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Next DAW Meeting at 7:00 pm at WoodWorld on Thursday, April 19

April Club Meeting Program

The demonstration for April will be Jimmie Arledge on Spindle Turning.

Future DAW Programs

May: Triple Decker Round Robin (topics to be determined, any ideas?)

June: Dr John Blatman, topic to be revealed later

July: Rudy Lopez; See the handout to be sent along with this newsletter and posted on the Website Newsletter page. Presently, the fee for each class will be \$100.

Thoughts from the President

The year is almost a third over, and we are in need of Empty Bowls again. As you may remember, we sorely missed our goal last year. I am asking each member to turn in at least one bowl before June 2018. If you need help, come to Open Shop and we will have other members available to assist. I know we can do this.

We are always looking for ideas on class topics, demonstrators (local, regional and national), areas of interest, etc. Let us know your ideas.

Remember to bring your creations to the meeting for Show and Tell. Sharing your projects is another way to inspire other members. Also, remember to let us know if you are willing to donate your project to the SWAT 2 for 1 raffle contest. We are looking forward to seeing what you have done. Happy turning! Henry

May 5th – May 5th – May 5th – May 5th – May 5th

The next Ladies Lathe is scheduled for
Saturday, May 5th, from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm at Wood World!

IT'S KETCHUP DAY!!!



Join me for an open forum Ladies Lathe Day so you can “Ketchup” on the projects that are half finished, nearly finished, or not quite started!

Small bowl blanks, medium bowl blanks, medium platter blanks, and a mixture of spindle blanks will be available for purchase at cost if you don't have something already in progress. Finishing options including wood burning, dyes, creams, waxes, lacquer and more will be available, so you can experiment to your heart's delight.

I will be available to demo past projects we've done in case you want to Ketchup on any Saturdays you may have missed.

Remember your safety equipment, park in the back of the store, and call or text me if you have questions!

Bring your tools – we can also work on sharpening techniques.
Carbide and Traditional tools are welcome.

LADIES - LET'S MAKE SOME SAWDUST!

Sue Boyle ♦ Ladies Liaison ♦ 719-661-0723 (cell)

July Training Classes by Rudy Lopez

In addition to providing our July meeting demo, Rudy will provide hands-on classes at WoodWorld on the following Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. The descriptions of these class days are included within the email that provides your copy of this Newsletter. They are also posted on the Website Newsletter page. Members can sign up for these classes on the Homepage link:

<https://squareup.com/store/DallasAreaWoodturners/>

Pay Online 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: <https://squareup.com/store/DallasAreaWoodturners/>

DAW Turning Demos on YouTube

We have our own YouTube library that was started last year. We currently have grown from over 600 to 750 subscribers to our channel in the last month. Here is the link:

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

Empty Bowls and Beads of Courage by Lou Boudreaux

10 Empty Bowls were donated at our March meeting. 37 Beads of Courage boxes were submitted in March; 25 of those boxes were contributed by Marvin Cade of the East Texas Woodturners. Now is the time for our members to start working toward the 2018 DAW Goal of 300 Empty Bowls and 50 Beads of Courage boxes, especially now that the weather is so nice.

Forty-Seven Beads of Courage boxes were delivered to Children's Hospital in time for distribution to the kids just before Easter. Hopefully our boxes provided additional cheer for some seriously ill children.

The North Texas Food Bank Empty Bowls Event was a big success. The food bank will be able to provide almost half million meals with the \$165K raised in March. The silent auction, where many DAW bowls were represented raised \$6909. Thanks to everyone who contributed bowls this year, Empty Bowls would not be possible without the bowls we and the potters provide.

The DAW sponsored BoC kits were distributed on March 24. The few members who requested a kit but were not able to pick them up can get them at the April meeting, see Lou Boudreaux. Two kits are still available for adoption. See Lou for Beads of Courage disks to put in box lids.

DAW Membership by Mark Montgomery S

So far, 151 membership dues have been paid for 2018. 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. Also, current membership is required to check any items out of our extensive woodturning library.

DAW Library by Mark Montgomery

Our library contains nearly 1500 different books, magazines, and videos. Library listings are posted on our website for you to look up the books, magazines, and videos you are interested in prior to our club meeting. There are listings alphabetically by author and title for each type of media.

The March and April issues of Woodturning magazine have been received are now in the library along with last month's off-center lidded box demonstration.

If there are additional books or videos you wish to see in our library, just let us know and we can order them.

Open Shop

The April 21 Open Shop at WoodWorld will be unstructured as well as provide a good chance to get answers to your wood turning questions.

DAW Website by Ken Rodgers

The club Website is found at: <http://www.dallaswoodturners.com>

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.

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 from our treasurer, Tod Raines. Please do **not** expect the WoodWorld folks to sell you Anchorseal.

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