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# Minnesota WoodTurners Association

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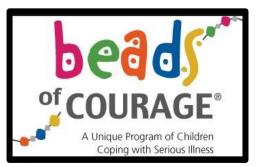


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Finally I understand why cars have these things...







# Jay Schulz **Mayo Pediatrics Project**



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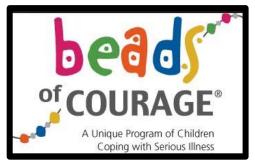
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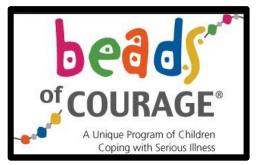
# **Reid Zimmerman**





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Beads of Courage Project to Honor Bob Jensen – kits provided by Jim Jacobs

Bob & Diane Puetz are asking those who have volunteered to make these special boxes to do 3 things: 1. **Finish** the boxes as soon as you reasonably can

2. Get the **boxes to Bob & Diane** in a reasonably short time after you finish them (see list of drop off sites)

3. <u>Take pictures of your finished boxes</u> and send them to Editor Mike Rohrer so we may put the pictures in the newsletter and have a photographic history of this special project. If you have any questions, please contact Bob or Diane at: bobpuetz@yahoo.com

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It would be good if you would confirm via email when you will be bringing the finished Beads of Courage boxes



# Instant Gallery











4 natural edge walnut bowls that range from 6 to 8 " diameter and 2 to 5 " high and all finished with boiled linseed oil. History: A friend, who is a Ramsey County Deputy Sheriff, took down a 60+ year-old walnut tree last September and was kind enough to provide me with about 2000 lbs of walnut crotches. In return, I turned four bowls from a branch for each of his four boys.





# Dan Ernst



A dear friend brought me a piece of koa wood from her visit to Hawaii. My bride wanted a vase, so here it is.

At the risk of being driven out of MWA, if I used the "make it round machine" to drill the hole and shaped it with a 60-grit gouge, does it qualify as a woodturning?

Ed. note: Yes, I think as long as something turns some time. It can even go back and forth, back and forth like the "toe turner" Dan Larson found.



# Joe Zwirn



Bowl on a stick. Crabapple and Peruvian walnut. 9"h x 3.5"d.



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# Steve Legvold



My first attempt at a heart-shaped bowl using a maple blank from Dan Ernst.



Spalted maple blank with epoxy filled cracks.





This is the catalpa door prize (a small bowl blank won by virtue of the tape found under my chair) at the 2020 Christmas party. I really liked the form that Dan Larson created on his recognition award bowl that he presented to Mike Rohrer at the party, so I followed with a similar style silhouette. I airbrushed cold water fabric dye to the outside and applied white liming wax. I used 25% cut back tung oil on the inside and decided against black liming wax there since the natural color open grain already presented a nice enough contrast

# Lee Tourtelotte



I thought the catalpa open grain really grabbed hold of the wax very nicely on the bowl's outside! It took a long time for the very green blank to give up its high moisture content. I recorded the descending weight of the roughed out blank and it surprisingly lost nearly a half-pound of moisture over a 6-month period.







# **Monthly Challenge**



#### New 2021 Monthly Meeting Challenge.

#### We are going to start up the monthly challenge.

The challenge will start in February and sponsored by Woodcraft. We will have some \$10.00 Woodcraft gift cards to give out through a random drawing giving all an equal chance to win. Number of cards to be determined.

To be included in the gift card drawing, pictures and description should be submitted via email to Mike Rohrer <u>mdrprof@gmail.com</u> <u>once finished but no</u> <u>later than one week before the Monthly Meeting date</u>. All have an equal chance at winning a gift card.

The Challenge for March was "Something Lidded"

30 members entered the March Challenge. There is no judging; prizes will be given by a drawing.

The Monthly Challenge for April is "Turn A Pen"

Deadline for entries: email your entry to <u>mdrprof@gmail.com</u> by Mike Rohrer's bedtime on Saturday March 27



#### Byron Patterson



6x6x3" and 6x6x2" maple and a scrap of walnut







**Don Schlais** 











Maple box with walnut lid insert, purple heart plum



**Ellen Starr** 





Eric Koslowski





Inspired by Dan Larson. Osage Orange. 2 1/2"X 3". In fact, the first lid blew up just like Dan's did.



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#### George Martin



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George Martin





Oak (I think)



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**Greg Just** 





For the March Challenge, I figured I might as well make a Beads of Courage box and hopefully bring a smile to someone



#### Greg Truchinski







This is my first entry for the challenge. The turning hobby is new to me; the club is new to me. I engraved the top at home in my heated shop, the garage.



Jane Hilary



The partial twist vessel is birch with walnut lid. This was fairly easy to make compared to the ones with 2 or 3 twists. The little one is Russian olive with a holly finial. Holly is so nice to work with when you are turning something delicate.



Jay Schulz



The vessel is a 4-axis turned lidded vessel of catalpa wood with a Brazilian cherry finial, 7" high x 3" max diameter (with four curved facets for each of the axes). Finished with 2 coats of the Osmo Polyx clear satin finish, which filled the end grain pores remarkably well for only two applications.



Cherry, walnut, maple, padauk & Brazilian cherry; 5 ½" high x 5 ½" wide, finished with boiled linseed oil



Jay Schulz



A natural edge black cherry burl box with African ebony finial on the lid, 6" high x 6" wide. Finished with boiled linseed oil.



This is the 1 ¼" branch with the burl. It turns out that the burl had a copper wire in it and was multiple unit housing for an ant nest and some type of beetles.



#### John Campbell



Steve Levgold



Bottom ring is walnut, middle ring oiticica, top ring walnut, top is white oak, and knob is jatoba. It is about 6 1/2" in diameter and 5" tall, finished with Doctor's High Build Friction Polish and homemade polish with diatomaceous earth and beeswax. My first 2 turned lidded boxes, maple and apple



#### Julie Abbott



My attempt at a Raffan style box; gray elm, finished with Mahoney's oil and wax





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# Keith Mullin



This is my second successful box; I've only been turning since November. The bottom is walnut from the bargain bin at Rockler and the top is maple and recycled from a failed box attempt. Sanded up to 600 grit, then hit with EEE and finished with Shellawax.







# I tried to follow what Dan demonstrated . . . a couple more attempts and I might get there



# All Previously Published March Entries

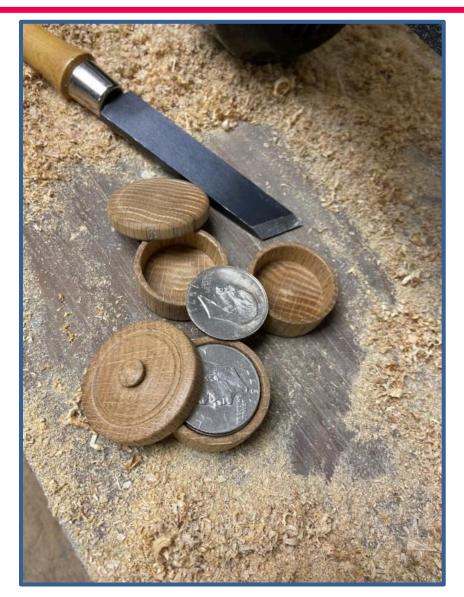
(on the following pages)

Thanks to everyone who participated. If you didn't submit a March Challenge, considering doing one for April, "Turn A Pen." See the MWA website for guidelines for the April Challenge, the same as for the last 2 monthly challenges. Deadline to get your pictures of your challenge pen to Mike Rohrer is bedtime, March 27.



# **Monthly Challenge - March**

Brad Gudim







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**Byron Patterson** 





This came from two pieces of 4 x 4 x 1 ¼" walnut, finished with homemade sanding abrasive and then butcher-block conditioner







# Dan Larson



# Calabash Bowl with a lid, 5.5" wide x 4.25" high with a totally round bottom, made from magnolia turned wet

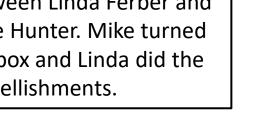




This box is a collaboration between Linda Ferber and Mike Hunter. Mike turned the box and Linda did the embellishments.

Linda Ferber/ **Mike Hunter** 

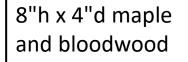






# Joe Zwirn







# Ken Hallberg



Puahala - colored Baltic birch plywood - 4"D X 4"H. Note: a puahala is a version of the Hawaiian calabash



# **Monthly Challenge - March**

**Bill Campbell** 



Maple and walnut, 6 x 6". Picture was taken in my new light box; it's very handy.





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Ken Hallberg



Lidded puahala #2 - walnut, oak, cherry, mahogany, & colored Baltic birch. 3 1/2" D X 4 1/2" H





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#### Lee Tourtelotte







Cherry 6" diameter burl on a 17" branch, turned as one integral piece, except for the supporting base, which is black ash burl. The cherry burl is hollowed to accept either a glass candle holder, a house plant, or maybe nuts and candy. The burl was given to me by a neighbor, cut green at his Michigan cabin, it continued to crack progressively through the turning process and reminded me of the huge uncontrollable energy of an exploding volcano! The bark inclusion is painted reactive patina copper, brass and bronze and the lid finial is a stone mineral, found at the Science Museum, and typical of Michigan's copper mining industry where my neighbor has his cabin. The branch spindle is airbrushed with similar mineral type colors. I plan to surprise my neighbor with the burl vessel when he makes his first return cabin trip in the spring.



**Steve Miller** 



#### Spalted maple and walnut



Warren Gerber



#### Cottonwood



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Mike Rohrer





Littleleaf linden, 6 ½" h, 4 ½" d



A Lidded Log

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Rusty Ogren



Oak & blue resin





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Mark Palma





## **Monthly Challenge - March**

Dan Ernst







Red mallee burl, lid is quilted big leaf maple and granadillo with African blackwood handle



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#### Dick Zawacki



These maple boxes are about 2 1/2" in diameter by 3+" tall and finished with walnut oil. The one on the right has a piece of butternut inset into the top. They are turned from the scrap ends of baseball bat billets that the Hillerich and Bradsby Company used to make Louisville Sluggers.



#### Duane Heng



Hollow bowl formed by combining two turned bowls. The top bowl was carved and an insert was added. The top was turned separately. The main wood in the bowls is butternut.



Herb Letourneau



#### Ash and the lid is from walnut, 4" diameter x 3.5" tall



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Jim Jacobs



Cherry burl, cocobola handle



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### **Rolf Krogstad**



I just finished the 3rd urn for dog ashes for a friend. He will have a photo of the dogs laser engraved on the face of each urn. So, I kept the designs simple and they won't have a finish applied until after they have been engraved.

This 3rd urn is made of hickory segments with a pewter ornament on the lid. The other two, which I made in January, were from flowering crab apple (a solid piece with black cherry top) and birch (rings, not segments, also with a pewter ornament on the lid).





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## Tom Sciple







Having watched the AAW demos on waterfall bowls several times, I gave it a try. Looking through my stash of wood the only burl I could find suitable was a small red mallee. I remembered about mallee being hard, but I gave it a try anyway. Although it had several voids which presented several additional opportunities, I was pleased with the final product. The waterfall is only about 4" in diameter and I used some of my precious Nigerian ebony for the base and finial.



## Drawing Winners for March Monthly Challenge

- 1. Greg Truchinski
- 2. Rusty Ogren
- 3. Duane Heng
- 4. John Campbell
- 5. Steve Legvold
- 6. Don Schlais
- 7. Jane Hilary
- 8. Jim Jacobs
- 9. Dan Ernst
- **10. Julie Abbott**

Please email Lee Luebke with your correct home address so he can send you the gift card <u>lgluebke@comcast.com</u>



Richard Lederer's "Is It Logical?" (cont'd)

•If something valuable possesses value, should something invaluable lack value?

•If extra-fine means "even finer than fine" and extra-large "even larger than large," why doesn't extraordinary mean "even more ordinary than ordinary"?

• If we get seasick on the sea, airsick in the air, and carsick in a car, then why don't we get homesick in our home?

•If you know where the Big Apple is, why don't you know where the Minneapolis? (mini apple – get it?)

• If people ring a bell today and rang a bell yesterday, why don't we say that they flang a ball? If they wrote a letter, perhaps they bote their tongue. If the teacher taught, why isn't it also true that the preacher praught?





## Midwest Penturners Gathering

We are getting close to the Midwest Penturners Gathering. As we get closer, we plan to let you know some of the exciting demos and vendors we are planning to see participate.

Fred and Tina Wissen. We all know Fred set the standard in mold making for all of you casters out there. His molds are phenomenal. If you have not seen Tina's polymer clay pen blanks you need to check them out at <u>ptownsubbie.com</u>. We are lucky to announce both Fred and Tina plan to participate in the MPG. Fred will be doing a demo on casting and color casting, while Tina said she would demo polymer clay pen blanks. These are must sees. And PTownSubbie will be a vendor. Must see. And Fred might be doing a little more ....

To Register simply go to:

https://www.accelevents.com/e/PenmakersInternationalMPG



At this time sealer is available from: Lee Luebke, Corcoran MN, <u>lgluebke@comcast.net</u> Julie Abbott, Eden Prairie MN, <u>JulieAbbott@EdinaRealty.com</u> Bob Meyer, Lino Lakes MN, <u>rjmbobco@comcast.net</u> Steve Mages, Minnetonka, <u>smages@juno.com</u> Paul Laes, Cottage Grove, <u>Woodforfun@hotmail.com</u>

I am looking for others to sell sealer throughout the metro area. Bring plastic jugs if you have them.

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 Lee Luebke by credit card or cash. Each gallon is still \$10.

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 Mark Debe.

WOOD SEALER

Lee Luebke, President MWA, 612-419-8743





### Pres. Lee Luebke



Please send items for the Bulletin Board to: mdrprof@gmail.com

As a group which cannot meet in person, 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. We're not seeing our MWA friends face-to-face, but we still need to stay in touch.







# 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 .

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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 is more difficult during the Covid-19 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, some personal contact using social distancing and masks, 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 <u>mdrprof@gmail.com</u> 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.



# Member Help Line

Mike Rohrer	612-276-9556	mdrprof@gmail.com	bowls, boxes	South Mpls
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Lee Tourtelotte	612-670-1874	leetourtelotte@icloud.com	all types, beginner, advanced	South Mpls
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Dick Hicks		rbhicks@rbhicks.com	platters, spindle work, bowls	Zoom from shop
Steve Mages	952-544-5286	smages@juno.com	general woodturning	Minnetonka
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Mark Palma	612-991-7733	marksworkshop@gmail.com	finishing & color	Lanesboro



#### MWA Demonstrations Since July 2017

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<u>Newsletter</u>	<u>Demo</u>	<u>Demonstrator</u>	Newslet		<u>Demo</u>	<u>Demonstrator</u>
July 2017	Hollowing for Embellishment	Gary Mrozek	Dec 2019		Holiday Ornament	Bob Meyer & Mike Hunter
Aug 2017	Turning & Decorating a Platter	Jeff Luedloff	Jan 2020		3-Pointed Vase/Box	Tom Sciple
Sep 2017	Bowl Coring	Neil Robinette	Feb 2020	)	Long-stem Natural Edge Vessel	Rudy Lopez
Oct 2017	Traditional Platter, Viking Bowl	Glenn Lucas	Mar 202	0	Hollow Form	Lyle Jamieson
Oct 2017	Natural Edge Bowl	Bob Meyer	May 202	0	Shop/Multiple Topics	Mike Mahoney
Nov 2017	From Tree to Bowl	Dan Larson	Mini # 1:	1	Bowl Turning. Part 1	Dan Larson
Dec 2017	Turning Ornaments	Jim Jacobs	Mini # 12	2	Bowl Turning. Part 2	Dan Larson
Jan 2018	Making a Pendant	Alan & Lauren Zenreich	Mini # 13		Christmas Bell Ornament	Robin Costelle
Feb 2018	Spindle Turning/Milk Paint	Linda Ferber	Mini # 13		Irish (Glenn Lucas) Platter	Dick Hicks
Mar 2018	Chain Saw Safety & Techniques	Steve Hagen	Mini #15		Log Processing Center	Lee Tourtelotte/Dan Larson
Apr 2018	Lidded Boxes	Steve McLoon	Mini #16		Coring	Dan Larson/Dan Ernst
May 2018	Hollow Forms & Platters	Trent Bosch	Mini #17		Wing Bowl	Dan Ernst
	Platters & Bowls	Mike Mahoney	Mini #17		Finials	Dick Hicks
June 2018	Travel Mug	Greg Just	Mini #19			
July 2018	Log Preparation & Sawmill John Er				Natural Edge Bowl	Bob Meyer
Aug 2018	Squarish Platter	Mike Hunter	Mini #20		End Grain Platter	Dan Larson
Sep 2018	Pens	Ed Mielech & Rick	Mini #21		Michael Mode Style Bowl	Lee Tourtelotte
Auge			Mini #22		Super Simple Segmenting	Jim, Jacobs
Oct 2018	Safe & Comfortable Turning	Eric Lofstrom	Mini #23		Turning & Painting a Mushroom	Linda Ferber/Rosanne Gold
Nov 2018	Finishing	Mark Palma	Mini #25		Stamping & embossing	Joan Sauvageau
Dec 2018	Finials	Steve McLoon	Mini #27	,	Pepper Mills	Steve Miller
	Lefse Sticks	Jim Jacobs	Mini #28		Marking Turnings	Linda Ferber
	A Shop	Todd Williams	Mini #29	)	Texturing, embossing	Mike Peace
	Handles	Tim Heil	Mini #31		Xmas Ornament	Hunter/Meyer
Jan 2019	Scandinavian Inspired Bowls	Dan Larson	Mini #32		Calabash Bowl	Emiliano Achaval
Feb 2019	Segmented Turning	Curt Theobold	Mini #34	<u>.</u>	Bowl Basics, Twice Turned	Sam Angelo
Mar 2019	Peppermills	Tom Sciple	Mini #35		Shop design, arrangement	Mark Palma
Apr 2019	3-Legged Stool	Keith Gotschall	Mini #36		Skew Fundamentals	Jim Jacobs
May 2019	Baby Rattle with Captive Rings	Gary Mrozek	Mini #38		Lidded, beaded bowl	Glenn Lucas
June 2019	Spheres & Embellishments	Steve McLoon	Mini #39		Christmas ornaments, gifts	Dan Larson, Dick Hicks
July 2019	Wood-Mizer Portable Sawmill	John Enstrom	Mini #40		Richard Raffan style box	Mike Hunter
Aug 2019	Finial Box	Cindy Drozda	Mini #40		Walnut; Quarter-sawn platter	Mike Mahoney
Sep 2019	Spalting	Seri Robinson			•	· ·
Oct 2019	Rings True to Life	Phil Holtan	Mini #44		Embellishments	Linda Ferber
Nov 2019	Be More Creative	Beth Ireland	Mini #45		Heart-shaped NE bowl	Dan Ernst
			Mini #47		Finishing	Eric Lofstrom



The April Monthly Challenge is "Turn A Pen". Your entries are due to me by Saturday, March 27. Thanks to all the participants in the March Monthly Challenge, "Something Lidded."

Finish your Beads of Courage boxes for the Bob Jensen memorial and get the pictures to me.

I hope everyone gets their Covid vaccine as soon as they are able. It's one thing in the list of things needed for us to be able to meet as woodturners again. My wife and I were fortunate to get our first shots last week. At 76, I realized I was among the YOUNGEST of the people driving to the clinic to get vaccinated and parked well away from all the other cars. As I got close to the clinic, I followed a large Mercury 4-door "lead sled" that I hadn't seen in decades.

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