



Newsletter of Ozark Woodturners

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May 2018 ISSUE. MEETING Saturday May 19 at 12:00 PM at Lakeview Civic Center Park.

ANNUAL PICNIC Saturday 12:00 - 4:00.

2018 CLUB OFFICERS & Phone No.

PRESIDENT RON UFKES 870/507-0007, **V-P.** DARCIE DIDDEN 870/404-3711, **SECRETARY** ART RITTER 870/257-5999, **TREAS.** JAMES PRUITT 870/481-5315 and leave a message, **LIBRARIAN** BOB KARR, **Newsletter Editor** Sherman Anderson 870/615-0329.



APRIL SHOW & TELL

Seven members presented Show and Tell projects: Harry McBride, Ed Boiteau, Terry Gammill;, Bud Brown, Jerry Hankins, James Pruitt and Kenny Garrison.



James Pruitt made the above chart showing sequence to use for turning pen blanks.

Type to enter text Bowl was walnut, maple , and purpleheart. the top ring was made from 3/4 walnut. The middle ring is made from 1/2" purpleheart laminated to a 3/4" piece of maple. I made the base from a 2 1/2 " piece of walnut to get the shape I wanted. Ring 1 and 2 have 6 segment with 30 degree angles. The long side of the segment is 3 7/8 " long. When cutting ring 2, the purpleheart must be on the outside. I gave the bowl 3 coats of wipe on poly. Sanding between coats. Then used eee to wax it. inclding cutting, glue up, tuning and finishing it took about a week. I got this plan from woodturningonline.com A Segmented Turning Project for Beginners. Bud Brown



VETERANS HOSPITAL WOODTURNING PROGRAM James Pruitt, DAV

COORDINATOR and Club Treasurer

Ten members of the new DAV Support Group met yesterday to teach, learn and prepare pen blanks for the Little Rock pen turning Veterans. We spent some time getting set up and discussing the various steps to prepare the pen blanks. The new pen turners had a chance to see, learn, and help prepare the pen blanks. A huge thanks to Kenny Garrison for helping get my stuff to the workshop and for helping organize the event.

Thanks to everyone who is continuing to support this worthwhile cause.

To learn more about our support of the VA wood turning program, see our web site www.ozarkwoodturners.com or James Pruitt.

Our Veterans could use your personal assistance at their "Turning Center" on Mondays from 10 to 12 and 1:30 to 3:30 and Tuesdays from 1 to 3. Call James Pruitt to make arrangements to travel to Little Rock to assist. You can ride the DAV van, if there is room.

See James Pruitt (our Treasurer) if you want to contribute to our club's Veterans Support Fund.

Still looking for a club DAV coordinator.

VICE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**ANNUAL PICNIC
SATURDAY MAY
19
LAKEVIEW CIVIC
PARK**

Please remember your side dish to bring.

Darcie phone 870/404-3711

No demo and no raffle this month

Demonstrations are needed for our June and July meetings. Please step up and demo your work. Contact Jerry Hankins, demo coordinator. Phone 479-857-3980

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hi All:

We have been talking about a workshop for the club. I plan to get together with the board members and settle on a date, probably be in July, and let you know at the June meeting.

I am told that Jim Pruitt's wife, Earline, is having health problems again. We wish her a speedy recovery.

I won't be able to get to the picnic on the 19th. The Art Odyssey always has the studio tour on the third Saturday in May. I hope you all have a good time.

I don't have much to report this month, so I'll see you all in June.

Ron

I hope to see you all at the picnic on Saturday.

Ron

Member Discounts with Vendors

The Woodwork Shop, Bartlett, TN

Hartville Tools

Klingspor Company

Woodworker's Supply

Ask for the 10% discount before you place your order. Vendors get an updated roster from James Pruitt. **SPECIAL DAY OF WOODTURNING**

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CLUB MENTORS

Bud Brown 870/431-5819,

Phil Wiles 870/405-7283,

Kenneth Higgins 870/405-7283,

Ron Ufkes 870/507-0007,

James Pruitt 870/656-0639 & S

Sherman Anderson 870/615-0329

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SPECIAL DAY OF WOODTURNING with ANDY HILTON
SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 8 * Lakeview Civic Center. Ed Boiteau,
Chairman

MINUTES OF APRIL MEETING:

OWT April Meeting Minutes 4-21-18

President Ron Ufkes opened the meeting at 1:05 pm at the Lakeview Civic Center. Other officers in attendance was James Pruitt, Treasurer, Bob Karr, Librarian, Art Ritter, Secretary. There were 29 members and visitor Andy Uren in attendance. Six members presented items in the show and tell segment of the meeting. It was noted that a remote mic is not to be found. Please notify Ron or Red Murr if anyone knows where this remote mic is.

Club picnic will be held at the Civic Center on 5-19-18. Members are to notify Darcie if attending and what potluck item you are bringing. 870/404-3711 Ron announced that member John Uelmen, 93 years young, passed away on 3-16-18. Workshop date was discussed, no date was decided on. The North Arkansas woodcarvers show is May 6th and 7th, members were encouraged to participate. Pen blank workshop will be held on May 28th, James encouraged anyone interested in learning preparation of pen blanks, to attend.

.James stated that the cutoff date for paying dues was at the end of March. After this date member's name will be deleted from the roster. Meeting adjourned at 1:40 pm.

Harry Mcbride gave a demo on segmented bowl planning and turning Photos shown on Page 3.

Treasurers report: General fund \$2,756 of which the VA fund has \$1,045. The demo was presented by HARRY MCBRIDE on segmented bowl assembly.

Submitted by secretary Art Ritter.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Dues are all paid up. James could not get a new report due to his wife's care needs in Little Rock Hospital. Club treasury has \$2,944. An updated membership roster has been sent to vendors who offer discounts.

“OZARK WOODTURNERS EMBROIDERED T-SHIRTS

**Where One Good Turn
Deserves Another”**

\$10.00

On display at the Sale Table

Gary and Linda Smith