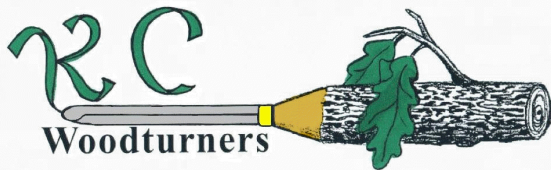


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February 2010

WOOD CHIPS



A local chapter of the
American Association of
Woodturners



The Kansas City Wood Working show is February 19-21, 2010. Once again the KCWT will have a booth at the show to feature our craft.

Rick Bywater has coordinated the sign-up of the demonstrators, booth helpers, and people to move and set-up our equipment in our space at the show and to also tear-down and return it after the show.

We will also be partnering with Craft Supplies in their learn to turn area. Craft Supplies Inc. will be supplying the lathes, kits and blanks to turn pens.

Our club members will be assisting people in this learn to turn a pen.

This is one of the biggest chances the club has to highlight the what our club has to offer to a large audience of prospective members. We will be presenting a variety of woodturning demonstrations during the three day event, and having a display area to showcase items made by club members. We also want to be interacting with the people who have come by the booth at the show. We will be collecting names and contact information of perspective club members and handing out invitations to the KCWT & KCWW open house, which is scheduled for March 27th 10:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m. By inviting them to our facility, we give them a chance to see what our club has to offer. Besides having a great group of people all interested in the wood turning and its many facets, we want to have a chance to show the facility and equipment that is available to the prospective club members. To show them the opportunities available here in Kansas City to learn and explore wood turning.

I can not over emphasize the importance of this event and the following open house. A majority of our new members come from their exposure to the club at the Wood Working Show. If you haven't signed up to demonstrate or be a booth helper, but are planning on attending the show, stop by the booth and spend some time talking to the show attendees. Any and every bit of enthusiasm that can be shared with prospective new members will be greatly appreciated.

The show is held at the Overland Park International Trade Center Exhibit Hall at 6800 W. 115th St. Overland Park, KS. 66211 Show Hours are: Friday 12-6, Saturday 10-6, Sunday 10-4

Dues for 2010

Dues for 2010 are due in February. Pay Kevin Neelley or Don Grimes. This year we are also offering a \$5 discount when joining both the KC Woodturners' Association and the Kansas City Woodworkers Guild. Dues are \$60.00 if you are joining the KCWT or \$55.00 with your joint membership.

Club Events Calendar

All events are held in the basement of the building at 9701 W 67th Street, one block west of I-35 in Merriam Kansas. The entrance is on the west side of the building.

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February

- 02/01 - Board Meeting 7:00 pm
- 02/08 - Club Meeting 7:00 pm
- 02/13 - 2nd Saturday Workshop 8:30am to Noon
- 02/19-21 - The Woodworking Show
- 02/25 - 4th Thursday 6:00 - 9:00 pm
- 02/27 - 4th Saturday Workshop 8:00 am to Noon

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January's Demonstration

Ed Bergstedt and John Burrigth demonstrated the way Craft Supply turns pens at the Wood Working Show. Focusing on the basics of turning a pen using a spindle gouge and a skew, the ABC's of turning were the focus of the demonstration. The importance of A, anchor the tool to the toolrest first. Holding the tool, and making sure that it is in contact with the toolrest and you can move it across the rest, before B finding the bevel. Placing the tool on the rest with the handle well down and lifting until the bevel makes contact with the wood. Once you make contact with the wood, you can then start the cut, C. With the cut the part of the tool in contact with the wood should be receiving direct support from the toolrest. The spindle gouge is used to turn most of the shape of the pen. The skew can be used as a negative rake scraper to smooth the cut marks from the pen. Then



sanded to prepare for the finish. At the Show, we will be using friction polish on the pens. Starting with EEE Ultra Shine paste wax as the base before applying a friction polish, followed by Renaissance Wax. Once the pen is finished it is removed from the lathe and then assembled.

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