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## Newsletter and Minutes of the December 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020 meeting



### –UPCOMING EVENTS–

#### Monthly Meeting:

January 21<sup>st</sup> @ 6:30pm

Dear Members,  
This month we will continue with a virtual Zoom meeting

Show and Tell @ 6:30pm

Trent Bosh Demo @ 7:00pm

Send your Show and Tell pictures to Mike @ [Mikecotton01@gmail.com](mailto:Mikecotton01@gmail.com)

Meeting Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8346129072?pwd=T3p1NHMxSUMzbHJxWVhJR3ZVMFJEQT09>

Meeting ID: 834 6129 0727

Passcode: wood

### –LEARN TO TURN–

#### Making Carbide Tip Tools Pen Turning

Need help, advice, or guidance with a current project or one you're hesitant to start?

Need help sharpening a certain tool/angle or want to try the Wolverine Vari-grind setup?

Bring your tools or projects to the next Learn to Turn!

- Rick will be making carbide tools
  - Lathes setup for pen turning
- !!!!\*\*POSTPONED\*\*\*\*!!!!

~~6:00pm before the next monthly meeting on March 19<sup>th</sup>~~

## President's Notes

*Rick Bugbee*

Happy New Year and welcoming in your new slate of officers. Rick Bugbee President, Roland Lavoie Vice President, Mike Cotton Secretary and of course Bob Hopkins Treasurer.

Hopefully, we can get back to somewhat normal soon, but it still looks like a few months away. I am planning to get into the classroom and do some much needed cleaning and organizing. There's about 9 months of dust to be cleaned and I also purchased a new mobile base for the lathe. We also have the band saw there donated by Bob Hopkins so I'll try to make some room.

The school is in the process of installing a handicap elevator which will be done soon. Although we do not have handicapped members at this time, it may come in handy in the future.

We have a great demo to start the year off with. Trent Bosch will be doing vessels and hollow forms. He also makes and sells his own tools as well.

Mike Cotton has been hard at work creating our own professional style Zoom meetings. We purchased extra cameras, tripods and mechanical arms to position cameras and we are investing in a vMix program. His trial run was done for CNEW at Roland's shop a few weeks ago. This setup is key not only to travel out but at some point, future Zoom meetings from the school.

Would you like to do a demo from your shop? We are booking for March and April. Mike and I will come to your shop and take care of Zoom, you only need to have strong internet access and an interesting topic to show. For more info give me a call.

Please send Show and tell photo's to [mikecotton01@gmail.com](mailto:mikecotton01@gmail.com) for the newsletter and Zoom meeting. This works much better than you trying to hold a piece in front of your computer.

**I was reading the CNEW newsletter and thought this was an amazing number of officers and chair people organizing the club:**

President: Carolyn MacDonald

External VP: Rick Angus

Internal VP: Mike Smith

Treasurer: Rob Pacini

Secretary: Bob Terrill

Newsletter Editor: Bruce Mellor

Photographer: Joe McGill

Video Librarian: Greg Carell

Project Goodwill Coord: Charlie Croteau

Learn 'N Turn Coord: Peter Wilcox

Learn 'N Turn Coord: Chris Cherry

Videographer: Peter Swanson

Club Store Manager: Kevin Nee

Big Name Demo Coord: Rick Angus

Club Project Coord: Steve Reznick

Membership: Ross Farrugia

Webmaster: Dominic Ryan

Woodturning Sales: Reid Gilmore

I am hoping for a great new year for our club. If you have some new idea's or if you would like to get more involved now's the time. *The club is only as strong as its members*

## Meeting Minutes

### New Business

#### ➤ OWT Website

- Redesign/New Site?
  - We will need to 'bite the bullet' at some point and setup a new website
  - Craig is trying to update the current site but is having issues uploading and updating recent content
  - Current system is very outdated and difficult to work with
- A vote was taken at the November meeting to allocate funds which passed unanimously!
- We're in the process of gathering quotes for the update

#### ➤ Donations Welcome!

Hi all. I hope everyone is enjoying the Zoom meetings so far. Since we don't know how long this situation will be going on, President Rick Bugbee has been working hard to get interesting demos for the club. We are looking at getting some professional demonstrators, like you'd see at one of the symposiums. This will take more money than we usually spend for demos.

Since we can't hold 50/50 raffles or wood raffles during a Zoom meeting, our treasury is not growing through the year like it has in the past. If you'd consider making a donation to the club to help support our efforts, you can make that donation at our "Donate" page on the website, <http://www.oceanwoodturners.com/donate.cfm>. Every little bit will help.

Stay safe, and we look forward to seeing everyone again soon!

#### ➤ December Show and Tell Meeting

Unfortunately, we couldn't have our Christmas party in person this year, but we made the best of the situation. We had 14 members join in for the Show and Tell with some good information exchanged in addition to plenty of laughs. Definitely a good time!

With that said, I think we should continue using this format as much as possible for our show and tell going forward. The image quality is far superior to holding a piece up to a webcam. This is significantly more work, but I feel the outcome is worth the effort.

Please continue to send your show and tell submissions to me at [Mikecotton01@Gmail.com](mailto:Mikecotton01@Gmail.com)

I've attached the PowerPoint slideshow from the meeting below and pulled a few pieces from each member to display below. Thank you all for your efforts and participation to make this a successful event!!



Christmas Party Show  
and Tell.pdf

Links mentioned: [Wood To Works](#)  
[Trent Bosh Tool Handles](#)  
[Ellsworth Hollowing Tools](#)  
[EleksMaker A3 Pro Laser Engraver](#) - Price increased since purchase on 11/1/19



## Show and Tell

Rick Bugbee  
Catalpa Vase 15" Diameter at the mouth and about 12" tall  
6 Corner Bowl with Epoxy Finish





Ian Campbell  
Bowl on Finishing Rotisserie





Chris Rowe  
Pens with Laser Engraving



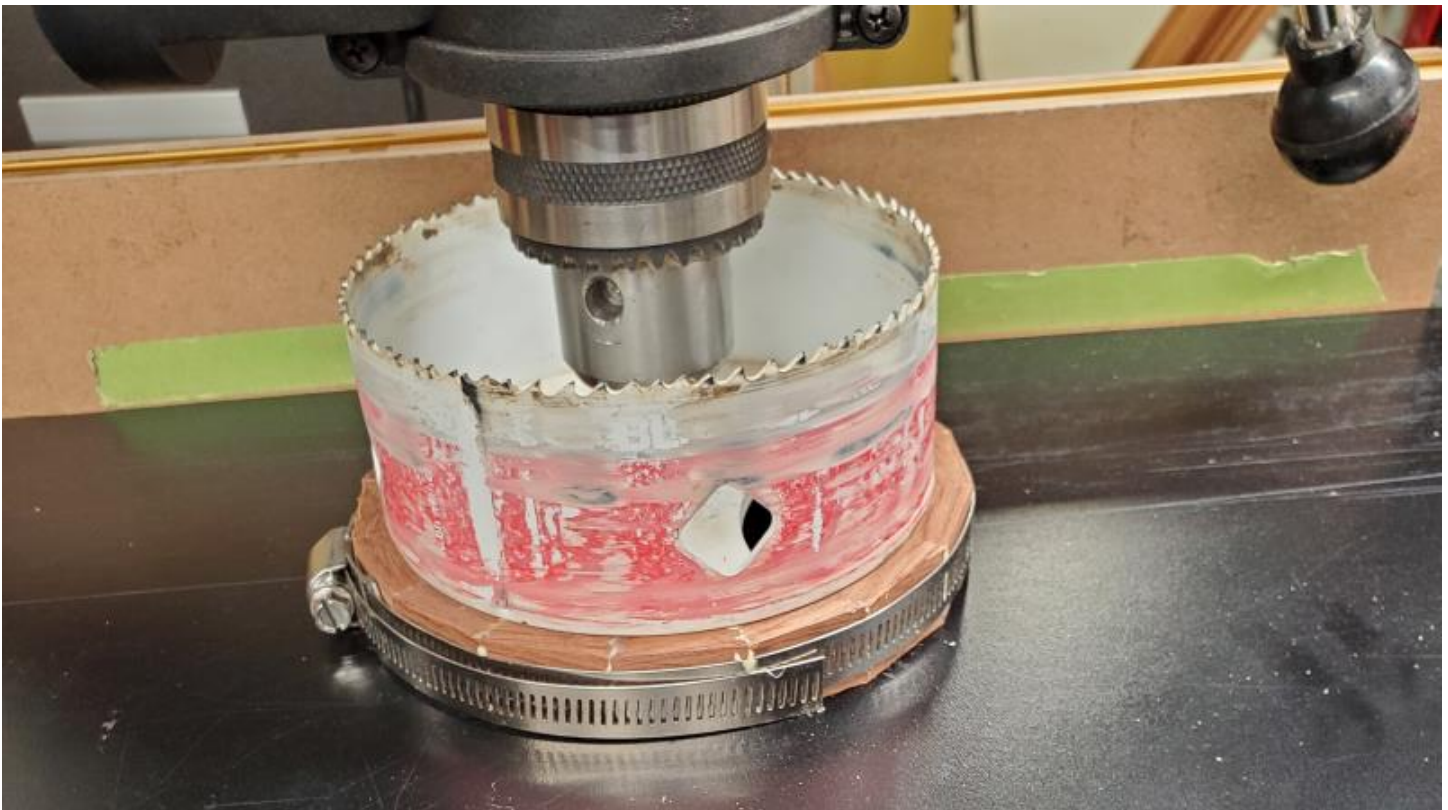


Paul Tavares  
2 Segmented pieces and 2 Ambrosia Maple Boxes



Jim Morgan

1<sup>st</sup> Segmented turning, Beech with 16 segments per ring using a wedgie sled with Hut Finish  
Homemade Ring Press using an upside-down hole saw on a drill press





Jeff Mee

Oak Mushroom - 12" Diameter by 23" Tall

Heavily Spalted Maple Snowman - 6 ½" Diameter by 17" Tall



Oak  
23" Tall  
12" Diameter



Jeff Mee

- Heavily Spalted Maple
- 17" Tall
- 6 ½" Diameter



Patrick McCarthy  
VetsTurn Recipient - First Bowl





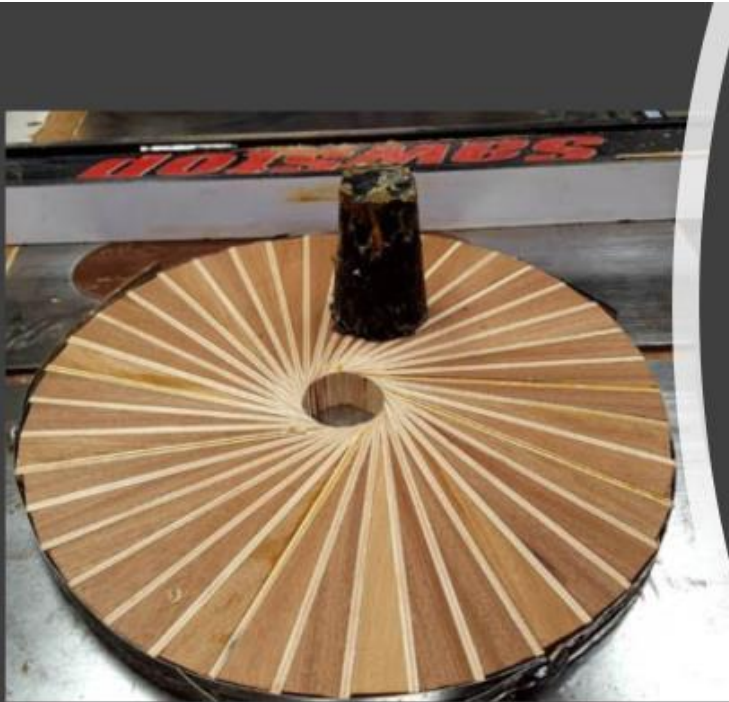
Dan Corcoran

Spalted Elm Bowl, Figured Maple 11" Diameter by 5-6" Deep with Hampshire Sheen, Red Oak Plate 13" Diameter, Red Maple Hollow form





Alex Amoruso  
18" by 1 1/2" Sapele, Maple and Cherry Tangential Platter



- Step 3
  - Assemble the 40 wedges around a cone with a slight taper
  - Glue and clamp tightly
  - After the glue sets apply a center piece by drilling the center hole to clean up the edges with a protruding piece at the bottom of the platter to allow applying the chuck
  - Flatten out the front surface on the lathe so you can apply the ringed edge

This is it

18 in x 1 1/2 Sapele or African Mahogany platter

This assembly method is called Tangential Assembly





Bob Hopkins  
Bloodwood with Sputnik Sea Urchin, Christmas Tree and Lighthouse Ornaments  
Father-Son Collaboration Bowl as a gift to Mom from Dad



Mike Cotton

Black Walnut Mushroom 9" Tall, Live Edge Black Walnut Crotch 12 ½" Diameter by 4" Tall





Roland Lavoie

Red Cedar Indian Art Hollow Form with Epoxy Finish, Christmas Tree Forest, Red Cedar Flower Undercut Bowl and Large Christmas Tree









## Demo

There was no Demo this month

Ocean Woodturners Group E-mail is [Oceanwoodturner@freelist.com](mailto:Oceanwoodturner@freelist.com) you must sign up to receive this:

1. Go to [Oceanwoodturners.com](http://Oceanwoodturners.com)
2. Select become a member
3. Go to step 4 and add your e-mail to enroll

Email Jeff Mee at [jmee@hotmail.com](mailto:jmee@hotmail.com) if you're having trouble.

Check out the Ocean Woodturners Facebook page!!  
Make sure to Like and Share to help bring much-needed public exposure to our Club!

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### NEXT MEETING:

Thursday, January 21st, 2021, 6:30 PM  
Zoom Link will be e-mailed to members and posted on Facebook

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