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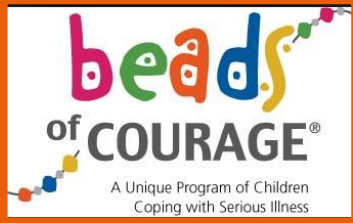
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Rhonda and Jay Schulz delivered 12 BOC boxes, 10 Bead Bags, 38 tops, 4 stuffed animals and 3 ball and cup toys to the Childrens' Hospital Hematology-Oncology Department

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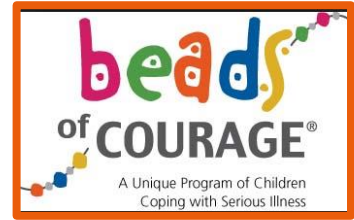
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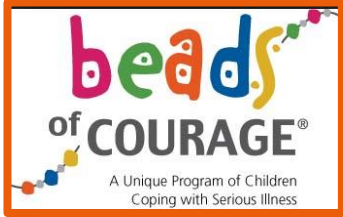


John & Nancy Suhreptz





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Kraig Brue

Ken Schwichtenberg



Steve Legvold



Mike Braml



Emmalise (an intern in the Mpls Childrens Child Life program)



Beads of Courage Boxes from the International Symposium in Portland, OR

These BoC boxes from the Int'l Symposium were donated to the AAW. Photographs by Jay Schulz & Mike Rohrer



Charline Stanton & Keowee Key Arts-Salem, SC



John Stiehler-Greer, SC



John Stiehler



Dan Osicka-Simpsonville, SC



Charles H.



Mike Selser-Auburn, CA



Beads of Courage Boxes from the International Symposium in Portland, OR (cont'd)



Dale Clark-Ketchikan, AK



Michael Lustig-Des Moines, IA



The Collective



Anonymous



Doyle Hogsed-Simpsonville, SC



Charles H., Rocketship,  
"To Infinity and Beyond"



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Steve Bonny-Cedar Rapids, IA

Charlie H.



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Doug Drury-Strathmore, Alberta, Canada



Beads of Courage Boxes from the International Symposium in Portland, OR (cont'd)



Doug Drury-Strathmore, Alberta, Canada



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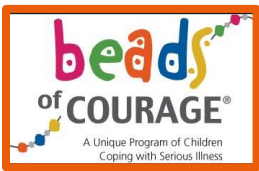


Tony Delgado-Greenville, SC



John Stiehler - Greer, SC





MWA  
Community Service

A big, big thank you to all the contributors to the MWA Community Service programs!

Remember folks, **EVERY** bead is a procedure these kids have gone through



We Love Mission Moments

*"Jude's beads of courage help us remember all that he has been through in his one year of life and how far he has come to overcome each obstacle. We are so thankful to have them."*



# Next Meeting – Aug 3

**Our next club meeting will be Aug 3, 2024. Details and ZOOM link will be posted next week. Our demonstrator will be Michael Kehs and Michael will be holding classes after the meeting and on Sunday, Aug 4th. There are, as of this email, 3 spots open for each class.**

**Remember our monthly challenge, something using epoxy or stabilized wood. Chris did a great demo at our June meeting.**





I want to die peacefully in my sleep like Grandpa,

**Not screaming in terror like his passengers!!**



# Instant Gallery – July

Because there was no MWA meeting in July, all members were requested to submit pieces



Linda Ferber



Gary Egbert



Black ash



Apple

Gary Egbert



Apple



Ash



# Instant Gallery (cont'd)



Lee Tourtelotte



Buckeye burl jewelry box



24" walnut, dyed blue ash w/ liming wax, black ash burl, blood wood, brass finial



Covid collaboration - Dick Zawacki and Lee Tourtelotte - "Bridge over TrouBurred Water". Red coolibah burl, bloodwood, carved swans



Greg Just



Walnut





# Instant Gallery (cont'd)



Cherry

Gary Egbert



White oak with India ink



Maple burl stabilized and turned on 2 axes, finished with wipe-on poly

Al Fletcher



Birch with inlaid ebony top



Butternut & walnut with purpleheart top

Al Fletcher



Honeycombed wood stabilized with different colored resins one at a time. Wood weighed 4 oz; finished piece weighs 4.7 lb.

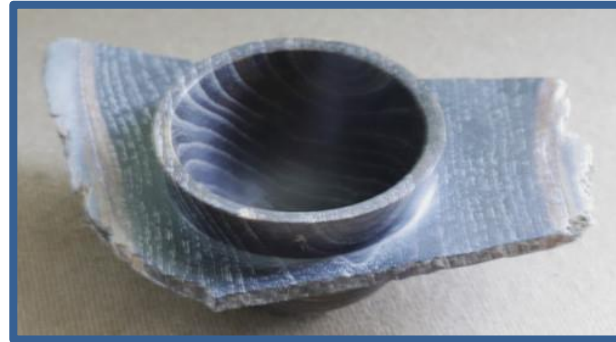


# Instant Gallery (cont'd)

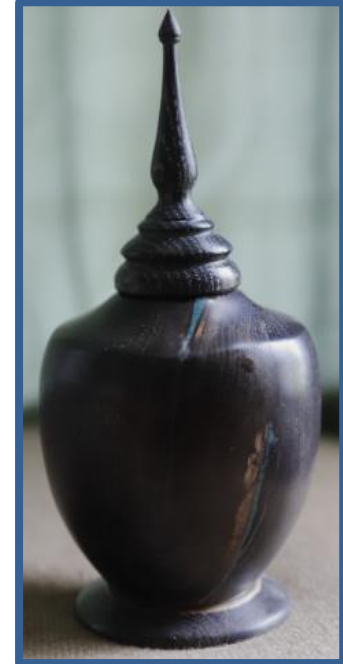
Jim Zangl



Elm with a collar, to help keep fingers out of the hole



Using ferric acetate to darken these wood scraps



This is a platter made from resin and cat fur. The little cat has cancer and this is something that will help us remember her.



# Instant Gallery (cont'd)



**Dr. Arden Griep**

MWA member, Dr. Arden Griep made this 24" high x 12" dia cremation urn for himself. He also made an exact duplicate for his wife, shortly before he died in 2021. Arden's wife, June, died within months after Arden passed.

Lee Tourtelotte submitted this piece for our membership to appreciate



# Instant Gallery (cont'd)

Jerry Ritter



# Instant Gallery (cont'd)



Steve Miller



# Instant Gallery (cont'd)

Jay Schulz



# Instant Gallery (cont'd)

Mike Rohrer

## Minnesota Dental Foundation



For a number of years, I have donated turnings to the Minnesota Dental Foundation for the Silent Auction at its Fundraising Gala. The MN Dental Foundation has several goals:

- Eliminate unmet dental needs in Minnesota
- Help eliminate underserved dental care areas in the state
- Provide dental services to those most in need

The main programs are:

- The DDS (Donated Dental Services) program provides comprehensive dental care to those who are disabled or who are elderly or medically fragile and cannot afford the needed dental care. It also provides services to veterans.
- Give Kids A Smile – over 100 dentists treating over 1000 children in a single day. Since the program's inception in Minnesota in 2003, 84,000 children have received \$26.4 million worth of free dentistry provided by 35,450 volunteers.
- Mission of Mercy – in 6 events over 10,000 patients, over \$6 million of dentistry
- Dental Lifeline Network (DLN) provides services to veterans.
- The Minnesota's Heroes Orthodontic Program provides orthodontic care to children and spouses of Gold Star Families (families who have lost a family member while serving our country since 9/11)

*The director of the Silent Auction says the bowls are popular and he will probably only use about a third of these this year to drive the prices up in the bidding.*







# MWA Archives of Demos & Other Activities



On the Home Page, click on Blog. If this page does not show up, go to:

<https://www.mnwoodturners.com/mwa-chapter/blog/>

## BLOG

*Check out the 2020-2021 and other Archives. We have our Tuesday Turners Tune Up demos posted.*

Navigating through the Blog you will find helpful information like how to build a log processing

## ARCHIVE

- 2022
- 2021
- 2020
- 2019
- 2017
- 2016

The MWA became quite active in saving demonstrations beginning in 2014. Check out the archived demos to find some interesting to you

Scroll down and click on the YouTube video that will show you the recorded demonstration



# Area, Regional Special Group Meetings

## North Metro Turners

Contact John Enstrom if you are interested in being part of a group in the North Metro

John's contact numbers:  
Phone: 763-441-4086  
Email: [enstrom06@msn.com](mailto:enstrom06@msn.com)

## Hamburger Club

If you would like to be notified about the once-a-month lunch get-together, please contact Mike Hunter at [huntertoolsystems@gmail.com](mailto:huntertoolsystems@gmail.com)

## THE Splinters

If any additional members are interested in joining our splinter group, please let Linda Ferber know – [lindajaneferber@gmail.com](mailto:lindajaneferber@gmail.com)

## SE Metro

If you would like to join us, contact Jim Jacobs at [woodmanmn@aol.com](mailto:woodmanmn@aol.com)



# Area, Regional Special Group Meetings (cont'd)

## Westside Turners

If you would like to be notified about the monthly meeting, contact Steve Mages at:

[smages@juno.com](mailto:smages@juno.com)

## Northeast Turners

If anyone would like to join in, drop an email to Greg Just [woodturner07@gmail.com](mailto:woodturner07@gmail.com).

We usually meet on the third Saturday at 7:30 a.m.

## Northwest Turners

If you are interested contact:

John Campbell, 612-707-5986 or John Enstrom 763-441-4086

## Segmenting Subgroup

if you would be interested in attending the Segmenting Subgroup, please send a message to Greg Just @ [woodturner07@gmail.com](mailto:woodturner07@gmail.com).



# Area, Regional Special Group Meetings (cont'd)

## Westside Turners

The Westside Turners met July 23 at 7:00 pm at  
10501 Belmont Rd, Minnetonka



L-R front Ron Majerus, Dave Johnson  
Back - Steve Mages, Kevin Ganje, Bill  
Flynn, Bob Grant

The main discussion included baseball  
bats, gouge sharpening and technique  
and other personal experiences



"Finished but not finished"  
Steve Mages



Walnut & maple Bob Grant



Walnut  
Steve Mages



## Area, Regional Special Group Meetings (cont'd)

### Northwest Turners



In attendance, Byron Holmes, Joe Zwirn, Barry Larson, John Campbell, Dave Borger, Greg Just, Tim Lamond, Richard Messer, Ken Gustafson, Bob Puetz, John Enstrom, Bob Ross



Area, Regional Special Group Meetings (cont'd)

Segmenting Subgroup



Steve Clark



# Area, Regional Special Group Meetings (cont'd)



John Suhreptz  
(June meeting)

## Segmenting Subgroup (cont'd)

Sid Buxton with a  
knucklebones pattern



Rich Purcell, Al Fletcher, John Suhrepta, Greg Just, Tim Rystrom, Steve Clark, Jim Walker, Jay Schulz



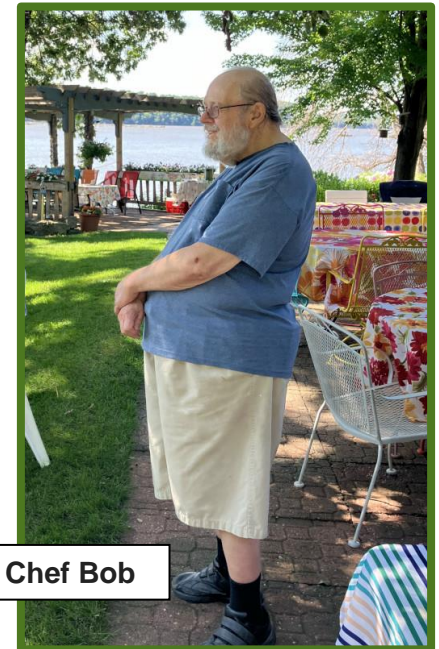
## Area, Regional Special Group Meetings (cont'd)

The SE Metro splinter met at Bob Hansen's home on the banks of the Mississippi for its July meeting and a delicious lunch by Chef Bob.

### Southeast Metro



The meeting had the usual fellowship with lots of woodturning discussions, detailed descriptions of pieces brought for the Instant Gallery, and the now traditional Brown Bag Exchange.



Chef Bob





# Area, Regional Special Group Meetings (cont'd)

## Southeast Metro



Thanks so much to the SE Metro leader/organizer, Jim Jacobs, and to host and chef, Bob Hansen



A cowboy walked into the saloon. The bartender asked him, “What’s new?”

The cowboy says, “They arrested Brown Paper Johnnie and they’re a’ goin’ to hang him.

The bartender says, “Why do they call him Brown Paper Johnnie?”

The cowboy says, “Oh that’s because he wears a brown paper hat, a brown paper shirt, a brown paper tie, brown paper pants and brown paper boots.”

The bartender says, “Why are they a’ goin’ to hang him?”

The cowboy says, “For rustlin’ ””.



## Community Service

The MWA COMMUNITY SERVICE COMPRISES BEADS OF COURAGE, THE WIG STAND PROJECT AND OTHER ACTIVITIES TO HELP OUR COMMUNITY

**Jay Schulz will be staffing the Community Service table. See Jay with any questions or needs. Our Community Service program is an important part of the MWA's mission. All are welcome to participate.**



# CLASSES

THE MWA HAS RENEWED ITS EFFORTS IN PRESENTING CLASSES FOR THE MWA MEMBERS

Go to the link on the MWA website to check on upcoming classes and sign up (on the classes page, put in the month and year you're interested in)

The screenshot shows the website for the Minnesota Woodturners Association. At the top left is the logo, a circular emblem with a green map of Minnesota and the text 'Minnesota Woodturners Association'. To its right is the text 'MINNESOTA WOODTURNERS ASSOCIATION'. Further right is a search bar with 'SEARCH' and 'GO' buttons, and a 'PORTAL' button with a gear icon. Below this is a navigation menu with links: HOME, CALENDAR, MWA CHAPTER, GALLERIES, LIBRARY, CONTACT, BULLETIN BOARD, LOGIN. A 'BECOME A MEMBER' link is also present. The main content area is titled 'MEMBER PORTAL' and contains a welcome message: 'We are always excited to welcome new members to our organization and share the joys of woodturning! As a paid member of the Minnesota Woodturners Association you have full access to all features of our website. Click around the sidebar to view member only content including newsletters, member sale, and membership payment.' To the right of this message is a sidebar with links: FOR SALE, PAY DUES, MEETING MINUTES, MEMBER BLOG, MEMBER CARDS, EMAIL THE BOARD, TREASURER'S REPORTS, VOLUNTEERING WITHIN MWA. At the bottom left, there is a 'QUICK LINKS' section with a list: Classes, Library, New Member, Newsletters. An orange arrow points to the 'Classes' link. At the bottom right, there is a logo for 'AAW AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF WOODTURNERS', copyright information '© 2023 MN Woodturners Association All Rights Reserved | Sitemap', and 'Powered by: Avada, Custom CMS'.



# Next Meeting

**August 3rd, 2024**  
**MWA Monthly Meeting**

Demo starts at 10:00 am  
Zoom is live at 9:30 am  
Doors open at 9:00 am

After a month's break, we will meet and have professional turner, Michael Kehs, as our demonstrator. He will be sharing his knowledge and insight on inside-out turning.

Michael describes his demo as:

## **Inside-out Turning**

This demo will stretch your imagination, in that I will show how to make four pieces of wood into a bat, flower, shark, or other simple drawing into a turned object. An inside-out turning is a spindle turning with both ends left square, which is then cut or separated into four equal pieces lengthwise. The four outside corners are rotated inward, resulting in four "windows" or silhouettes. The turned shape of the spindle dictates the shape of the silhouette and will produce a symmetrical pattern. An asymmetrical silhouette requires two different, but matched turnings.

Michael will be holding a class after the meeting and again on Sunday the 4th of August.



A few of our members will relate to this

1978	2023
Long hair	Longing for hair
8 Tracks	Cataracts
KEGs	EKGs
Streaking	Leaking
Acid Rock	Acid Reflux
Seeds and stems	Fiber
Stayin' Alive (the song)	Stayin' Alive (the goal)
Hoping for a BMW	Hoping for a BM
Going to a new, hip joint	Getting a new hip joint
Rolling Stones	Kidney Stones
Bell bottoms	Big bottoms
Disco	Costco
Whatever	Depends
Rock n' roll all night	Sleep through the night
Think you know everything	Think you know your name

Thanks to  
Gary Egbert

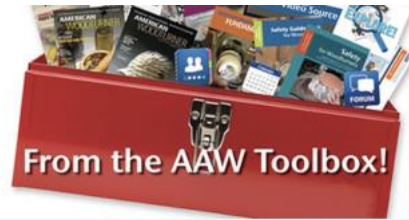


# Bulletin Board

Please send items for the Bulletin Board to: [mdrprof@gmail.com](mailto:mdrprof@gmail.com)

As a group which has a common hobby but also is a group of good friends, we'd like to keep up with our friends and hear about awards, shows, family news (weddings, accomplishments of children and grandchildren), retirements, hospital stays, illnesses, book recommendations, website recommendations and anything else you would normally talk about in person at MWA or Sub-Group meetings. All of these and more are possibilities for the Bulletin Board. As we start seeing all our MWA friends face-to-face monthly, we can still reach the entire membership by the Bulletin Board.





**Linda Ferber**  
**Parasol Mushroom**  
*Cherry, madrone*

Congratulations, Linda, for your piece being published in the July AAW Toolbox





# New Members/Long-Time Members Looking for some Tips????

Look near the very end of this newsletter for the page titled:

## Member Help Line

These are all MWA members who have specifically offered to help MWA member with woodturning. Many of them have listed areas of special interest, but they are all excellent all-around turners and can help you with almost anything.

Listed for each volunteer:

- Phone number
- Email address
- Areas of chief interests
- Community in which they live

## TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THESE WOODTURNING VOLUNTEERS



WOOD SEALER HAS BEEN RESTOCKED. WE NOW HAVE IT!

At this time sealer is available at the monthly meetings and from:  
Charlie Prokop, Woodbury, MN [charlieprokop@gmail.com](mailto:charlieprokop@gmail.com)  
Julie Abbott, Eden Prairie, MN, [jm\\_abbott@hotmail.com](mailto:jm_abbott@hotmail.com)  
Bob Meyer, Lino Lake, MN, [rjmbobco@comcast.net](mailto:rjmbobco@comcast.net)  
Steve Mages, Minnetonka, [smages@juno.com](mailto:smages@juno.com)  
Paul Laes, Cottage Grove, [Woodforfun@hotmail.com](mailto:Woodforfun@hotmail.com)



I am looking for others to sell sealer throughout the metro area.

Bring plastic jugs if you have them.

Sealer \$20.00 gallon.

We need heavy duty plastic jugs for dispensing sealer. If you have any gallon containers, we could sure use them. It would be best if you could bring your empty containers to be filled.

The club now has a chip card reader so you can pay Charlie by credit card or cash.

Anyone wanting to sell sealer can buy a quantity from me if you like or take some gallons and sell them to members and send the money to Treasurer John Hehre.

Charlie Prokop, President MWA



# Science Page

Two possibilities exist:  
either we are alone in  
the Universe or we are  
not. Both are equally  
terrifying.

— Arthur C. Clarke



Optical Illusion



# Lathe Contact List

The MWA Newsletter is presenting a list of members who would be happy to give you pros & cons and experiences with the lathes they own or with which they have had experience. This list is being updated every week as more members are contacting me saying they'd be happy to be listed. If you would be willing to have your name and email address listed under the type of lathe(s) you have, please contact me .

<u>LATHE</u>	<u>Member</u>	<u>Email address</u>
Bonnie Klein Mini	Bill Szydlo	<a href="mailto:szydlo.bill@gmail.com">szydlo.bill@gmail.com</a>
Bonnie Klein Mini 12x18	Linda Ferber	<a href="mailto:lindajaneferber@gmail.com">lindajaneferber@gmail.com</a>
Craftsman Professional	Steve Mages	<a href="mailto:smages@juno.com">smages@juno.com</a>
Delta mid size 12"	Randall Thompson	<a href="mailto:thomp013@umn.edu">thomp013@umn.edu</a>
Delta mid size 12"	Dan Larson	<a href="mailto:dhjlar@comcast.net">dhjlar@comcast.net</a>
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NOVA DVR XP	Bill Szydlo	<a href="mailto:szydlo.bill@gmail.com">szydlo.bill@gmail.com</a>
NOVA DVR XP 16"	Chuck Shreffler	<a href="mailto:cshreffler@outlook.com">cshreffler@outlook.com</a>
Oneway 2036	Dick Zawacki	<a href="mailto:dickzawacki@gmail.com">dickzawacki@gmail.com</a>
Powermatic 2014	Steve Legvold	<a href="mailto:stevelegvold@gmail.com">stevelegvold@gmail.com</a>
Powermatic 2520B	Steve Mages	<a href="mailto:smages@juno.com">smages@juno.com</a>
Powermatic 3520B	Todd Williams	<a href="mailto:toddwilli@comcast.net">toddwilli@comcast.net</a>
Powermatic 3520B	Steve McLoon	<a href="mailto:s.c.mcloon@gmail.com">s.c.mcloon@gmail.com</a>
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# Member Help Line

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# Member Help Line

The club has organized a "Member Help Line", the purpose of which is to answer questions/give advice and help educate our membership. Even though it has been more difficult during the pandemic social distancing time to help people in home workshops, there are still ways to help each other with woodturning questions & problems. The volunteers can help via email, telephone, Zoom, personal contact using social distancing and masks if desired, and probably other ways we haven't tried yet.

Maybe you're a beginner looking for advice on what to buy.

Maybe you have questions on chucking.

Maybe you have sharpening questions.

The volunteers listed on the next page are more than happy to help. Some have listed areas in which they feel more comfortable, but all will help with your woodturning question.

We would like more members to volunteer for our Member Help Line. If you would like to be "on call" please contact Mike Rohrer at [mdrprof@gmail.com](mailto:mdrprof@gmail.com) with your phone #, email address, area where you live, areas you'd be willing to help with, and your name will be added to the list.



## Editor's Notes

It's a different newsletter without a monthly meeting. I was still a bit rushed as we spent 10 days in Michigan at a family reunion in a large house we had rented right on the Lake Michigan shore at Manistee which held the 14 attendees in great comfort. A great time was had by all ages.

I hope your summer is going well and that you are tolerating the heat and humidity.

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WHAT CAME FIRST, YOU OR THE EGG?  
WHY DID YOU CROSS THE ROAD? HOW  
IS IT THAT EVERYTHING TASTES LIKE  
YOU? I WANT ANSWERS!



*Grilled Chicken*

