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Newsletter and Minutes of the March 18th, 2021 meeting



-UPCOMING EVENTS-

Monthly Meeting:

April 15th @ 6:30pm

Dear Members, This month we will have an inperson meeting at the school as well as virtually through Zoom!

--Please see President's Notes below for details...

Show and Tell @ 6:30pm

Demo hosted by A.R.T @ 7:00pm

Zoom link will be sent as soon as we receive it, keep an eye on your email.

-LEARN TO TURN-

Lathes and sharpening station will be available this month at 6pm!!!

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!

6:00pm before the next monthly meeting on April 15th

President's Notes

Rick Bugbee

Is this the new normal? The school will be open for the April 15th meeting. Registration is required as I need to know how many members will be attending. This will determine if we use the classroom or the cafeteria. Masks will also be required, and social distancing will be in place. Call or text my cell 401-486-8428 or email me at wholesalegroupri@aol.com to reserve a spot.

The lathes and sharpening station will be available from 6pm to 7pm. During this meeting we will be viewing a Zoom demo from A.R.T.

- I am hoping to bring in some black walnut for our wood raffle
- Show and tell will be after the demo

Our May meeting will be **ZOOM ONLY** as we will be doing a great demo from Roland's shop (and there's not enough room for everyone).

As of right now it looks like our June, July and Aug meetings will be at the school. This is subject to change so please check your email and our Facebook page.

I want to make this clear YOU DO NOT HAVE TO ATTEND IF YOUR NOT COMFORTABLE BEING

AROUND OTHER MEMBERS. Zoom meetings will still be run no matter what.

I have been in touch with A.R.T. and we are planning a rotating meeting each month with them. This will help with finding demo's but will also give us a chance to meet new members and their talents and work habits.

- Demos are needed. They can be done from your shop and or at the school with Mike and I to do the Zoom part. Please and Thank You
- Ocean Wood Turners is now offering affiliate memberships
 - Affiliate members will have access to all online club activities including e-mails, newsletters and Zoom meetings
 - Affiliate members are non-voting and cannot run for offices
 - o The annual fee of \$15.00 per year can be paid on our web site oceanwoodturners.com

Don't forget to check and see if you have paid your dues this year!

Meeting Minutes

New Business

> OWT Website

- Redesign/New Site?
 - o 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
- Bob Hopkins has found Dan Cordeiro to work on the web site.
 - Craig has spoken with Dan and it looks like he can do a similar site and make it more 2021 friendly.
 - o We will be deciding on which way to go once we get the estimated cost.

Demos Needed!!!

- Looking for members who want to help the club by doing a demonstration at our monthly meeting.
- They can be done from your shop or at the school with Rick and Mike to do the Zoom part.

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> Interactive Remote Demo (IRD)

- New camera, stands and arms have been purchased and we are looking to invest in the vMix program for our zoom meetings.
- We currently have 3 cameras, (2) 1080p HD and (1) 4K HD for over the headstock, behind the tailstock and straight on (demonstrator view)

Dues for 2021 are now due and payable by CC on the website:

OWT Dues Payment Link

Show and Tell

Bob Hopkins

Bottle Stoppers: Elm Burl with resin and Bloodwood Maple Bowl turned for his folks from a tree in their yard



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Rick Bugbee

Small hollow form to try my new tools from Trent Bosch they worked great on this 5" maple piece

Flaming box elder with a glass top I saw this at one of our meetings and wanted to give it a try Great idea, but I forgot from who









Mike Cotton

Fishing lures turned from 2x2 Alaskan Yellow Cedar, 316L Stainless Steel through wire, airbrushed with 2x Epoxy finish







Demo

Cutting Tangential Wedges with Alex Amoruso

- Cutting wedges to assemble a Tangential blank that can be turned into a beautiful bowl - Link to YouTube video: Click Here















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

- 1. Go to 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 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!

www.facebook.com/OceanWoodturners/

NEXT MEETING:

Thursday April 15th, 2021 - 6:30 PM Zoom - 6:00PM Learn to Turn Zoom Link will be e-mailed to members and posted on Facebook

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