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Newsletter and Minutes of the May 21st, 2020 meeting



-UPCOMING EVENTS-

Monthly Meeting:

June 18th @ 6:30pm

Dear Members, This month we will continue cautiously with another virtual meeting via Zoom.

Sign in will start at 6:30 for Show and Tell followed by a demo by of Woodturning

Keep an eye on your e-mail for the invitation link.

Please be safe, stay home and keep turning.

-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 19th

President's Notes

Rick Bugbee

It's been almost 4 months since we've been without our normal school meeting. Although we have had some great Zoom demo's by Mike Cotton and Roland Lavoie, not to mention a great one lined up for June 18th, I personally can't wait to get back to in person meetings.

Now that the state is in phase two, I think we are close to getting back to what will be the new normal. They have said school will open on time for the upcoming school year, but they have not confirmed that we will be allowed in yet.

We did a short survey and many members would not be ready to return until things seem a bit safer. With that said Mike and I are working on a plan to Zoom the meetings from school if or when we return.

We are also looking at bringing in outside Zoom meetings into the school instead of live demonstrations. This will allow us to find demos from all over the world. Many clubs have been doing this for a while now with great success.

Time to prepare for the new normal. Happy Turning Stay Safe

Secretary's Notes

Mike Cotton

Any members interested in having Show and Tell pictures added to the newsletter can e-mail them to me at Mikecotton01@gmail.com

Thank you and stay safe!

Treasurer's notes

Bob Hopkins

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Show and Tell



Michael Rinaldi shows his homemade scraper made from $\frac{1}{2}$ " square solid carbide he had from his metal lathe inserted into $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 1" piece of a car roof rack.



Paul showing his wall hanging made from cherry, blackwood and manmade Ivory





Bob Hopkins shows his Spalted Maple Bowl, Madrone Bowl, FIB (Found in Basement) Bowl and Spalted Maple Vase



Rick Bugbee shows a Maple Burl which wrapped $\frac{3}{4}$ of the way around a Red Maple tree. He designed this turning around a clam or horseshoe shape





Jay Lima shows a Cherry Burl Bowl sanded to 300 and finished with mineral oil and beeswax.

- 2. Red Oak honey dipper/baton sanded to 220 and finished with Mylands sanding sealer/polish and hut wax.
- 3. Norwegian Maple Bowl last month rough. It was full of larva and worm holes. He let it dry for a month. It was very punky so he tried Roland's epoxy technique from this months demo. He went to true it up the next day and this crazy insect hatched and broke through the epoxy and started to come out. He pulled it out of the mortise with a pair of pliers and it's head came off. It's body stayed alive for at least an hour. After dealing with this he finished the bowl with Mylands sanding sealer/polish and Hut wax.

<u>Demo</u>

Roland Lavoie demonstrates his method of using epoxy as a finish!







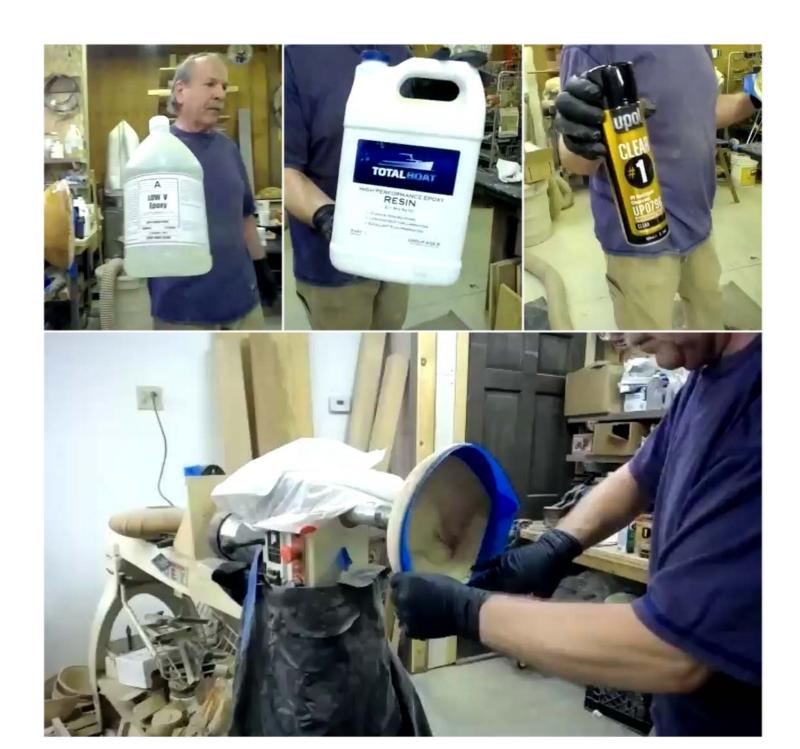


















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- 2. Select become a member
- 3. Go to step 4 and add your e-mail to enroll

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NEXT MEETING:

Thursday, Feb 20th, 2020, 7:00 PM / Learn to Turn at 6:00 PM Ocean State Academy 1301 Elmwood Ave. Cranston, RI

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