou Boudreaux**

Forty-Four Beads of Courage boxes from DAW members were given to seriously ill kids at Children's Hospital in time for Christmas. So far this year members have donated 49 BoC boxes, so it looks like we will surpass the DAW goal for the year of 50 Boxes; in addition, we collected 12 boxes from non-members. The DAW Board has approved a BoC Kit Program for 2018. Members who are interested in building a BoC Kit should contact Lou Boudreaux at <a href="mailto:louboudreaux@att.net">louboudreaux@att.net</a>. See Lou at the meeting for Beads of Courage disks to put on box lids. Our Beads of Courage and Empty Bowls results are shown in the table below.

So far members have donated only 102 bowls toward the current DAW goal of 300 Empty Bowls. We only have January and February meetings before the Empty Bowls event. Hopefully, everyone will make a push to turn some Empty Bowls so we can meet our goal for this worthy cause. David Cramer who is responsible for collecting and organizing all the items for Empty Bowls will be at our January meeting to brief our members on this North Texas Food Bank program and review prior year results.

Empty Bowls Members		Beads of Courage Members	
Lou Boudreaux	28	Lou Boudreaux	13
Dennis Stuekerjuergen	15	Bob Fleming	14
Dave Young	12	Dale King	3
Roger Smith	12	Doug Cooley	3
Bill Wilkinson	7	Darrell Miler	2
Mike Boyle	6	John Ward	2
Darrell Miller	5	John Hadsall	2
John Holderman	3	Alan Gage	2
John Hadsall	3	Ron Johnson	2
Don Chesser	3	John Holderman	1
L & M	2	Don Shephard	1
Dale King	2	Jeff Edwards	1
Jeff Edwards	1	Charlie Tucker	1
Henry Pennell	1	Michael Boyle	1
Mike Miller	1	Sue Boyle	1
		Total from	
unknown	1	Members:	49
<b>Total from Members</b>	102	Non-Members	
		Marvin Cade	9
		Clint Stephens	1

## **DAW Website by Ken Rodgers**

The club Website is found at: <a href="http://www.dallaswoodturners.com">http://www.dallaswoodturners.com</a>
Most of the material on the Website is available without logging on. Only the membership section is reserved for logged on members. If you are having difficulty logging, on contact me

at: krodg505@tx.rr.com .

The Website has a large photo gallery. Members can email me for instructions on how to start your own gallery for your turning photos.

## **DAW Turning Demos on YouTube**

We have our own YouTube library that was started last year. Here is the link:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCBZiNA6AU3QrBRX47k4GDAg

# **Open Shop**

Spindle turning will be featured at the January 21 Open Shop. It will also be a good time to work on Empty Bowls and provide answers to your wood turning questions

#### Find Us On Facebook



Do you want to stay in contact with all the Wood Turners in the Club? Do you want to show off your recent work? Do you have a question that you need to ask a fellow turner? Now you can!! Just search Dallas Area Woodturners on Facebook and become a fan today! Also if you have photos you want to be posted just forward them to Chefdavidyoung@gmail.com!

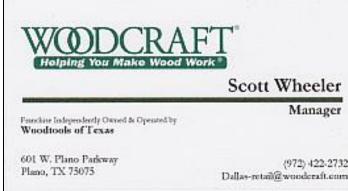
#### **AnchorSeal**

The club has a good supply of Anchorseal, used to seal the endgrain of green wood. The price is \$18 but you can only buy it at club meetings. Please do **not** expect the WoodWorld folks to sell you Anchorseal.

#### **Club Supporters**

These businesses shown below are regular supporters by providing meeting space, donations, selling raffle prizes to the club at cost. Please show your appreciation by frequenting them.









The Dallas Area Woodturners (DAW) recognizes certain activities performed by members of the American Association of Woodturners at the shop of any club member, as being sponsored by DAW. This sponsorship is intended to apply to any activities or undertakings addressed in the monthly DAW newsletters, on the DAW website or at DAW monthly meetings or communicated to members of DAW and include, but not limited to, activities taking place at any location.

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