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

July Club Meeting Program

Our guest instructor, Rudy Lopez will be our demonstrator this month. We need to fastrack the first part of the meeting to allow Rudy plenty of time for his demo.

Thoughts from the President

The heat is on, and it is becoming more difficult for me (and some of you as well), to work out in our shops. A couple of alternatives could be Open Shop (although we do not have one this month) or taking one of Rudy Lopez's classes at Wood World. It is a great opportunity to enhance your woodturning skills, and get some turning done in relative comfort.

Second, a note about Empty Bowls. So far this year, we have received bowls from seven (7) members. I know we can do better! This is a great program and deserves our continued support.

Also remember that SWAT is coming up on August 24, 25 and 26. Dallas Area Woodturners is one of 27 area clubs that supports this symposium. If you have not already done so, make your reservations. If any of you are willing to volunteer a couple hours of your time, Ken can use some helpers in our sponsored (Ranger) room, and SWAT needs more people to help. Your participation will greatly enhance all the programs.

Finally, please remember to support the businesses that support your club:

Wood World

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Happy turning! -- Henry

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 posted on the Website Newsletter page. There are still a couple of openings on the Friday and Sunday classes. Members can sign up for these classes on the Homepage link: <https://squareup.com/store/DallasAreaWoodturners/>

Lady Turners News

Another successful Ladies Lathe Day!

The DAW Lady Turners did a great job in June stretching their experience level by exploring the challenges of off-center turning combined with hollowing. The slotted tea light candle holders allowed the light to shine right through. Normally you don't want to see light coming through your vessel, but in this case, we could actually say "*we meant to do that!*"

I've been asked several times if men could join the group if they wore a pink tutu ... how could I possibly say "no" when this brave club member volunteered to help set up the lathes early Saturday morning for us!?!



I apologize that I did not get pictures of all the finished products, but hats off to Ginny, Jan, Lauren, and Susan for trying something new! I challenge you to practice this project – it would make a fabulous donation for the Christmas Party.

The next Ladies Lathe Day is scheduled for August 18th

Mark those calendars and look for the detailed information in email!!!

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Future Club Demos

August 16: Charly Phillips will demonstrate basket-weave beading.

S.W.A. T 2018

August 24 to 26: Southwest Association of Turners (S.W.A.T.). Demos in the Waco Convention Center. The Ranger room is sponsored by DAW. **We will be needing volunteers from DAW to help manage the Ranger room activities.** As usual, we will strive to have the best Audio/Video of the entire symposium. See the schedule at the link below:

WWW.swaturners.org

Empty Bowls and Beads of Courage by Lou Boudreaux

DAW members donated 58 Empty Bowls at our June meeting, with John Holderman and Bill Wilkinson contributing 47 bowls. Our Empty Bowls total for 2018 is 81; up considerably from last month. However, participation is still very low with only seven members providing all the bowls to date. Seven Beads of Courage boxes were submitted at the June meeting, bring the club total for 2018 to 47. We should easily surpass our 60 box goal when the remaining 2018 BoC kits are completed. Empty Bowls and Beads of Courage results and contributors for are shown below.

Empty Bowls		Beads of Courage	
Members		Members	
John Holderman	34	Bob Fleming	26
Lou Boudreaux	21	Lou Boudreaux	11
Bill Wilkinson	13	Dale King	3
J. Sanders	4	John Holderman	2
Jon Searles	4	Tom Crosby	2
Henry Pennell	3	Jon Searles	2
Dennis Stuekerjuergen	2	Mark Duval	1
Total from Members	81	Total from Members:	47
2018 DAW Goal - 300 Bowls		2018 DAW Goal - 60 Boxes	
		Non-Members	
		Marvin Cade	25
		Total for Non-Members	25
		BoC Total	72

Thirty-Four boxes were provided to seriously ill kids at Children's Hospital in June for them to keep their Beads of Courage. Ten of the 2018 DAW BoC kits have been completed. If anyone has questions or problems with their kits, contact Lou Boudreaux, louboudreaux@att.net. Also contact Lou if you would like to adopt a BoC kit or need disks to put in box lids.

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.

Pay Online for Dues

If you have not paid your 2018 dues you will no longer be able to check out items from the DAW Library and will not have access to the Membership Roster part of our Webpage. However, you can avoid the Treasurer lines at club meetings by paying on line. Here is the link: <https://squareup.com/store/DallasAreaWoodturners/>

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@att.net .

The Website has a large photo gallery. Members can email me for instructions on how to start your own gallery for your turning photos. Note: The members gallery looks totally different as the underlying software had become obsolete and we had to have it updated. We are starting an effort to redesign the DAW Website before any of the rest it becomes obsolete!

DAW Turning Demos on YouTube

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


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

Lest We Forget

Be sure to thank the management and employees at WoodWorld for their support of our club.

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