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Natural Edge Bowl

Written by Larry Cooper
Photos by Larry Cooper

The demonstration this month was presented by our own Dave Holzberger. Dave prefers to use green wood for these bowls. He had prepared a blank by drilling a mounting point on the bark side of the blank. He mounted the bark side toward the head stock on a spur drive. With the piece between centers, he shaped the outside of the bowl. When the shape was pretty close to what he wanted, he cut a tennon on the bottom of the bowl and turned the piece over. He mounted the tennon in the chuck and turned away the inside of the bowl, leaving the bark on the outer edge. The piece is ready for sanding.

Once sanded, you can turn the bowl over again and mount it to a friction drive and turn away the tennon to finish it off. Great demo Dave, Thanks!

Monthly Challenge

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.

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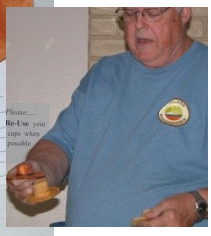
Challenge

INLAND WOODTURNERS
Challenge / Show & Tell Form
Name of Turner: Jim Sawyer
Description of Piece: Hat
Type(s) of Wood used: Poplar
Finish used: Lacquer

Name of Turner: Richard
Description of Piece: Sewh
Type(s) of Wood used: Asp
Finish used: None

INLAND WOODTURNERS
Challenge / Show & Tell Form
Month: March
Name of Turner: Nick Smith
Description of Piece: 8 Hats
Type(s) of Wood used: DWK
Finish used: Shellac



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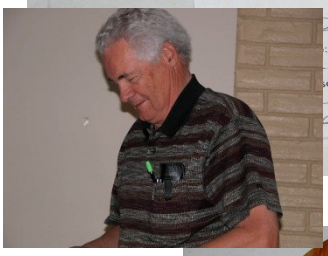

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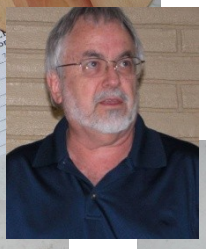
Challenge / Show & Tell Form
Name of Turner: Elden Riley
Description of Piece: Mini Hat
Type(s) of Wood used: ?
Finish used: Walnut Oil



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

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http://wnwoodworkingschool.com/

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

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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

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

AAW Symposium Phoenix AZ

June 13 –15

More info at:

http://woodturner.org/sym/sym2014/index.htm

Challenge

Written by Larry Cooper, Photos by Larry Cooper

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 cirlcle one)

Month: _____

Name of Turner: _____

Description of Piece: _____

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Type(s) of Wood used: _____

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Finish used: _____

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Iron Man Challenge 2014

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	Feb	**Mar**	**Apr**	**May**	**Jul**	**Aug**	**Sep**	**Oct**	**Nov**	**Dec**	**Jan**
Tim Boyer	X	X									
Larry Cooper	X	X									
Glenn Grainger	X	X									
Jim Gross	X	X									
Glenn Grainger	X	X									
Darrell Luthy	X	X									
Richard MacHott	X	X									
Tom Perkins	X	X									
Eldon Richy	X	X									
Jim Sciolla	X	X									
Nick Smith	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.

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Brian Willianson	**X**	**X**									

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Demonstrator Profile

Dave Holzberger has been turning for over 15 years and is an active member of the club contributing his skills and sharing his knowledge with all of us. He makes his home in Alta Loma and is retired.

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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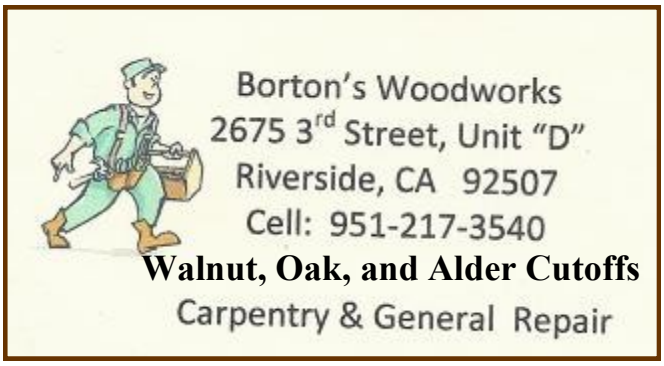

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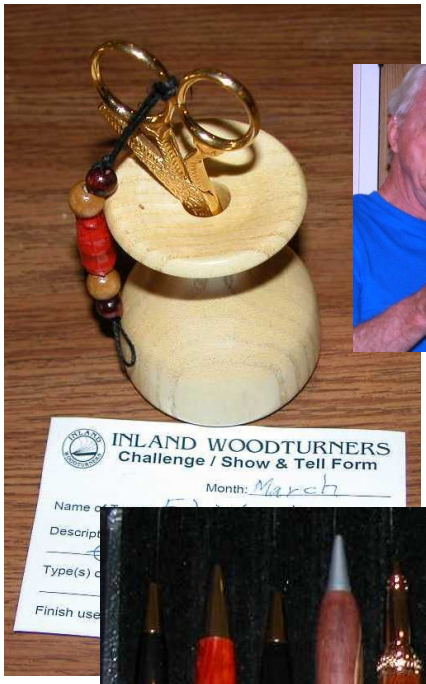

Special Presentation

Jim Sciolla was presented with a special thank you for his years of service as the club president. This commemorative platter was turned by Jim Gross and finished by Dave Holzberger. Our current president, Ron Sahli, had it engraved. Thanks for every thing Jim.