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Last month we learned about Multi-axis turning techniques with Rich Egan. In July, we host professional Turner Jimmy Clewes for an all-day session! Don't miss it!



CRW Mission Statement: To promote, to educate, and to inspire ourselves and others in the fine art of turned wood.

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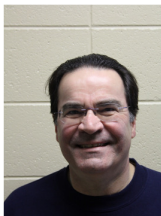
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The Prez Sez...

Hello Turners

We have Jimmy Clewes, this month. It will be a long day. Jimmy will be doing 3-4 projects at the Saturday meeting. We have a lot of guests this month. We are collecting a \$25 fee for this all-day meeting, which will include lunch.

We will be collecting for the August meeting at Shorty's cabin near Alma. \$10 covers a huge lunch Shorty prepares for us. We need a head count so we know how many are coming? So get your funds to us. Mary and Alan Lacer will be our guests, telling us about turning techniques they have learned on their visits to Japan.

Norskedalen was a success lots of members stopped by, and sales were good. Thanks to all that made this event a success.

These events take a lot of work, and we can always use help.

We will have a bowl challenge this fall and this will give you an opportunity to prepare for the Empty Bowl Project this winter.

Well that's it see you at the Meeting.

Phil

Turn On Chicago will be this August 15 --17th check it out at; <http://www.turnonchicago.com/>

- **2014 Demonstrations Agendas:**

July 19, Jimmy Clewes

August 16, The Lacers at Shorty's cabin

September 20, In-Lace by Duane Hill

October 18, Segmenting Basics by Phil Miller

November 15, Pen Turning Tips & Tricks by Jennifer and Dan Wilson

December 20—Pot Luck

See you Saturday,

Phil

Terry Snowden



A thank you to all who participated in the Norsekedalen Wine and Art Festival. The event was a success both from a festival point of view, and from the club's sales/demonstration activities. I think that our sales generated approximately \$100.00 for the club, and a number of people inquired about joining the club with the thought to learn how to turn? Your help for both set-up, and tear-down was a great help, and a special thanks to all of the first time demonstrators. More people made for less work for all of us. The next event is the Three Rivers Folk Fest. Hope you will join us.

John Phillips



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Dan Check



Jack Fitzpatrick



June Instant Gallery

Jim Frank



Cortney Gotto



Dan Check



Clyde Cassell



Jack Fitzpatrick



More June Gallery Photos

Reid Granke



Terry Klais



Dan Wilson





Secretary Bob Patros Sends an update on the Gundersen Display

I set up the display this morning at Gundersen Health System in LaCrosse. It is located on the 3rd floor of the main clinic.

All but two pieces fit. Guess who's?

The display will be up through June 27. I will be taking down on June 28. If folks can pick up their pieces at my home after that time and before the Jimmy Clewes meeting in July, that would be preferable to taking to that meeting to distribute.

Go see if you can. Several people stopped to look as I was setting up. Nice work, EVERYONE!

Bob

Members, Norskedalen 2014 has come and gone and it is time to thank the members who made this possible.

First, thanks to John Phillips for his energy, vision and leadership in putting this thing together. Without his effort it would not have worked out nearly so well. He also sold a vase that went for a lot of money.

Second, thanks to Jim Frank for his assistance, bringing tools and supplies, the sugar in the form of donuts and cookies as well and the pop and water. Jim's outsize personality results in him making outsize pieces that bring lots of money, specifically a really nice, very unique bowl of spalted maple.

Third, thanks to the members who turned items that made our display complete. We sold \$512.00 worth of things, the best outcome I recall from my time as treasurer in the club. The club made a tidy profit of 25% of that. I will be writing checks to members for their sales in the next few days, watch your mail.

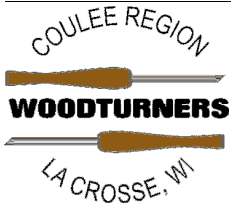
Fourth, thanks to the members who bellied up to the lathes and demonstrated. This is always fun and is excellent PR for our craft and the club.

Also thanks to members who worked the booth and discussed the pieces with interested persons and answered questions. This may seem trivial, but it is important to the success of the overall project.

Fifth, thanks to Clyde for the wood he brought and his assistance to members who turned. Clyde has a great eye for design and teaches well.

I hope I have whipped up some enthusiasm as the Great River Folk Festival is coming up at the end of August. This is a two day event and once again, we will demonstrate and sell. That too is a great weekend for the club so put it on your calendar.

John



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"A Turn For the Better"



Can I have That Cookie?

**Next Meeting
Saturday,
July 19 2014 at 9 am.**

Here's a map to help those who aren't sure where we meet. It's the Onalaska Community Center 515 Quincy St Onalaska, WI. 54650 608-783-9290

We'll start the program promptly at 9am, so get there early to avoid getting a Uecker Seat.

We'll have coffee, so Chocolate donuts are ALWAYS Welcomed.

