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#### Newsletter and Minutes of the September 16th, 2021 meeting



#### -UPCOMING EVENTS-

#### **Monthly Meeting:**

October 21st

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

Learn to Turn @ 6:00pm Meeting Start/Zoom @ 6:30pm Roland Lavoie Demo @ 7:00pm

Zoom link will be sent out via e-mail!

#### -LEARN TO TURN-

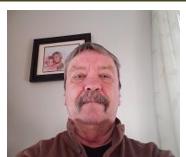
Lathes and sharpening station will be available this month at 6pm!

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!

# President's Notes



Rick Bugbee

Time fly's when you're having fun. With that said we must be having extra fun. It's already October which means it's time to talk about elections. First, we need a nominating committee for the upcoming October meeting followed by nominations at the November meeting. Anyone interested in becoming an officer or helping with the nominations should attend the October meeting.

As the holidays are right around the corner Roland Lavoie will be demonstrating his snowmen (and Snow women of course) this month. Some of you may have seen these on his Facebook page. Looks like lots of fun and great spindle practice as well.

Speaking of holidays, we will start to plan our holiday meeting which has been a potluck meal along with the voting of board members. We will talk about this at the October meeting in detail. If anyone would like to run this committee, please come to the meeting. We need a well-planned social event.

The woodshop class is underway, and the 4 students involved are very excited to show up to school on Friday. After a few introduction classes they have started to build their own carpenter style tote toolbox. Anyone interested in getting involved please speak with Rick.

We still need one more demo for our November meeting. Anyone can do a demo of any kind and any skill level.

Remember the monthly meetings are live in person and ZOOMED as well. Either way we hope to see you there.

# **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.
  - We will be deciding on which way to go once we get the estimated cost.
  - Website enhancement suggestion: Add a member directory for members to contact other members
  - User Acceptance Testing (Dry Run) to be performed soon

#### 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.

## OWT Affiliate Memberships

- 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.
- The annual fee of \$15.00 per year can be paid on our web site oceanwoodturners.com

## > 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)

# **Show and Tell**

# **Roland Lavoie**

Christmas Ornaments (Snowmen with puff paint) • Two White Birch Bowls (One Live Edge)



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Jerry Bernadini
Live Edge Black Walnut Bowl (From wood brought to the club) – Maple Bowl Dried in Microwave – Cherry Bowl with
Fractal Burning



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# **Rick Bugbee**

Tool Review of Easy Woodturners Quick Change Chuck – Used a little over 2 months Direct Thread – Seconds to change jaws – Rated B due to expense – Likes the chuck but expensive!





<u>Demo</u>
Spindle Turning with Rick Angus









Ocean Woodturners Group E-mail is <a href="mailto:Oceanwoodturner@freelist.com">Oceanwoodturner@freelist.com</a> 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 <a href="mail.com">jmee@hotmail.com</a> 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 October 21st, 2021 - 6:00 PM in person and 6:30 PM on Zoom Zoom Link will be e-mailed to members and posted on Facebook

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