

# Minnesota WoodTurners Association

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# August Demonstrator Michael Kehs



# INSIDE-OUT TURNING





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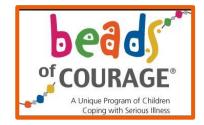


# Congratulations, Greg Just!





Multiple State Fair Blue Ribbons



MWA Community Service comprises Beads of Courage and the making of wig stands, which will be donated to groups such as Wigs For The Cure

### MWA Community Service



Jay Schulz manages the Community Service table at the monthly meetings and directs the BoC program











#### MWA Community Service



Jim Jacobs

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



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."

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







DESTINESIA – That's when you get where you wanted to be . . . but you can't remember why.





# August Member Challenge – Infiltrated Wood



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Shauna & Byron Patterson

**Larry Thomas** 







# August Member Challenge – Infiltrated Wood



**Paul Michaelson** 



**David Newendorp** 



**Charlie Prokop** 



**Steve Clark** 







# August Member Challenge – Infiltrated Wood



**Dan Ernst** 



**Linda Ferber** 



# Instant Gallery – August

Probably because there was no July MWA meeting we had an all-time high of Instant Gallery pieces brought to the Aug. 3 meeting







Ken Klein



**Linda Ferber** 



Steve Clark











**Dan Ernst** 



**Bill Breckon** 





**Don Pohlman** 









**Bob Grant** 



**David Newendorp** 







3-D illusion side, tumbling block bottom



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**Eldon Holmes** 

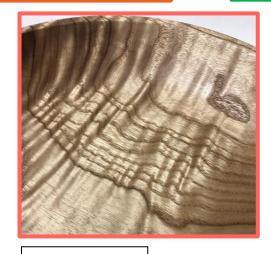
**Jerry Golden** 

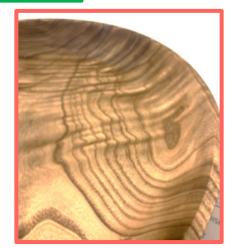
Jay Schulz



Ripples look 3D!!







**Steve Mages** 





**Dave Blume** 

**Dan Ernst** 



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# Before the Meeting

















# Before the Meeting (cont'd)



















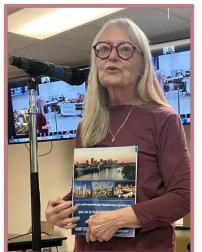


# Before the Meeting (cont'd)











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# A limerick:

$$\frac{12 + 144 + 20 + 3\sqrt{4}}{7} + (5 \times 11) = 9^2 + 0$$

Doesn't look like a limerick to you? Try this:

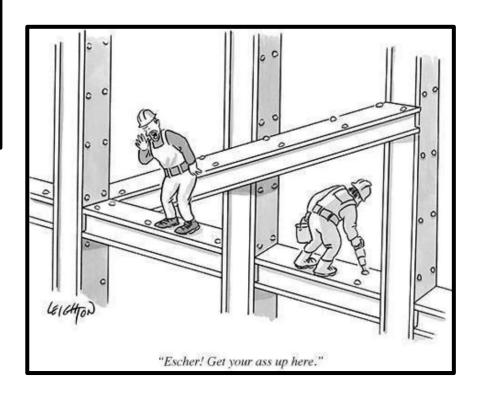
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Plus three times the square root of four

Divided by seven

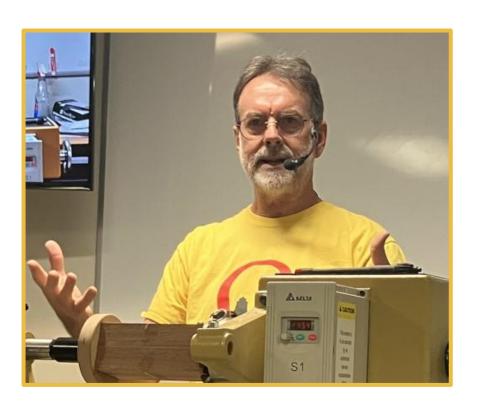
Plus five times eleven

Is nine squared and not a bit more.



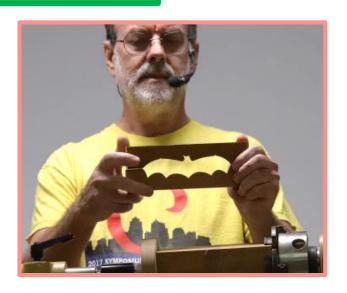








#### Michael Kehs



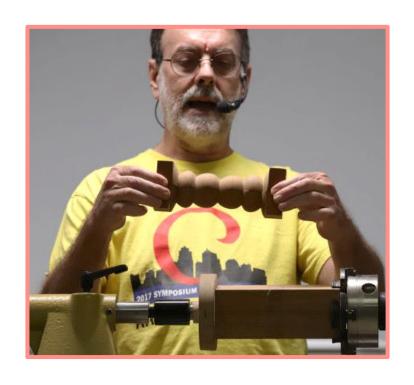
#### Michael describes his demo as:

#### **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 Kehs**





Michael showing the outside of forms turned. Mounted on the lathe are 4 pieces making a perfect square.



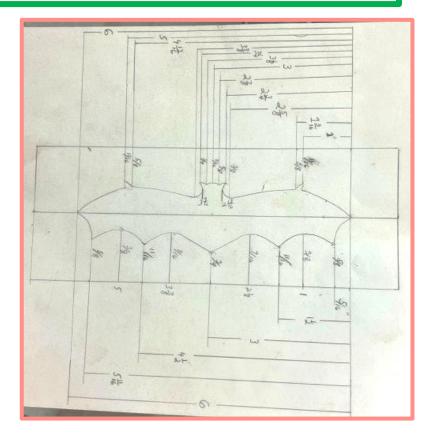


Diagram for turning the inside-out bat.





Holder for mounting between centers



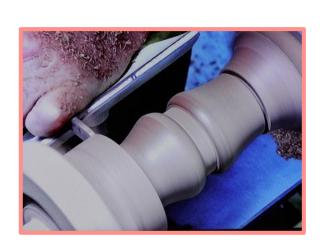




First cuts setting depth at critical points



Outside nearly completed

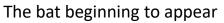














The bat appears



Disaster! The 2<sup>nd</sup> half of the project explodes! But we still learned how the Inside-out turning works



Michael brought some of his 3-D inside-out pieces



### **Michael Kehs**





Michael helping President Charlie with the Woodcraft drawing



### MWA August Demo (cont'd)



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

https://www.mnwoodturners.com/mwachapter/blog/

#### **BLOG**

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

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

Go to 2024

#### Michael Kehs

Michael, thank you so much for this demonstration on the fascinating subject of Inside-Out turning.

Michael's entire demo is available on the MWA's website under the Blogs

#### **ARCHIVE**

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

#### Inside Out Turnings with Michael Kehs

Scroll down and click on the YouTube video that will show you Chris's entire demo



# MWA Archives of Demos & Other Activities



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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



# Next Meeting – September 7

This month's meeting will feature 3 of our talented turners, Jim Jacobs, Greg Just and Linda Ferber sharing Tips and Techniques for your woodturning projects. The focus will be on our Community Service Projects, wig stands and BOC. Many of the ideas they will share, while specific to these projects, they will be very transferable to many of your own turnings. Come ready to learn!

Remember our monthly challenge, INSIDE-OUT TURNING



# Next Meeting – Sept 7

Houck Machine Company 12811 16<sup>th</sup> Ave. North Plymouth, MN 55441

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

Bring your Instant Gallery and Member Challenge pieces early so the attendees can see them and touch them and discuss them

Member Challenge: Inside-Out Turning



# MWA "Tuesday Tune-Up"

Remember the "Tuesday Tune-Ups in the 53 weekly newsletters published during the Covid lockdown in 2020 and 2021?

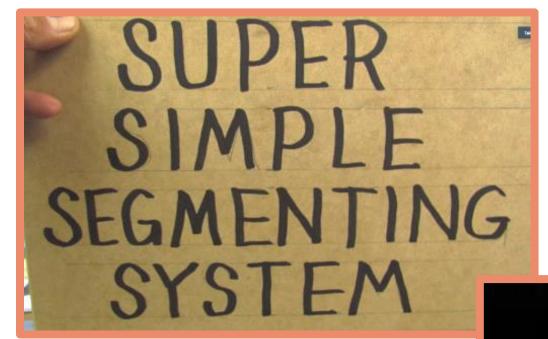
The Tuesday Turners Tune-Ups have been a great addition to the MWA during the "lockdown". They've kept the club members in contact and fulfilled the club's goal of woodturning education.

Dan Larson and Dick Hicks spearheaded the effort, providing the organization along with the AV expertise.

On the following pages you will find a copy of the August 11, 2020, Tuesday Tune-Up by Jim Jacobs

# MWA "Tuesday Tune-Up"

August 11, 2020



Jim Jacobs

Produced & filmed by Dan Larson

### MWA "Tuesday Tune-Up" (cont'd)

### Jim Jacobs

### August 11, 2020







Jim draws a tree on the grain of a board to emphasize turning tactics depending on grain direction

Jim introduces the Tune-Up. He will make a segmented rim for a bowl.



End grain is like straws going in one direction through the wood



An air hose inserted into one end of an oak stick will blow bubbles out the other end

### MWA "Tuesday Tune-Up" (cont'd)

### Jim Jacobs



Drawing the diameter of the cherry bowl



Attaching faceplate



Do not use drywall screws! Use gripper screws like these.



Bowl gouge & side grain-the more open the flute the more aggressive the cut



Pull cut, handle angled down, to true the face of the bowl blank



Bevel riding the surface for a push cut

#### Jim Jacobs

August 11, 2020



Checking for a flat surface with a ruler



Use a GOOD 80 tooth blade! Save sanding time.



The sled will work on the left or right side of the blade

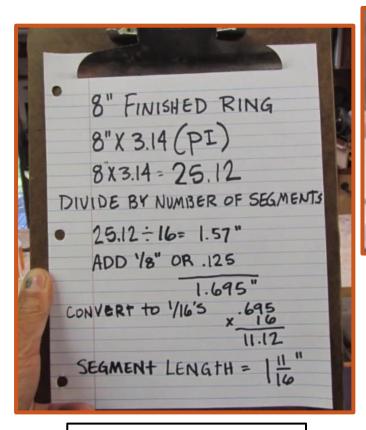




The 1<sup>st</sup> cut will trim the edge of the sled



Adjustable stop is wedged very tightly into place



How to calculate the segment length





The 1<sup>st</sup> cut will establish the angle of the segments

#### Jim Jacobs



cutting each segment



Cutting the length at the exact angle



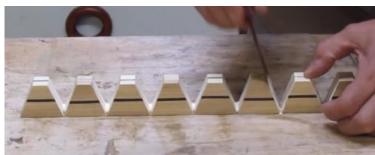
Segments being cut

Critical: NEVER FLIP THE BOARD OVER! Simply keep the 2 lines in exactly the same position for every cut. Just place the board in front of the FRONT angle control board and then in front of the REAR angle control board without flipping it over or in any way changing the orientation.

#### Jim Jacobs

August 11, 2020





Spread the glue with a putty knife

Lining up the segments on a piece of masking tape in preparation for gluing. Critical: Note that the lines marking the side alternate between showing or being absent. This alternates the segments and compensates for any minute inaccuracy of the saw/sled during the segment cutting and insures a totally accurate finished segment.

Note: extend the tape far enough on one end so that the segments can be held in a circle after gluing.

Editor's note: It would seem prudent to check the accuracy of the segment preparation before gluing. I never do this. Using this system produces an absolutely accurate segment circle . . . every time.



Roll up the segments and secure

#### Jim Jacobs

#### August 11, 2020



Clamp the segments with a hose clamp. For larger circles, use 2 clamps with the tightening mechanisms evenly spaced.



A "truing board" for holding in the chuck while truing one face of the segment ring



Hot melt glue will be used to fasten segment ring to the board



Hold ring to the truing board with a stick and the tailstock

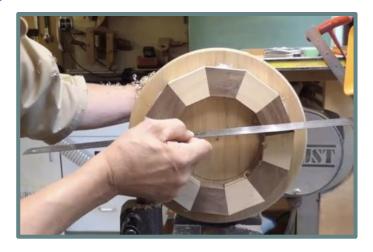
Hot glue every other segment



#### Jim Jacobs



True the ring with LIGHT cuts



Check for flatness



Mark inside of segment ring on bowl face



Spread glue on bowl blank and segment ring

#### Jim Jacobs

#### August 11, 2020



Clamp with vice-grip clamps



Attaching faceplate. Make sure screws are not too long for the bowl.



Glue block attached to bottom of the bowl



Glue block supported with tailstock as bottom of bowl and rim are turned



#### Jim Jacobs

August 11, 2020



Bedan tool defining tenon



Jim likes the shape of this scraper. Sharpen scrapers UPSIDE DOWN so bur is on top



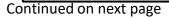
Scraper in action getting FINE chips



Refining the edge of rim with a scraper



Finishing inside of bowl; tool against his body



#### Jim Jacobs

#### August 11, 2020



Scraping inside



Corner of bedan tool demarcating rim from bowl; if there is later movement, this will disguise it



held against foam covered backer board



Removing glue block



Special tool for this angle



Sharp chisel to remove nubbin

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#### Jim Jacobs

August 11, 2020



Final step in sharpening is using compound on cardboard

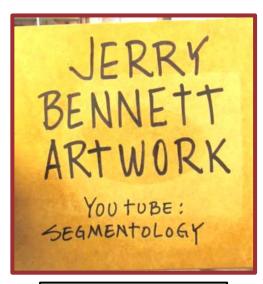


Cheaper if you'll pick it up



Jim likes "Antique Oil Finish." He doesn't like real shiny finishes.

Thanks, Jim for the great demo and for customizing the Super Simple Segmenting System for our club



Check out Jerry Bennett's work

# MWA "Tuesday Tune-Up"

Augst 11, 2020

Jim Jacobs

August, 2024
I've recently contacted Jim and he said he's made and sold about 70 of these. He's taking orders for October.

Cost is \$125.00.

woodmanmn@aol.com

### New Members August 2024



# Welcome!





John Roach William Trombley



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#### TIPS FOR TURNERS

#### SOME TIPS FROM THE MWA NEWSLETTER FROM 5 YEARS AGO

When making a bowl, it is always difficult to make a really smooth gouge cut at the "inside corner" where the side curve changes to the bottom curve. The result is usually some grooves, which are difficult to remove by sanding. I have found it is helpful to leave this area just a little thicker with the gouge's final cut and then come back with a freshly sharpened curved scraper to blend the curves and not have torn grain or grooves that are difficult to sand out. You wind up with a nice, smooth curve inside and a uniform wall thickness.

**Todd Williams** 

Tenon vs Tendon

It's up to you.....

I hear this term used often. "First you turn a <u>tendon</u> on the end of your blank. Your jaw chuck holds on to the <u>tendon</u>."

Since the word tendon is used in some YouTube videos, it's obviously the correct usage of the word. I mean, no one would put out a YouTube instructional video if they didn't know what they were talking about. Right?

ten-on

/'tenən/ *noun:*a projecting piece of wood made for insertion into a mortise in another piece. *verb:*join by means of a tenon.

ten-don

/'tendən/ noun: a flexible but inelastic cord of strong fibrous collagen tissue attaching a muscle to a bone.

the hamstring of a quadruped.

Rick Auge



### **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

### **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

### **THE Splinters**

If any additional members are interested in joining our splinter group, please let Linda Ferber know – <a href="mailto:lindajaneferber@gmail.com">lindajaneferber@gmail.com</a>

**SE Metro** 

If you would like to join us, contact Jim Jacobs at <a href="woodmanmn@aol.com">woodmanmn@aol.com</a>



#### Westside Turners

If you would like to be notified about the monthly meeting, contact Steve Mages at: smages@juno.com

Northeast Turners

If anyone would like to join in, drop an email to Greg Just 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.



#### **Westside Turners**

The Westside Turners met Tuesday, August 20, at 7:00 pm at 10501 Belmont Rd, Minnetonka



Front: Lee Luebke, John Danielson, Kevin Ganje Back row: guest Ron Anthos, Bob Fondness, Steve Mages



Walnut bowl by Steve Mages

We discussed finishes, woods, miscellaneous turning topics, and saw a list of tools and machines for sale by Ron's downsizing.



### **Northwest Turners**



Northwest Turners met Wednesday, August 14



Attendes: John Enstrom, Greg Just, Bob Puetz, Ken Gustafson, Jake Mattson, Dan Schipper, Eldon Holmes .,Richard Messer, Brenda Conners ,John Campbell

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Ken Gustafson with his deep hollow form



## Segmenting Subgroup

The Segmenter's meeting was hosted by Steve Clark at his shop in Delano. The meeting focused on jigs for segmenting and segmenting problem solving and was quite a lot of fun.



Steve Clark shows his current commissioned open segmented bowl project and explains issues that he had with CNC machined pieces





L-R Steve Legvold, Sid Buxton, Jim Helferich, John Suhreptz, Roger Olsen, Steve Clark, Rich Purcell (behind Greg), Greg Just, Jim Walker (Jay Schulz behind the camera)

The Hamburger Club met Thursday, Aug. 18 at Big Louie's

## Hamburger Club



Steve McLoon & Joe Zwirn discussing a large bowl from a board Joe turned with spiral inserts

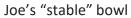


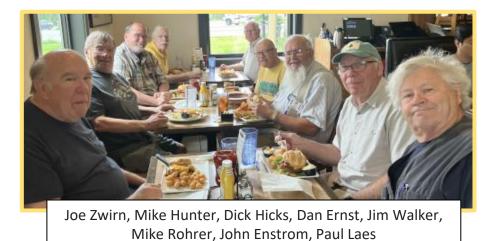
Dick Hicks & Dan Ernst discussing Joe's bowl



John Enstrom and his segmented bowl made of several exotic woods









#### Southeast Metro

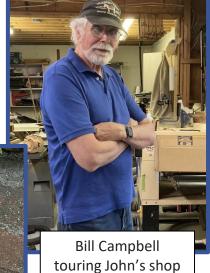
The SE Metro splinter group met Wednesday, August 14, at John Schultz's home in Afton. A good group showed up and was treated to a delicious lunch prepared by John's wife, Colleen. Many attendees took advantage of looking at the sun flares through John's sun telescope. He also has a large and outstanding regular telescope for studying the universe. Most folks visited John's large, well-equipped shop in his basement that has an outside entrance. Besides the usual "woodturners' conversations", after lunch everyone had a chance to describe and talk about their "Show & Tell" turnings. At the end of the meeting, there was the "Brown Bag Door Prize" drawing.

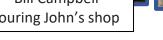


Al Fletcher & John Suhreptz look at pieces submitted to the Instant Gallery, "Show & Tell"



On the way to the meeting, Dick Hicks bought this rocking lawn chair; the air piston does the "rocking"







Paul Laes inspecting Al Fletcher's "Michael Mode" bowl



Southeast Metro





Our host, John Schultz, showing the vessel and the area where his dog had chewed off the corner of the rim just before the meeting





Paul Laes described bringing back a suitcase full of wood from Australia

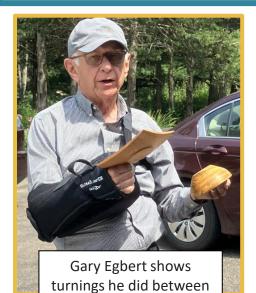


Rich Roberts' spalted box





Southeast Metro



shoulder surgeries





miniature bird houses & birds

Mike Rohrer describing the 3 pieces he bought in 1998 that got him interested in turning

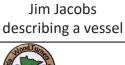
Paul Keller













**William Durant** December 9 1861. **He co founded General Motors** and Chevrolet. Most importantly he founded Frigidaire making him the very first Refrigerator Magnate.

#### Community Service

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

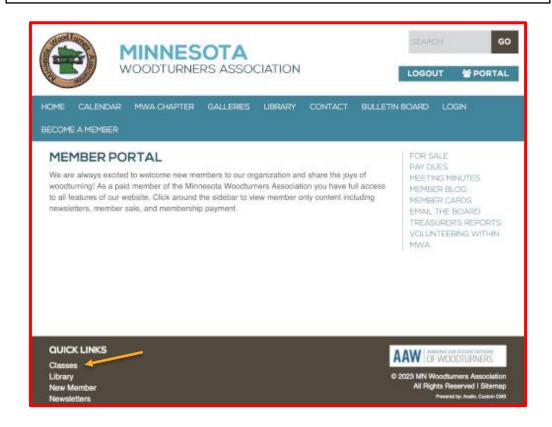
Jay Schulz will be staffing the Community Service table. See Jay with any questions or needs. Our Community Service program is an important part of the MWA's mission. All are welcome to participate.





# 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)





I'm so glad I was young and stupid BEFORE there were camera phones.

The more
you weigh,
the harder you
are to kidnap.

Stay safe
Eat Cake



Had a bad mixup at the store today..when the cashier said strip down facing me,apparently she was referring to my credit card.

Thanks to Fred Schmoll



and the second

# Bulletin Board



This beautiful box by Dick Hicks was featured in Issue 399 of Woodturning Magazine.

Congratuations, Dick.

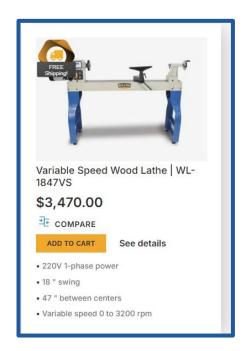






This turning by Linda Ferber was featured in the August AAW Toolbox. Congratuations, Linda

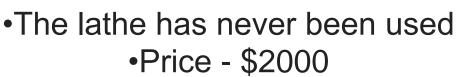




# Lathe for Sale











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For all the "Wood Lovers" in the MWA, here are excerpts from an article by Graham Lawton in the international science magazine, <u>New Scientist</u>.

A few years ago, I wrote an article about new uses of wood, including as a sustainable construction material. It was a surprise hit. Since then, we have covered wood technology as often as possible.

So when I was invited to Paris to visit two state-of-the-art wooden building projects, I jumped at the chance. Both are built almost completely of wood and have enviable environmental credentials as well as being aesthetically stunning. The first was a five-storey addition to an older building owned by the French railway network. The new storeys are made almost entirely of cross laminated timbers (CLT), an engineered wood product that rivals concrete and steel as a structural material, but with a much lower carbon footprint.

The builders said they started to build in wood to reduce the carbon footprint, but then discovered a lot of other benefits. CLT is 80 % lighter than the combined mass of concrete and steel, so there is no need to reinforce foundations at financial and environmental cost. It is quicker to build with, requires fewer trucks and less heavy equipment to be brought on site, and has useful thermal properties.

A standard building has high "thermal inertia", meaning it takes a lot of time and energy to warm up and cool down. But in a CLT building, the moment you start the heating, you start to feel the warmth. During a heatwave, concrete soaks up heat and radiates it out at night, keeping the city sweltering. Wooden buildings don't do this.

Wooden buildings can burn, of course, but what burns in a building is the furniture, not the structure. Yes, wood burns, but ignition is slow and almost never happens.

Inside the buildings, the wood is deliberately and beautifully exposed on walls, ceilings and columns "You can feel the wood, touch the wood, see the wood, smell the wood." Wood also has very good acoustics. "The idea is to offer nature to people inside the buildings."



Please send items for the Bulletin Board to: 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.



# 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 <a href="mailto:charlieprokop@gmail.com">charlieprokop@gmail.com</a>
Julie Abbott, Eden Prairie, MN, <a href="mailto:jm abbott@hotmail.com">jm abbott@hotmail.com</a>
Bob Meyer, Lino Lake,s MN, <a href="mailto:rjmbobco@comcast.net">rjmbobco@comcast.net</a>
Steve Mages, Minnetonka, <a href="mailto:smages@juno.com">smages@juno.com</a>
Paul Laes, Cottage Grove, <a href="mailto:woodforfun@hotmail.com">woodforfun@hotmail.com</a>



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

IF YOU WAIT LONG ENOUGH TO MAKE DINNER, EVERYONE WILL JUST EAT CEREAL.

IT'S SCIENCE.

Brain cells, hair cells and skin cells - they all die constantly, but freaking fat cells seem to have eternal life...





#### 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.

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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 <a href="mailto:mdrprof@gmail.com">mdrprof@gmail.com</a> 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.



#### Subject: S.O.S. Explained

An Airbus 380 is on its way across the Atlantic. It flies consistently at 800 km/h at 30,000 feet when suddenly a Eurofighter with Tempo Mach 2 appears.

The pilot of the fighter jet slows down, flies alongside the Airbus, and greets the pilot of the passenger plane by radio: "Airbus, boring flight isn't it? Now have a look here!"

He rolls his jet on its back, accelerates, breaks through the sound barrier, rises rapidly to a dizzying height, and then swoops down almost to sea level in a breathtaking dive. He loops back next to the Airbus and asks, "Well, how was that?"

The Airbus pilot answers: "Very impressive, but now you look!"

The jet pilot watches the Airbus, but nothing happens. It continues to fly stubbornly straight, with the same speed. After 15 minutes, the Airbus pilot radios, "Well, how was that?"

Confused, the jet pilot asks, "What did you do?"

The AirBus pilot laughs and says, "I got up, stretched my legs, walked to the back of the aircraft to use the washroom, then got a cup of coffee and a chocolate fudge pastry.

The moral of the story is:

When you are young, speed and adrenaline seem to be great. But as you get older and wiser, you learn that comfort and peace are more important.

This is called S.O.S.: Slower, Older, but Smarter.

Dedicated to all my friends who, like me, now realize that it is time to slow down and enjoy the rest of the trip.

Dedicated to all seniors.

**Fred Schmoll** 



#### **Editor's Notes**

Living adjacent to the UM campus, the last few days have been hectic, beginning with the severe storm that knocked out everybody's power and then being in the middle of "Campus Move-In".

I hope your "winding-down" summer is going well. We're coming into my favorite season, autumn.

I hope you enjoy the August newsletter and the replay of Jim Jacobs' "Tuesday Tune-Up" from early Covid days.

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