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Salt Box

Written by Larry Cooper
Photos by Larry Cooper

April's challenge is to make a salt box. Salt boxes are prized by good cooks everywhere. The desired size is a small, compact container that fits easily on any kitchen counter.



Our own Richard Spencer demonstrated how to turn one of these little kitchen gems. The tricky part is getting the lid flat and thin enough to be supported by the magnetic pivot. The inside should be big enough for the cook to get a pinch of salt. Sea salt is the preferred condiment for these attractive little containers. Very entertaining demo, Thanks Richard.

Monthly Challenge

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One of the main goals of the Inland Woodturners is to educate and inspire its members in the art of wood turning. Each month a member or a guest instructor will lead a presentation or a demonstration related to the art of wood turning. The following month's challenge is loosely based on the presentation; all members of the club are challenged to take what they learned and use it. We realize everyone does not have the same tools and equipment; challenges are designed with that in mind. If the demonstration is a full size platter and you only have a mini lathe, your challenge is to make a smaller platter using the same basic shape. If the challenge requires a special tool you do not own or want to own you may be able to take your project to another club member's workshop and/or borrow the needed tool. If you meet the monthly challenge, and present your challenge piece to the club at the next meeting, you will be entered in the drawing for a \$25 gift certificate from Craft Supplies USA. If you meet all 12 Challenges for the year you will be eligible for the Ironman year end award.

Wood Raffle

One of the ways this club covers expenses is the monthly wood raffle. Members are encouraged to bring a chunk of wood or two for the raffle. Raffle tickets are a buck each or six for five dollars. Some of our best work has been done with raffle wood, part of the fun is figuring out what you can make from a piece of raffle wood.

Show and Tell

Each meeting everyone in attendance is given an opportunity to show work other than the monthly challenge. Items in show and tell should meet the following guidelines.

1. Something you made yourself out of wood even if it was not on a lathe.
2. Something you crafted yourself using your lathe, but not necessarily out of wood, it could have been made out of acrylic, plastic, deer antlers etc.
3. A specialized tool or jig you made or purchased for use in your workshop, that you feel the members of the club would be interested in.

If you present a show and tell item you will be entered in a drawing for a \$10 gift certificate at Craft Supplies USA.

Square Edge Bowls



Woodturning Classes

Written by Larry Cooper

One of the goals of the AAW and the Inland Woodturners is to improve the turning skill of our members.

Our monthly meeting includes a demonstration and challenge to expand and improve every member's skills. The club also arranges for professional turners to demonstrate and teach in small hands on classes. Some of us may want to pursue more structure and individual instruction. To help those so inclined, I have assembled a small list of local Turning Classes. The list is by no means complete and I need your help in completing the list. Please email me the name and website of any local school that you know of.

Jimmy Clewes

Las Vegas, Nevada

<http://www.jimmyclewes.com>

William Ng Woodworking

Anaheim, California

<http://wnwoodworkingschool.com/>

Cerritos College

Norwalk, California

<http://cms.cerritos.edu/woodworking/>

Woodcraft

Stanton, California

<http://www.woodcraft.com/stores/store.aspx?id=553&page=home>

The Woodturners Catalog

Provo, Utah

<http://www.woodturnerscatalog.com/Sales/4>

Palomar College

San Marcos, California

<http://www.palomar.edu/woodworking/maps.htm>

Victor Valley College

Victorville, California

<http://www.vvc.edu/>

Upcoming Events

MAY

Sunday the 19th at Goeske center from 1:00pm to ~ 4:30pm

Demo of making a Pepper mill by Jim Sciolla. If you think Jim is entertaining as our IWT president, you need to see him as a presenter.

Saturday the 18th, IWT Rockler Turning Demo, Ontario store 9:00am to ~ 2:00pm

Utah Woodturning Symposium

May 16-18, 2013

The 2013 Demonstrators include: Nick Arnull, Mark Baker, Clinton Biggs, Kip Christensen, Andy Cole, David Drescher, J Paul Fennell, Cynthia Gibson, Steve Hagen, Mick Hanbury, Tim Heil, Joe Herrmann, Kurt Hertzog, Alan Lacer, Mary Lacer, Dennis Liggett, Mike Mahoney, Dale Nish, Jerry Sambrook, Mark Supik, John Wessels, and Vic Wood

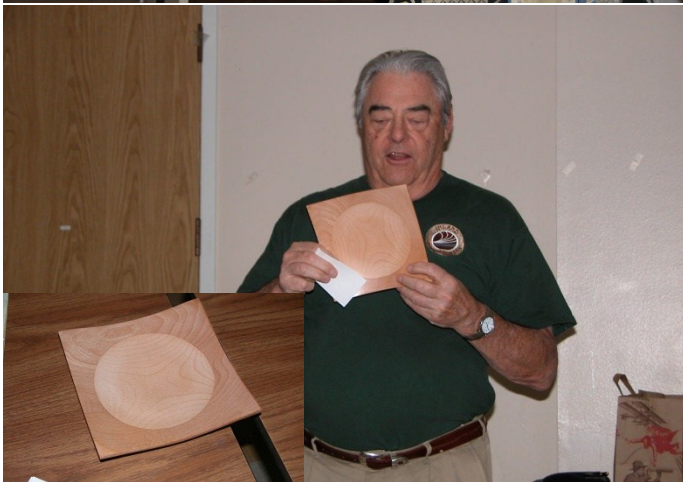
AAW Woodturning Symposium

June 28-30

Join us for the 27th international symposium, to be held at the Tampa Convention Center, Tampa FL, June 28-30.

For a full list of demos, check out the IWT website.

Square Edge Bowls



Challenge / Show & Tell Forms

Below are copies of the Challenge / Show and Tell forms. If you find yourself having to borrow a pen, struggling to remember the type of wood or finish used on your project at the meeting, then print out this page and fill in the forms in the convenience of your own home.

We will still have forms at the meeting as well.

Please remember to circle if the form is for the Challenge or for the Show and Tell. It makes my life a lot easier.

INLAND WOODTURNERS

Challenge / Show & Tell Form
(please circle one)

Month: _____

Name of Turner: _____

Description of Piece: _____

Type(s) of Wood used: _____

Finish used: _____

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Square Edge Bowls



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Iron Man Challenge 2013



	<i>None</i>	<i>Candle Stick Holder</i>	<i>Square edge bowl</i>	<i>Salt box</i>	<i>Pep- permill</i>						
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Gary Bingham		X	X								
Tim Boyer		X									
Lee Bugbee		X									
Larry Cooper		X	X								
Tiffany Engeman		X	X								
Jim Gross		X	X								
Dave Holzberger		X	X								
Glenn Honeycutt		X									
Brad Joplin		X	X								
Dan Kaplanek		X									
Robert Love		X	X								
Darrell Luthy		X	X								

Iron man Challenge Criteria

Your wood turning must meet the requirements for that particular Challenge. It must be timely, done or at least completed after the demonstration and turned in within two months. You must fill out the challenge questionnaire, and present it to the group.

Iron Man Challenge 2013



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	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Dave Morgan		X	X								
Doug Meyer		X									
Bob Nay		X									
Tom Perkins		X	X								
Jim Powell		X									
Eldon Richey		X	X								
Ron Sahli		X	X								
Jim Sciolla		X	X								
Nick Smith		X	X								
Bill Shova		X	X								
Jim Thompson		X									
Greg Blocher			X								

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Demonstrator Profile



Richard Spencer did the demonstration for us this month, showing how to make a salt box. Richard has been turning for about three years. He lives in Hesperia, California. He is currently teaching woodworking classes at Victorville College.

Newsletter Editor's Notes

As always I am looking forward to your comments, suggestions, and criticisms. They are all welcome.

I encourage all of you to submit an article to be included in the newsletter.

If you have any ideas for suggestion, please email me at larry-cooper2@gmail.com or call me at 562-225-1622.



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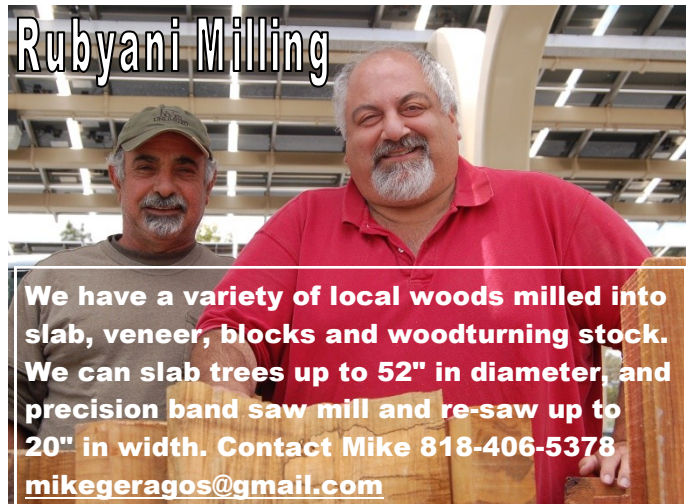
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Show and Tell



Show and Tell



Iron Man Challenge 2013 (Cont)



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Glenn Grainger			X								
Darrel Harris		X	X								
Richard Spencer		X	X								

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