

Arizona Woodturners Association

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Next Demonstration

Kirk DeHeer



Professional Demonstrator

**9am to 3:30pm
45 min lunch**

All day Demonstration

Members \$25.00

Non-members \$35.00

[Sign-up here!](#)

Paid participants will have link emailed to them and verified before entry.

A great all-day professional demo with a break for lunch.

Kirk has an amazing agenda for us that includes (just to mention a few): Coring – advantages and disadvantages. Tools/Techniques: And understanding catches and how to take action to correct or prevent them.



A note from Kirk: Throwback from a few years ago when I collaborated with Michael Nish on this cover for the Craft Supplies USA catalog. Michael did the bowl (Maple and Reactive metal paint) and I provided the Hollow Form. (Box Elder Burl and Reactive metal paint) and Platter (White Ash and Reactive metal paint)

Lots of Raffle prizes! Send in your Instant Gallery pictures, too!!

More pictures/info on pages 7, 16

Hello,

First, I would like to thank all of those members who helped at the State Fair. In particular I would like to thank Richard January for organizing the participation in this event and for filling many of the time slots himself. It is a large job and it was done extremely well. We all appreciate your work.



In November we have Kirk DeHeer doing an all-day demonstration for our members. Because this is an all-day event there is a \$25.00 charge to participate just like the November all-day demonstrations in previous years. Please sign up to help defray the costs of this event. You will not be able to join the Zoom meeting without payment. Kirk has a breadth of knowledge in woodturning so be ready with your questions. More information about Kirk below. Sign up today!

The December meeting will also be virtual and will focus on a demonstration by Dennis Belcher. Dennis will be doing a multi-axis vase. Dennis does a lot of artistic work and I think you will enjoy his demonstration. You can see his work at <http://www.dennisbelcher.com> There is no cost for this class as it is a replacement for the usual holiday lunch that has traditionally been held during December. Read more in the newsletter about the ornament exchange.

Hopefully, this will be the last year where our normal meetings will be so disrupted. We are doing our best to bring you good content while living with the many restrictions that are still in place. Thanks for bearing with us.

I also wanted to mention the KLC. A lot of work has been done over the last month developing classes and a tool sale. The classes will be starting in December and January so please check the calendar on the web site often to see if new things are added. Then sign up quickly so you don't miss a spot. If there are more people wanting a class than available slots there will often be an additional class established to accommodate everyone.

I would like to wish everyone a happy holiday season and please be safe and keep turning.

Best regards,

Brian Lensink
President, AWA

November 13th – Kirk DeHeer all-day demonstration on Zoom! Pay/signup today!

With over 25 years of experience Kirk DeHeer has an extensive knowledge of woodturning tools, equipment and techniques. Kirk emphasizes fundamentals, sharpening, and tool techniques. Giving students a firm foundation on which to build their skills. Kirk has been a Resident instructor at Craft Supplies USA in the Dale L Nish school of woodturning for more than 15 years where he has had the opportunity to work with many other turners as the assistant in the classroom.

It is time to make your ornament for the Alan Stratton [2021 Christmas Ornament Challenge](#). The time to submit your picture is during the month of November 2021.



This year, there is something for everyone. Grand prizes for the top ornaments selected by public vote and the two hosts in the form of gift cards. Other vendors are providing discount codes for **EVERYONE who submits an ornament.**

The top three craft clubs will receive a free IRD. (Interactive remote demo)

Check out the video at [Alan Stratton's website](#) plus he has videos of all the past years for your inspiration.

For official rules, inspiration and to submit a picture of an ornament - go to www.OrnamentChallenge.com



Here is How to enter Your Ornament

- Prepare your ornament
- Prepare one still picture of your ornament. Crop and Edit as desired.
- If you require multiple views to show off your ornament, combine the pictures into one using suitable photo editing software.
- Enter information about your ornament and about you in the form
- Receive a confirmation message. This should be very quickly after you click the button.
- Upload the still picture to DropBox. Link is above the submission form.
- Receive another confirmation email from As Wood Turns. This may take a day or two.

Sponsors

- **Craft Supplies USA** – will provide 3 prizes for ornaments selected by the hosts.
- **Woodworkers Emporium** – will provide discount coupons to all participants.
- **Alumilite** – will provide discount coupons to all participants.
- **Woodturners Wonders** – will provide discount coupons for sandpaper to all participants.
- Possibly More – stay tuned

NEW this year – any median!
Metal, wood, fabric, etc.

We won a remote demo last year through this contest. We need YOU to make an ornament and send in a picture. If you have trouble sending in the picture – send ornament picture to webmaster – I will send in for you. 😊 Let's get at least 50 people to send in a picture of their ornament! We can do this!!!

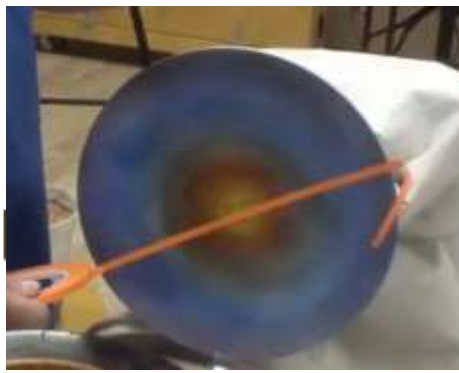
Last Meeting notes:

October 16, 2021
Cal Vander Kooi

Cal demonstrated turning a platter and airbrush techniques.

Virtual Meeting Video demonstration available in the Member's Only section of the AWA Website.

Professional videos may be available for limited times.



Items Cal used:

- FBS Distribution ProBand Fine Line Tape
- TransTint Dye
- DEFT Lacquer
- Joe Fleming – AirbrushingWood.com

Another year has rolled around – [time to renew](#) your AWA membership.

Membership benefits include (but not limited to):

- Monthly meetings - in person and/or Virtual
- Video recordings of our demonstrations (some prof. demos are limited time)
- Monthly newsletters
- AWA website with members-only section
- Google private group for messaging/sale of items/discussions
- Network with other wood turners
- Kundrat Learning Center classes
- AWA Mentors
- Membership directory
- Supplier Discount Program - discounts & support from businesses
(More information on the website and opt out process)

New:	\$40 individual	\$50 family	\$20 student
Renew:	\$35 individual	\$45 family	



Current businesses in the program have donated over \$4,000 to AWA:

AZ Carbide
 Carter & Sons Tools
 Carter Products
 Cook Woods
 Craft Supplies
 D-Way Tools
 Got Wood?
 Hartville Hardware
 Hunter Tools
 Klingspor Woodworking Shop
 Oneida Air
 Packard Woodworks
 PennState Ind.
 Robust Tools
 Ruth Niles
 Timber
 TreeLine
 Wood Workers Source
 Woodcraft
 Woodturners Wonders



Want to mail in your renewal? [Click here to print registration form](#) and mail with check to AWA.

*Discounts at these local woodworking stores (show your membership card for discount):

- [Woodworker's Source - Tempe](#)
- [Woodworker's Source - Phoenix](#)
- [Woodcraft - Phoenix](#)
- [Timber Woodworking Machinery Inc. - Mesa](#)
- [Rockler Woodworking and Hardware - Phoenix](#)

*Note: Participating stores and discounts may change without notice, subject to store rules.

November 6th & 20th Demos at Woodworkers Source!

AWA will demonstrate at the two Woodworkers Source stores in November. This is great fun, just like at the fair. Woodworkers Source is a big supporter of AWA, and they enjoy having us turn/demonstrate for their customers. This is also an opportunity for us to get new AWA members!

Saturday, November 6th – 9:30am to 3:30pm at [645 W Elliot Rd, Tempe, AZ](#)

Saturday, November 20th – 9:30am to 3:30pm at [18115 N. Black Canyon Hwy, Phoenix, AZ](#),

Want to volunteer to demonstrate? Email [Richard January](#)

Something NEW this year! We are going to do a Kundrat Learning Center (KLC) FUNdraiser!



We need your woodturning/artistic donations to sell at a vendor table! Woodworker's Source has given us permission to sell at a craft/woodturning vendor table on Nov. 6th & 20th.

Can you donate a bowl, ornaments, peppermill, pens, bottle stoppers, or any other craft median (quilting, pottery, art, etc.)? Looking to keep items between \$1 & \$50. Mark your own prices. All monies go to the Kundrat Learning Center.

We can pick up items or you can bring them to the sale – look around your house, give us a couple of those items you really don't need! Let us sell them!

Want to donate? Volunteer at the craft table? [Contact Pat Jones](#)

KIRK DEHEER WOODTURNER

Kirk has 25 years of experience. He has an extensive knowledge of woodturning tools, equipment and techniques. Kirk emphasizes fundamentals, sharpening and tool techniques.

Raffles

WHEN

November 13, 2021

9am - 3:30pm

Remote Demo

Virtual—Zoom only



ONLINE REGISTRATION

Zoom Virtual

(limited space)

\$25 AWA Member

\$35 Non Member

Arizona Woodturners Association

Saturday Demonstration:

- Core multiple bowls—two systems (McNaughton & Oneway)
- Advantages & disadvantages
- Coring options
- Most effective coring
- Tools/techniques to turn a square bowl with or without a lid
- Tools/cuts to get exceptional surface
- Lid option from the same blank as bowl using McNaughton Coring
- Comprehension discussion of turning tools
- Understand catches how to take action to correct or prevent
- & more you won't want to miss!



Instant Gallery—send your work to: webmaster@AZWoodturners.org

4+ Raffles for joining us

2+ Raffles for Instant Gallery submissions

Sign up at:

www.AZWoodturners.org





Arizona State Fair By Richard January

I would like to thank everyone that participated in the Arizona State Fair this year. We had 20 members demonstrate at the Fair. This resulted in over 350 hours of community service, providing tops for the kids and information to the community on wood turning.



We had an opportunity to talk with several individuals who expressed interest in joining with us in the future.

Woodworkers Source provided over 125 feet of hard maple for us to use for making tops. They have supported us at the fairs for many years.

We also had members who provided items to be displayed in both the Fine Arts and Home Arts displays at the Fair. Several of these items received ribbons.

Looking forward to the future, I hope that all the fairs will be back next year and that members will again participate and offer items for display.



Fair sharing: Thanks to Richard Slosky, Dale Guilford, Robert Culbertson, Dick Jones





Member sharing...

I brought this piece to the October AWA meeting to ask some of the members about turning an Acacia piece with that big void spot. They encouraged me to continue turning it. It's my favorite piece so far.

Lowell Roemke



If you are interested in learning more about woodturning – if you are a beginner or advanced – check out Shop Talk!

2nd Tuesday of the month – Shop Talk Live on Zoom.

HOST: Jim McCleary
Subject: Sharpening Gouges
November 9th, 7pm

A Zoom invite to AWA members will go out on November 8th for the Shop Talk.

Show N Tell – show us your latest projects

Video sharpening recommendation:

<https://youtu.be/-3ojO3WOeWI>

<https://youtu.be/XdF9mmJtuvU>



Thank you to John Lea
for Hosting last month's
Shop Talk!!!



Another great video from Carter and Sons Toolworks on Sharpening your Bowl Gouge – [click picture for link](#)

Beads of Courage Boxes

A big thank you to those who made BOC boxes!

**Joshua Anderson
Peter Beschenbossel
Rob Carleton
Richard January
Richard Jones**

**Bill McDonald
Martin Nonhof
Richard Slosky
Cal Vander Kooi
Kirk Welker**



This program is all about the kids. Through this program children receive unique beads that represent procedures or treatments during a serious illness. For example, they might receive a red bead for each blood transfusion, a yellow bead for each night in the hospital, a star bead for surgery or a white bead for chemotherapy. Their collection of beads becomes a tangible record of their journey. These boxes are given to children for the beads.

A ceramic "Beads of Courage" bead needs to be placed on the box – usually the knob. You can request a bead from the [AWA treasurer](#), he can mail them. Find out more information on the AWA website or at the [Beads of Courage website](#).

A club member said they were going to try making one Beads of Courage box a month for the next year! Great idea! Keep making boxes.

This is an American Association of Woodturners (AAW) sponsored project.



Channel 12 came for a visit

Watch in the near future for an “A to Z 60” story from Channel 12. The crew was there for 2 hours, but it should be about a 60 second clip about the AWA Kundrat Learning Center. Jamie Kagol, meteorologist with 12 News visited with AWA Members: Don Mitchell, Dick Jones, Jim McCleary, Willow Taylor, Rich Slosky and Craig Colin. Diane Kundrat was introduced as well.



All the members were turning - Willow & Craig in action!



Examples were brought for Channel 12 to see.



Don Mitchell turning a top



Background: The turners were told to look busy and in conversation while shooting was happening!



Jamie & Jim goofing off with "turning a pencil" in the sharpener!

Stay tuned!



Safe Use of the Woodturning Lathe

While turning wood, you are unavoidably in close proximity to a rotating machine attached to a piece of wood. This poses a number of hazards but these can be minimized with a common-sense approach.

- Make sure the wood is securely held for the task in hand.
- Never leave a chuck key in the chuck. If the lathe starts up it becomes a missile!
 - If your lathe has forward and reverse, make sure the chuck, faceplate etc. is secured with a locking screw to prevent it from unscrewing if you use the lathe in reverse for sanding.
- Check your speed - When you mount a fresh piece of wood on the lathe, make sure the lathe speed is set to be slow enough so the lathe won't vibrate dangerously.
- Position the tool rest close enough to the work piece to provide adequate support.
- Before you turn the lathe on, rotate the work piece by hand to ensure it does not catch on the tool rest.
- Don't balance tools on your lathe. That might fall off and injure you. Keep them in a rack and use just the one in your hand.
- Keep your fingers away from the rotating wood and don't hang your fingers over the tool rest.
- Wherever possible, don't stand directly in line with the rotating wood so if it comes loose, or if part of it breaks off, you aren't in the firing line. As a minimum, stand out of the way when you first start the lathe and bring it up to working speed.
- If you are turning pieces of wood with glue joints, ensure the joint is secure and use a lower lathe speed as a precaution.
- If you use cyanoacrylate (CA) glue, commonly known as "superglue", for crack / gap filling, make sure the glue is dry before turning the lathe on. Sometimes a surface skin can form but the glue beneath can still be liquid. Once it sticks to your visor, it is virtually impossible to remove cleanly. You were wearing a visor - weren't you?
- When sanding, don't wrap the abrasive around your fingers. Sand with your fingers trailing the direction of rotation.
- Never use woven cloth rags for polishing on the lathe. There are safety cloths available which are made from unwoven paper. These are designed to allow tearing if the cloth should catch.

(From Turning Times – January 2014)

November and December
demonstrations are on the 2nd
Saturdays!!



AWA All-Day Demo with Kirk DeHeer

Saturday, November 13 – [All-Day demonstration click to pay/register - ZOOM](#)

9am to 3:30pm - Zoom Virtual (limited space)

Instant Gallery – send in your pictures

(This demonstration on the 2nd Saturday takes the place of our normal meeting/demonstration.)

Join us!! Lots of great raffles, too!!

Saturday Demonstration -

- Kirk will core multiple bowls using the McNaughton coring system and the Oneway easy core system. He will explain the advantages and disadvantages of each system. This demo is useful to the turner starting out with coring, those who are wondering what system to buy and the turner that has a system but would like to be more effective with it. He will also core a lid for the afternoon project.
- He will also demonstrate the tools and technique used to turn a square bowl with or without a lid. In this demo he turns a square bowl showing the tools and cuts to get an exceptional surface. If the lidded option is chosen the lid comes from the same blank as the bowl using the McNaughton coring tool. This will include a comprehensive discussion of turning tools used and possible catches. Once you understand what a catch looks like you are able to take action to correct or prevent it from occurring.
- The balance of the demonstration will be focused on helping new turners and on honing the skills of existing turners in making the calabash bowl.

Kirk_says:

I'm honored to be part of the video series offered by [@craftsuppliesUSA](#) on the woodturning 101 workshops. These are all of the project demos that we do in the workshop. They are putting them up on YouTube. Go to the Craft Supplies USA channel and check them out.

<https://youtu.be/XubeZKjCmeU>

Kirk has been a professional woodturner and instructor for many years, and he enjoys sharing his love of woodturning in the classroom and demos with easy-to-follow instructions. He has been a popular demonstrator at many woodturning symposiums and at the Woodworking Shows throughout the country. He has also written articles on sharpening woodturning tools and has produced a DVD on sharpening. See his work and videos on Instagram [@kirkdeheer](#).





5 Beginner Wood Lathe Projects You Need to Try from Carter and Son Toolworks –
Click picture on right



My forstner bits really get fouled up with sap and fibers after drilling wet wood. I came across a method for easy cleaning. Soak then for 15-30 minutes in oven cleaner. Works on saw blades as well. I also have some areas on my lathe that I need to try. *By Dale Guilford*



Have you found a great tip in a magazine? Send it our way!

Convenient caddy for sandpaper

Because I spend way too much time looking for sandpaper among the shavings, I designed a box from $\frac{1}{4}$ " Baltic birch plywood to organize my sheets. The $4\frac{1}{4} \times 2\frac{1}{4} \times 2\frac{1}{4}$ " box, which resembles a CD storage rack, holds nine $2\frac{1}{2} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$ " strips (one-eighth sheet folded into thirds). To mount the box to my lathe, I flush-mounted two nickel-size rare earth magnets on the back. Now I have a box that keeps my sandpaper in order and is easy to move around the shop.



*Bruce Lewellyn
Westminster, California*

Metal skewer ornament stand

I wanted an ornament stand that is simple to make and good for showing off Christmas ornaments and other small turnings. I decided to make one using a regular metal BBQ skewer and a piece of scrap wood. Skewers are generally made from soft metal, so they're easy to bend into a hanger shape. As a bonus, the loop end of the skewer already has a built-in "hanger eye."



You can bend a skewer into any shape you want. I prefer a simple "L" shape and hold the metal in my carpentry vise to avoid marring the skewer with metal vise jaws. Turn and finish a wood base. Drill a hole in the base about two-thirds of the way back from the front. Mounting the skewer toward the back helps to offset the weight of the ornament, and you can make minor balance adjustments by bending the skewer more. Once you're happy with the stand and the balance, use some cyanoacrylate (CA) glue to permanently hold the bent skewer in place.

—*Rich Sabreen, Connecticut*

These tips are from American Woodturner 23.3.65

Paint roller delivers inexpensive buffing system

For small turned pieces, I need a quick way to buff through three grits. An inexpensive 9" paint roller cover came to mind and seemed like an ideal solution.

I turned two pieces of wood to fit into the ends of the roller cover (a $\frac{3}{8}$ " nap works best for me). I turned one plug with a tenon so I can use it with my chuck or a 4-prong drive center. The other end is center-drilled for my tailstock. I mount the plugs and roller on the lathe and then charge three roller areas with a range of polishing compounds. Now it's quick and easy to buff each piece to completion.

*Bill Dalton
Salem, Virginia*



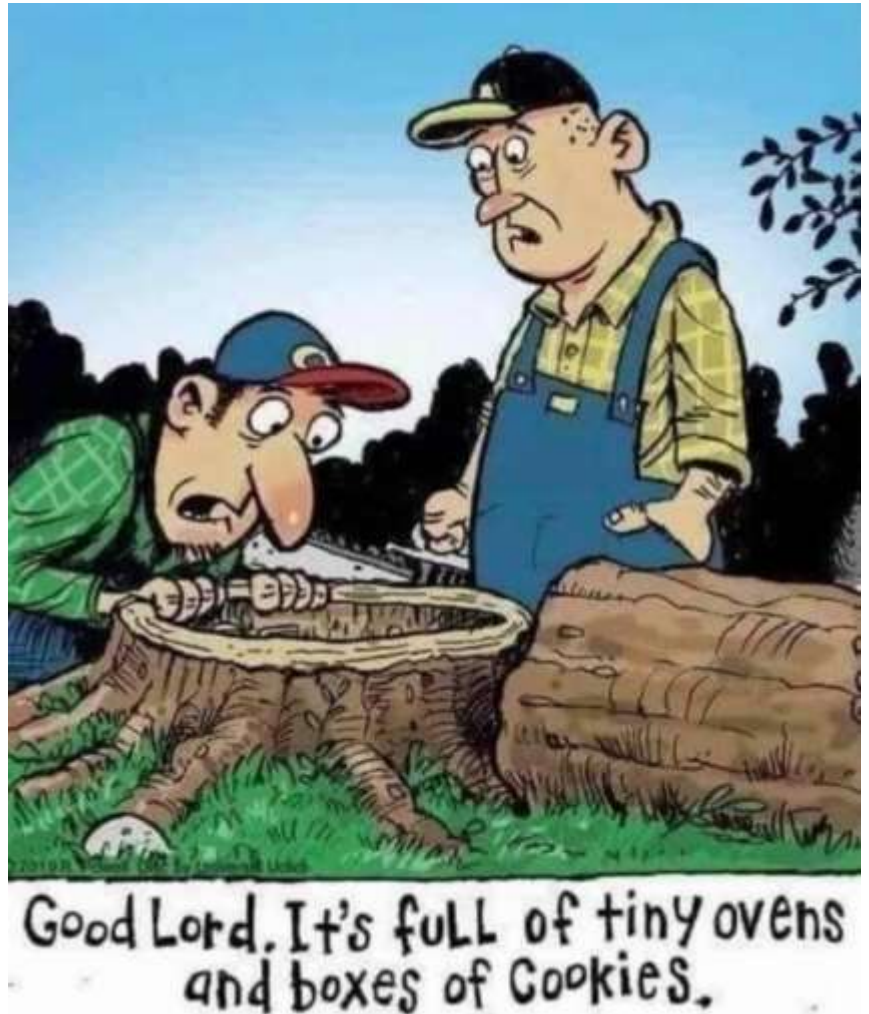
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Studies confirm that laughter lowers blood pressure and releases beta-endorphins, a chemical in the brain that creates a sense of joy.

Thank you to Jim Meizelis for supplying some humor for the AWA Newsletter.

“Woodturners need to be aware of tree homes.”



AWA Happenings for 2021

November 13th - Zoom virtual

- Instant Gallery – send to webmaster@AZWoodturners.org by 11/10
- Kirk DeHeer – professional all-day turner

\$25 members	Lots of raffles
\$35 non-members	Instant Gallery - Zoom

December 11th – Holiday Demo

- Zoom Virtual Demo
- Dennis Belcher
- Instant Gallery
- Ornament Exchange
- **Lots of Raffle prizes**
- More information on the next page

December 11th - Demonstration

Life is fuller when there are passions.

Welcome to my passion—the world of wood. Dennis Belcher, woodturner

I found the lathe a tool that kindled my passions. The ability to use my hands and eyes to form an object seen only in my mind is a marvelous thing. The sing of wood curls coming off a green log is a music that cries for more. The road of how do I do what I see in my mind, to a growing awareness of shape, color and form is an all-engaging path.



MultiAxis Flower Disc

This presentation is more than just a how to make a vertical disc functioning as a flower vase. There are several key themes woven into the presentation.

- Woodturning is a journey, not just making a thing.
- The journey starts with a simple horizontal disc then progresses to a vertical disc that becomes a canvas for a multitude of coloring, texturing, and carving techniques.
- The advantage of picking a form and mastering it rather than jumping from boxes, to platter, to bowls, to pens, to hollow forms. Doing them all, but not mastering any of them.
- The importance of working out the sequence of operations before you start is stressed.



The bulk of the time is spent actually making a multi-axis, vertical flower disc. Once the disc is completed, I walk the audience through a variety of textures, coloring techniques, and carvings that can be used to embellish the basic form.

This demonstration is part of our monthly free demonstrations for AWA members. This is a virtual/Zoom demonstration.

This December 11th demonstration takes the place of our Holiday potluck.

Sign-up for this demonstration will come via email after our November Demonstration and in the December newsletter.

Virtual Ornament Exchange and Instant Gallery will also be part of the December 11th demonstration.



December 11th Demonstration/Meeting

Rob & Susan Carleton have volunteered to organize & host the Holiday Ornament Exchange! How?

TURN an ornament for the exchange – you have to be committed to mail, deliver, whatever is worked out – to the person who wins your ornament!

Send picture of the ornament to the Carletons **by Dec. 5th**
Lots of ornament pictures in the photo gallery on the AWA

website.

Process:

- 1) Requirement: Wood or resin turned ornament created by you.
- 2) Send ornament picture to Rob Carleton's [email](#).
 - a. With your name, contact information & wood info
- 3) Each ornament will be numbered.
- 4) All names who submitted ornament pictures will be on the Spinning Wheel
 - a. A picture of the ornament with number will be on screen
 - b. Spin the wheel to see who wins it
- 5) Winning spin/person will be able to keep that ornament or steal an item up to 3 times.
- 6) The first person gets to make an option at the end if they want to exchange with one item that has not been stolen 3 times.
- 7) If less than 10 ornaments, there will be no stealing.
- 8) It is the responsibility of the ornament maker to get the ornament to the winner.
- 9) Ornament Exchange will occur at 11:30am on December 13th before the demonstration.

AWA Ornament Exchange

Make an ornament – take a picture (send in for the Alan Stratton contest – Page 4) and then include it in the AWA Ornament Exchange!!!

One ornament counts twice!!



Kundrat Learning Center (KLC)

Open House and Club Members' Tool Sale



Please save the **January 22, 2022, from 9 am-12 pm** for the **KLC Open House** and the club's **Annual Tool Sale** at the Kundrat Learning Center in Gilbert AZ.

Details, for both events, will be in the December newsletter, but start sorting through your tools and saving your pennies now. You never know what gem one of the members will have on sale.

Address questions to KLC@AZwoodturners.org

Classes at the KLC in 2021:

(Watch the AWA calendar for new classes)

Email instructor link on calendar to sign-up or click below

Nov 4th – 10:00 AM – [“Turning Tool Handles”](#)

Nov 26th 10:00 AM - [“Intro to Adding Embellishments to your turning”](#)

More classes in January, sign-up today!

See the “Skill Building for New Turners” on the next page.

Do you want to **schedule** a class? [Click here](#) to fill out the form, it will be sent to the scheduling team.

Questions on scheduling – [email the scheduling team](#).

Questions in general for the KLC – [email the KLC committee](#).

KLC “Skill Building for New Turners” Sessions



The KLC is pleased to announce a series of skill building sessions for new or inexperienced woodturners, hosted by Chuck “Lash” LaRue, beginning in January 2022.

Please join us the **2nd Saturday of each month from 9:00am to 11:00am** or the **3rd Thursday of each month from 6:30pm to 8:30pm** for two (2) hours sessions, focused on developing the basic skills of woodturning.

NOTE: The Saturday and Thursday sessions will be duplicates of each other, so please pick the session on the day of the week that best fits your schedule, but don't sign up for both sessions in each month. We want to allow for maximum participation.

Session dates:

January 8, 2022 (Saturday) — Introduction and Orientation, Shop Safety, Introduction to Woodturning Tools and How to Make Beads and Coves.

January 20, 2022 (Thursday) — Introduction and Orientation, Shop Safety, Introduction to Woodturning Tools and How to Make Beads and Coves.

February 12, 2022 (Saturday) — How to Make a Wooden Pen (Spindle Turning)-not from a kit.

February 17, 2022 (Thursday) — How to Make a Wooden Pen (Spindle Turning)-not from a kit.

Watch this newsletter or check the KLC portion of the club's web page for information about the March and April offerings.



Space will be limited to 5 attendees/session, so sign-up on the [AWA calendar website](#), now.

Address questions to KLC@AZWoodturners.org



AWA WIT members meet 2nd Wednesdays at 5:30pm, monthly at the Kundrat Learning Center in Gilbert. Watch the calendar or contact Dave Madden regarding future classes.

Women who have paid AWA dues can be added to a WIT mailing list by contacting [Dave](#).

November: Dale Guilford will be the demonstrator /speaker discussing embellishing woodturnings.

Dave Madden
WIT Liaison

AWA 2021 Board

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Richard January
Dave Madden
Don Mitchell
Pat Jones - webmaster
Pete Beschenbossel - librarian

[Sign-up for the Nov. 13th all day demo](#)

- Kirk DeHeer demonstrator
- Virtual – by Zoom invitation
- Members \$25 Non-Members \$35
- 9am to 3:30 (w/lunch break)
- **Instant Gallery turn in by Nov 10th**
- Raffle prizes (lots of prizes)
 - Spur chuck
 - R. Raffen Book
 - Wood
 - Gift Certificates



Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/AZWoodturners/>

Share your projects, ask questions, share tips – talk to each other on Facebook.

Step 1) [Click link here for AWA Facebook page](#)

Step 2) Ask to join the group

Questions on signing up for Amazon, Fry’s or Discount program?

We have folks who can walk you thru it – [email](#) today for help (or just hit reply)!

Amazon SMILE



earned over \$500 so far!

Remember to shop thru “Amazon Smile” and designate Arizona Woodturners Association as your choice to receive a 0.5% donation from Amazon! All the same stuff as “regular Amazon” but sign-in to Amazon Smile to make money for the AWA!! Sign-up today!

Fry's Community Rewards Program: *earned over \$200 so far!*

Log in to your Fry’s account, change drop down to “all” search for VD448 or Arizona Woodturners Association then click Enroll. New users will need to create an account which requires some basic information, a valid email address and a *rewards* card.



Did you know?

- From August 2019 to Sept.2021 AWA has received raffle prizes valued at \$3178.00 from our supplier partners.
- The total number of prizes are 139 items.
- In addition there were five tool donations and order discounts made directly to the KLC from our supplier partners valued at \$1601.00

Member’s Only Section of the AWA Website includes:

- Links to past video demonstrations
- Links to shop Talk Videos
- Membership Directory
- Photo Directory
- Minutes/Budget
- Supplier Discount Businesses



Women in Turning is a committee within the American Association of Woodturners organization.

November 10th next AWA WIT meeting at the Kundrat Learning Center, Gilbert, AZ

A NOTE from the Editor ...

Hello!

Halloween is over – I have been told since moving to AZ (six years ago), once you hit Halloween you get the nice weather. With us being gone most of the summer – there are no complaints on our end, and it has been beautiful lately!

Yes, the November demo is a PAID demo. I heard someone question the \$25 – if you buy any of the remote demos out there – they cost you around \$10-15 for about 2 hours. This is an all day for \$25. It's a good price. You get a professional turner to learn from and ask questions! Be sure to click on the “pay links” in the newsletter to sign up. For those of you joining us, ***be sure to send in “instant gallery” pictures to share!***

Dennis Belcher will be the remote demonstrator for December 11th. This is in place of our Holiday potluck. Do note Rob and Susan Carleton are organizing an Ornament Exchange! Hope lots of you participate!

Also be sure to send in a picture of an ornament you made this year to the Alan Stratton contest – the top 3 clubs with the most members participating get a free remote demonstration by Alan! So, send in a picture!

Last weekend we went to the Celebration of Life for Ed Jones – a long time woodturner and a member of the Prescott and AWA clubs. It was a great turnout of friends and family, with lots of his amazing segmented bowls on display.

Diane Kundrat and I will be manning the craft sale table (looking for more volunteers) for the KLC Fundraiser at Woodworkers Source in Tempe on November 6th. I hope you can donate a couple items for the sale! Ornaments or small items would be great – bring them to the sale or email me to get them picked up.

A reminder if you want to ask a question or sell an item – AWA members should send it to woodturning@googlegroups.com and it will go out to all members, after a review process.

Any questions – send my way! 😊

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**Send us an article,
review and/or pictures
of projects!**

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**AWA Meeting
November 11th,
Virtual – all day
[Pay event](#)**

Zoom invitation will be sent to those who have paid for the event

Instant Gallery – October 16, 2021

Richard January / Richard Slosky



Ben Nuccio



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Brian Lensink

Acacia



Brian Lensink

Monkey Pod



Brian Lensink

Sumac



Chip Haupt

Mulberry



Chip Haupt

Walnut



Dale Guilford

Sissoo



Gregory Campbell

Ironwood and Turquoise



Gregory Campbell
Olive and Turquoise
October 2021

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Martin Nonhof
Manzanita
October 2021

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Black Jack Oak
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Richard January
Olive
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Richard Jones
Pumpkin
October 2021

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Richard Slosky
Mesquite
October 2021

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Mesquite



Vince Sichmeller
Maple Burl
October 2021

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Willow Taylor
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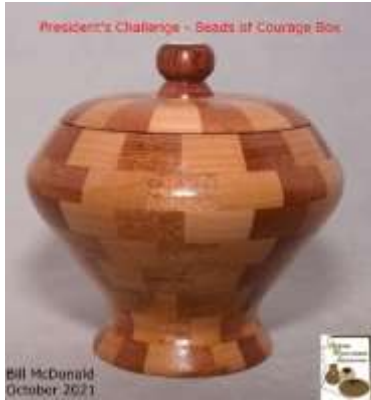


WillowTaylor
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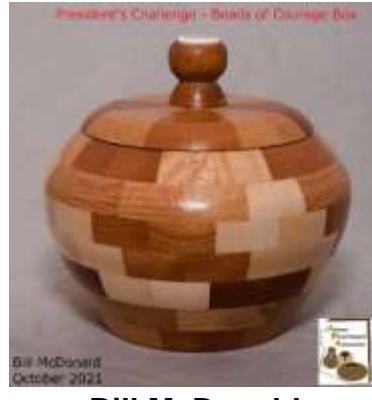
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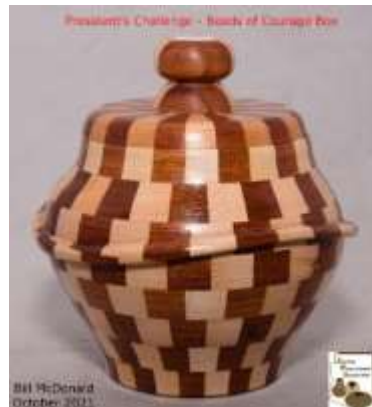
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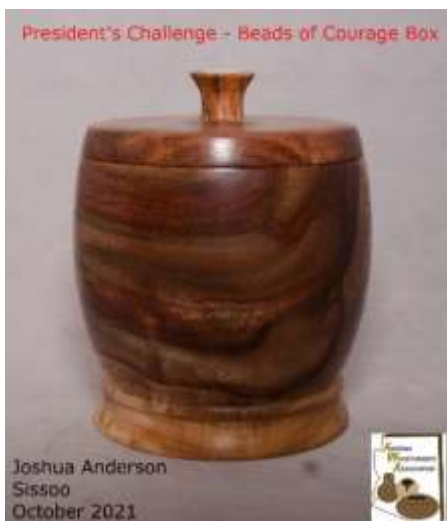
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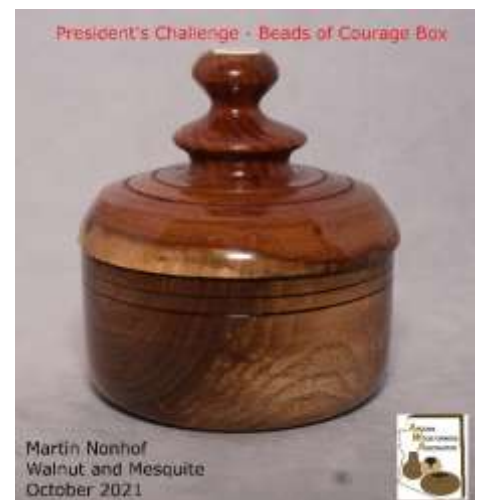


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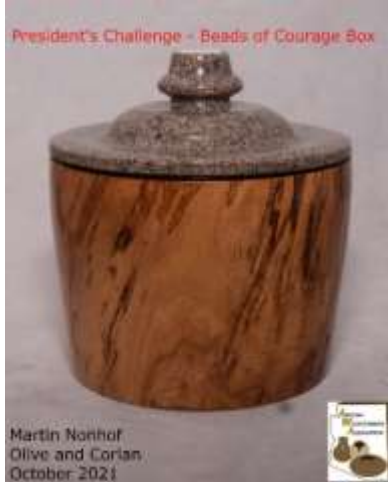


Martin Nonhof

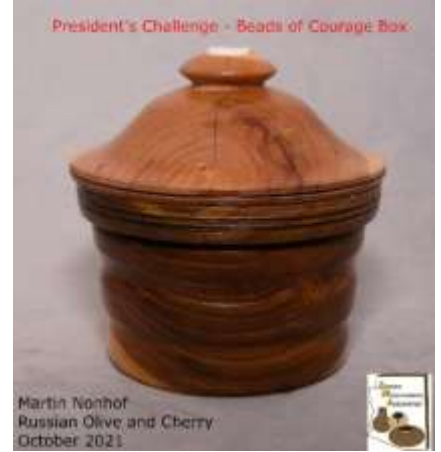
Walnut and Mesquite



Martin Nonhof
Mesquite and Acacia



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Olive and Corian



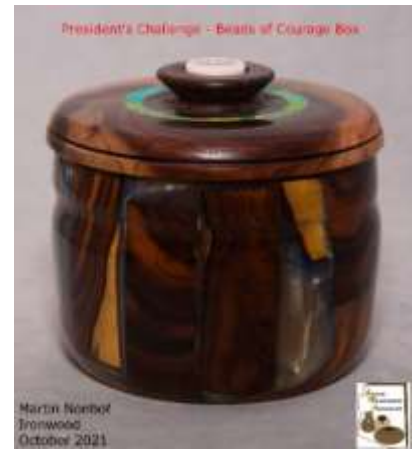
Martin Nonhof
Russian Olive and Cherry



Martin Nonhof
Cedar



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Cedar



Martin Nonhof
Ironwood



Peter Beschenbossel
Maple and Maple Burl



Peter Beschenbossel
Sapele, Walnut and Maple

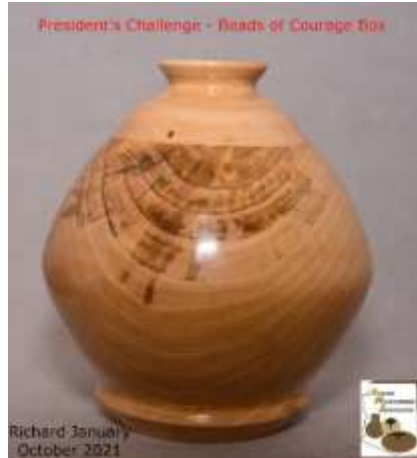


Richard January
Sissoo and Walnut

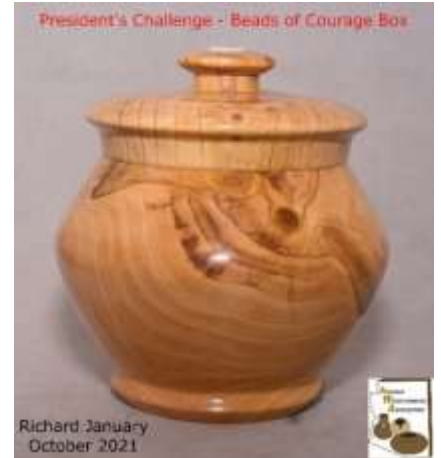


Richard January

Sissoo



Richard January



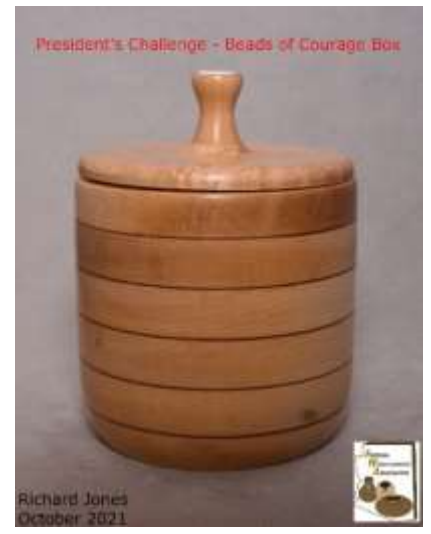
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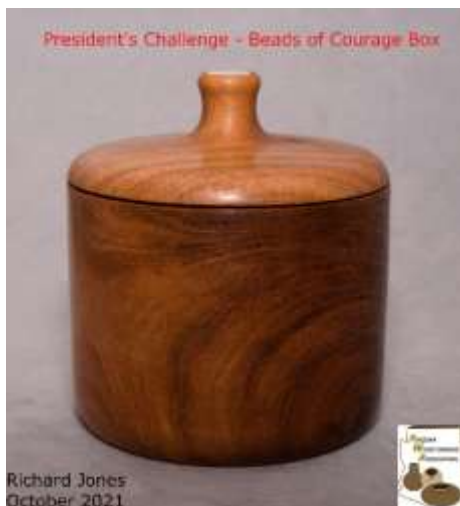
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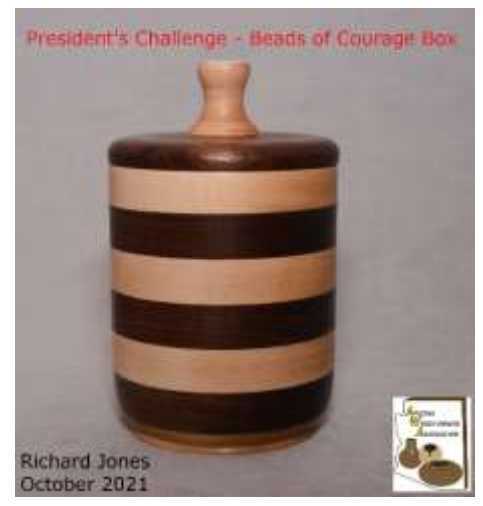
Richard Jones



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Richard Slosky
Mesquite, Cherry, and Ficus



Rob Carleton



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Acacia