

WOOD CHIPS

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LAST MONTHS PROGRAM

About 40 members were present for our holiday spectacular with President Woodhouse presiding. Our gift exchange had everything, wine, tools, books, wood, a giant pacifier, a large mouth bass, tape, ornaments, a wallet(no money), gift certificates and lots more. With a large smile, obviously a very happy occasion, President Woodhouse presented Don Gruis, our new president, the keys to the front door. In a long drawn out acceptance speech, Don outlined his plans for the club in 2002. To summarize, he intends to make it fun and educational. Also if you have any ideas for improvements to the clubs operations let Don know, he wants to hear them.

JANUARY PROGRAM-2002

Internationally known segmented turning expert, Kevin Neelley will return to complete his segmented turning session. Kevin did a great job with Part I and Part II promises to be equally good. See you there.

SET UP-CLEAN UP

Tracy McCarty
Jim Faherty

New Member

Dwight D. Herrick

SATURDAY WORKSHOP

On the fourth Saturday of each month from 8:30am to noon at Consolidated Lumber you can use the club's lathes to improve your turning skills. Knowledgeable club members will be available to answer your questions and assist you in learning new work methods.

TOOL SHOW-2002-

Dick Woodhouse and Chris Kunzle have volunteered to serve as co-chairmen of the 2002 tool show. Show dates are Feb. 15th thru the 17th. Dick and Chris will be in touch with you soon to let you know how you can also help with the show.

YEAR 2002 DUES

You can renew your membership to KC Woodturners at the Jan. meeting by paying 20.00 to the club treasurer. Paying in Jan. could also potentially save you penalty and interest charges, if the new board should decide to levy any on late payers.

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NEW EQUIPMENT

Don Gruis announced the club now
owns a Tormek sharpening system
which will be set up and available to
members at our Saturday workshops.
Another great member benefit.

SHOW AND TELL

Don Gruis showed a cherry stool with
turned legs and a padded leather
seat. The leather was donated by a
deer that Don harvested in South
Missouri. Don also had a cherry bowl
with spatula that he gives as gifts to
his family. All well done.

Anthony Harris had three items, a
cherry goblet with two captive rings, a
lignum box with threaded lid, and a
watch box with a threaded lid. Good
work as usual.

Kent Townsend showed a small skew
chisel he made and uses to turn small
work, and a poker chip organizer.
Looked great.

President Woodhouse brought two
items, a beech bowl and a candle
stick from beech and honey locust.
Excellent work.

“HAPPY”

“HOLLIDAYS”

President Woodhouse has compiled
the attached year end report (only
available in printed version) for our
club. As you can see much has been
accomplished and the credit goes to
Dick for his hard work on our behalf.
THANKS DICK WOODHOUSE