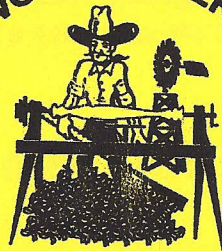


**SOUTH PLAINS
WOODTURNERS**



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South Plains Woodturners

Chartered by the American Association of Woodturners (AAW)

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SPW MEETING October 6, 2007

No Meeting !!!!

From the President

Greetings South Plains Woodturners. Remember, we have no chapter meeting in October. We hope everyone can go to the SWAT Symposium. We are looking forward to that weekend and hope many of our members attend. We'll see you in Wichita Falls. Don't forget to wear your club shirt!

As a club we wish to express our appreciation to Jim Bob for an excellent demonstration concerning finishing and finishing products. Jim Bob, you did a great job and we appreciate your time, effort and expertise about this subject. It was very interesting and informative. Your preparation was obvious. Thanks a bunch.

As the president, I am going to take liberty of mentioning some names relating to our show and tell table. Our board in many discussions, has expressed the desire to see more participation by our membership in turning items for display. In fact we appreciate the challenge David Turner extended and the participation of the membership in that event. My observation has been that the number and quality of items on the Show and Tell table has steadily increased and you are to be congratulated. You are doing a great job, keep up the good work. As a family, I would like to mention the Oglesby's. Mom and dad and grandson are all three willing participants and doing an excellent job. Guys, you are to be congratulated. Charles Swift, your walking cane last meeting was outstanding. Congratulations to you. Tom Farrell, what an outstanding Silver Maple bowl you turned. The lines were so simplistic and delicate. The features were elegant. Great job. There were certainly other great turnings, hopefully we can mention others in the future. Keep up the great work with our Show and Tell table, it is outstanding.

We hope you are working on a project for our Christmas party. We are anticipating some outstanding pieces to be shared with the group. Remember it is scheduled for the 13th of Dec. at Hillcrest Country Club. Plan to attend. Have a great month. See you at SWAT.
Larry

Demo Info

NONE!

Raffle

Winners of the previous raffle are expected to bring something for the next one, but we encourage anyone, winner or not, to bring a turning to the raffle. This insures it's success and makes for a more interesting raffle. Also, more people have a chance to win something.

Club Shirts

We are seeing more and more of you wearing club shirts and it really looks great. Charles is still taking orders for club shirts. The price for the shirt with club logo is \$30.00. Men's sizes from Xsmall to 6XL, either short or long sleeve (Tall also available). Women's sizes from small to 4XL. If you want your name on it, the name is \$8.00. See Charles to order.

Other club meetings

Our sister club, COMANCHE TRAIL WOODTURNERS, meets the second Saturday of each month in Midland, Texas from 10:00am to 12:00 Noon. Normally they meet at George Hancock's shop at 1709 Clark Street.

The Amarillo club, PANHANDLE AREA TURNERS SOCIETY Meets The second Saturday of each month in Amarillo, Texas at 9:00am , normally At Bob Corn's shop at 7100 E. Willow Creek Road.

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From: "Thomas Farrell" <tfarrellsrwa@yahoo.com>
To: "Charles H. Swift" <chswift@suddenlink.net>
Sent: Tuesday, September 04, 2007 8:48 AM
Subject: Woodturning

Good Morning Charles,

I met a couple of people after our Saturday meeting who are interested in our club. Tony Poteet said he had requested information at the Arts Fest. and has not received any.

Tony Poteet
8820 Woodrow Rd.
Wolfforth, TX 79382 Tel. 863-2856

The other person I met, Mike Burk, is also known as "The Toy Doctor". He visits the hospitals in the area and gives sick children toys. He is interested in receiving information about our club. He mentioned he has some pictures and other information he would share with us. He is not a woodturner (yet) but looking at the hand carved cane he was carrying, I would consider him an expert wood carver and decorative artist. I mentioned the possibility of some kind of collaboration with our club to the aid of childrens toys. I think if we can persuade him to come to a meeting and make a brief presentation it would be beneficial all around. I have his card, but it does not have a mailing address. It does have an email address and a telephone number.

Mike Burk, toydocmike@sbcglobal.net tel. 806-745-5585

I have invited him to our meetings. Would you please call and evaluate this opportunity?
I am sure he would appreciate receiving a news letter and an additional invitation.

I notice that Commanche Trails has announced the date of their Christmas party as December 13th. I wonder if this is a typo since it is the same date as our party.

Thanks for all you do,

Tom Farrell

Agenda item for Nov. ↗

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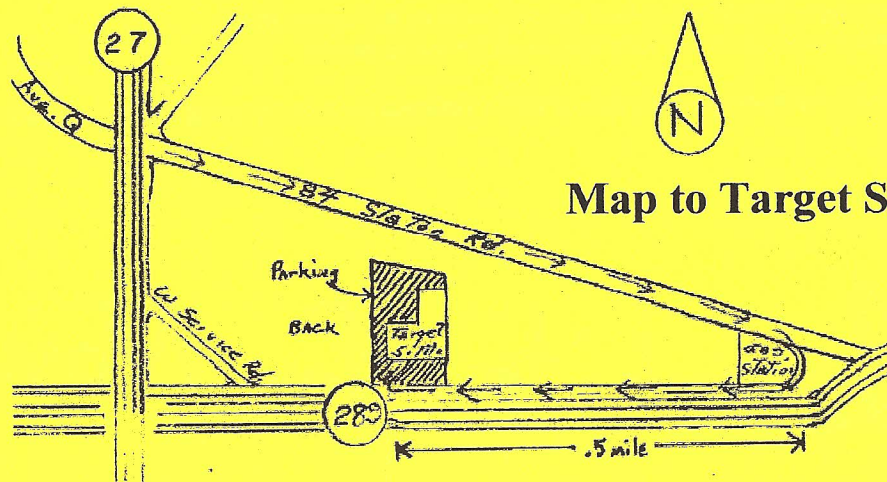
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