



BayLake Woodturners

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Upcoming Events

FEB 15 BayLake Monthly Meeting 9:00 AM

Darren Throop - Small Lidded Box

March 14 BayLake Monthly Meeting 9:00 AM

March 21 & 22 Woodworkers Guild Show
Southwest High School 9:30 am to 4:00 pm

April 18 BayLake Monthly Meeting 9:00 AM

May 16 BayLake Monthly Meeting 9:00 AM

June 20 BayLake Monthly Meeting 9:00 AM

Last Meeting of the Year

Symposiums

AAW 2020 Symposium — June 4 to June 7, 2020

Louisville, Kentucky Registration Required <https://www.woodturner.org/page/2020Louisville>

Turn on Chicago 2020 Symposium — July 24 to July 26, 2020 — New Venue

Crowne Plaza Northbrook, Illinois Registration Required <https://www.chicagowoodturners.com/toc-2018/>



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President Letter

By: Tim Harteau

Hello Turning Friends,

Like many of you, I am primarily self-taught. I have been a woodworker most of my life and was introduced to the lathe in high school shop class. Thirty years later, I was encouraged to try turning again and my interest grew. I picked up a lathe and a couple of books and started "playing". Soon after I found YouTube, the newly forming Bay Lake Woodturners club and AAW. Boom! The learning kicked into overdrive. In a very short time period, I was exposed to a large group of people with woodturning interests yet this same group has a wide variety of backgrounds, experiences and objectives.

Why are we members of AAW and BLW's? The common thread is woodturning but then the reasons vary. Many of us want to meet with others to discuss our projects. Some like to talk about tools and how they approached the latest challenges. However, I feel most of us are here to experience woodturning through learning and sharing the craft.

This brings me to February 2020. I started my first woodturning class at the NWTC Artisan Center this month. The idea of formal learning has been rolling around in my head for some time and my calendar aligned perfectly with the winter class schedule. I'm going to school again!

On the first day of class I was excited to see that half of the students are current members of our BLW Club! The classroom was full and after introductions, class project reviews and shop safety rules the chips started flying. I've completed my first week and already improved my use of tools and expanded my turning knowledge. The instructor's guidance and the dedicated classroom time is allowing me to focus on areas of turning that I have not experienced while working alone. Who would have thought school would be so fun.

See ya Saturday!

Weather Cancellation

Our January meeting was cancelled due to the bad weather and road conditions. In the event that we see bad weather coming I will send out a heads up e-mail to everyone notifying you that we may have to cancel our monthly meeting. You will then receive an e-mail early on Saturday to let you know if the meeting is on or off. On these bad days please check your e-mail before coming to the Artisan Center. We would rather have everyone safe at home than to try and risk driving in the bad weather.

Due to the cancellation of the January meeting Darren Throop will do his demonstration on a small lidded box this month.



Mark Your Calendar

Our March meeting will be held one week earlier on March 14, 2020. This is due to the Northeast Wisconsin Woodworker's Guild Show on March 21-22, 2020 at Southwest High School. By moving our meeting date ahead a week all of our members will be able to attend or participate in the Guild's Spring Show. The event and parking is free and there will be other wood items such as carvings, intarsia, boat building and more. To find more information about the Northeast Woodworker's Guild Show go to: <https://newwg.org/>

Turn-on! Chicago 2020

Turn-on! Chicago 2020 will be held at a new venue, Crowne Plaza Chicago in Northbrook, Illinois on July 24-26, 2020. Go to www.turnonchicago.com to learn more about the event and how to fill out a registration form. On Saturday evening before the banquet Kelly Bresnahan and three visitors from Kenya will be giving a presentation, called Woodturning in Kenya, on our pedal power lathe and how woodturning has impacted their lives.

Turn-on! Chicago 2020

Crowne Plaza - Northbrook

July 24-26, 2020

Featured Demonstrators

Andy Cole	Cynthia Carden Gibson
Michael Hosaluk	Eric Lofstrom
Chris Ramsey	Avelino Samuel



Regional Demonstrators

Marie Anderson	Roberto Ferrer
Keith Lackner	Clint Stevens
Doug Thompson	Rob Wallace



12 demonstrators doing 49 rotations .
Tradeshow. Instant Gallery, Critique.
Saturday evening banquet and auction
Raffle.

Friday evening Pen turning event.

Event cost is ONLY \$250.

Single day/youth/spouse registrations are also available.

www.turnonchicago.com

AAW 2020 Symposium

June 4 to June 7, 2020

Louisville, Kentucky

The AAW 2020 Symposium will be held in Louisville, Kentucky at the Kentucky Exposition Center. At the symposium there will be a woodturning trade show, an instant gallery, exhibitions, auctions, demonstrations, panel discussion, and much more.

The demonstrators for this year are: Nick Agar, Michael Alguire, Stuart Batty, Simon Begg, Dixie Biggs, Michael Blankenship, Trent Bosch, Bruce Campbell, Pat Carroll, Jason Clark, Nick Cook, Rebecca DeGroot, Mick Hanbury, Kurt Hertzog, Michael Hosaluk, Janice Levi, Art Liestman, Tom Lohman, Pete Marken, JoHannes, Michelsen, Mark Palma, Doug Schneiter, Mark Sfirri, Dan Tilden, Craig Timmerman, John Underhill, Milly Winton, and Donna Zils Banfield.

To learn more about the symposium go to: <https://www.woodturner.org/page/2020Louisville> Registration is required.

Next year the AAW 2021 Symposium will be held in Omaha, Nebraska on July 15 - 18, 2021.

Parking in the Lot

If you park on the east side of the Artisan Center please pull up as close to the building as possible so we can park vehicles on both sides of this lot. There are other groups that are using the building during our meeting and we need to get several more cars in the lot. Thank You!

Gallery Photos

Due to the cancellation of our January Meeting there were no gallery photos.

Remember to check out our website at: www.baylakewoodturners.com

The AAW website is: <https://www.woodturner.org/>