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Thank you to Mark Palma, our guest presenter in February. Regular scrapers, negative rake scrapers, multiple types of abrasives, as well as polishing and buffing compounds were addressed. Even after all that, I feel we barely scratched the surface! Mark will return again next year with more turning wisdom.



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

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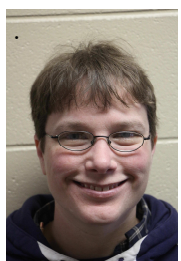


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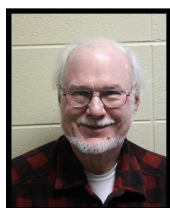
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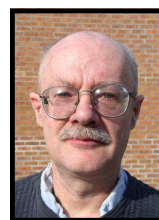


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From a Knot in The Board...

Hello members, if you look closely through the knot this month, you won't see Adrian's smiling face, you will see John Griffiths' instead. I am filling in for him.

First, our March demo will feature Duane Hill teaching us the fine points of making platters beyond making a piece of wood flat and circular. We all have made platters over the years and there are some masterpieces our members have created out there. In fact, when Bob, Dan, Ken and I set up the Old Main display on February 26 we set up some very nice ones. So maybe even bring a platter or two you have made for Instant Gallery.

The March challenge will be the last cut we should not have made. So bring your funnels, your bowls where the inside depth is equal to the outside depth and other disasters. (Mine is in the form of an ash strainer.)

April will have a demo on a spring pole lathe. This will be way cool; again, thanks to Josh Caldwell for setting up months ago. Bit of history here, I got my introduction to turning by watching a couple of different spring pole lathe demos but being pretty averse to physical activity, I bought a lathe powered by poles, leaves and whatever else from millions of years which turned into coal and subsequently run through the boilers at Dairyland Power.

May will have Duane Hill making a tool, John Fisher will be teaching us about CA in June which will be at the Jim and Karen Frank home on Lake Onalaska. (If anyone asks, I will point out some spots from their back yard where I have caught some nice bass.)

Time to begin thinking about Jimmy Clewes' visit with us in September.

An all day demo on Saturday and hands on Sunday and Monday. For the hands on we thank A Line for the use of their building and Duane for his lathes.

Dues: Our loyal and faithful Treasurer is having it entirely too easy at meetings. So bring your dues to the March meeting and make him work. Keep him busy! We have many members but only about 45 have paid up for 2019. So, nuf said, pay up.

CRW Demo Schedule

March 2019	Duane Hill	Platters
April 2019	James Wright	Spring Pole lathe
May 2019	Duane Hill	Tool making (exact topic/item to be decided).
June 2019	John Fisher	CA gluing and finishing. The meeting will be a picnic at the Frank house weather and health permitting. Need to work with city re rent of Community center if we are not there.
July 2019	Wendell Ziegler	Tops and mushrooms.
August 2019	Adrian Novak	Basket illusion turning.
September 2019	Jimmy Clewes	Saturday September 21 all day demo. Need to reserve Community Center for all day. Sunday and Monday 9/22 & 23, hands on at A Line. I have cleared the use of the space at A Line and with Duane for his lathes, taking club lathe/s to A Line for the event. Plan food and publicity, have a roster of who is attending and has paid, and set the fees
October 2019	Jack Fitzpatrick	Transferring photos/artwork to wooden pieces.
November 2019	John Thorson	(From Lyle Solem's other club.) Collaborative bowl design and turning, or turning a bowl during the course of a video.
December 2019	Christmas Party	
		Tentative 2020
January 2020	Hands on round robin???	
February/ March 2020	Mark Palma	

Old Main Display in Galesville
Items on display through March



Yesterday afternoon Dan Check, Bob Raasch, Ken Critzman and his wife braved the slippery roads to set up the exhibition at Old Main in Galesville, kudos to Dan for driving the farthest to help. Thanks all.

Many members put their work in the display, 17 to be exact. All pieces were inventoried and counted, the total is (drum roll here) 140. We filled five large tables.

The exhibition will run through March and will be open during performances.

Thanks all, John

February Instant Gallery

Bob Raasch



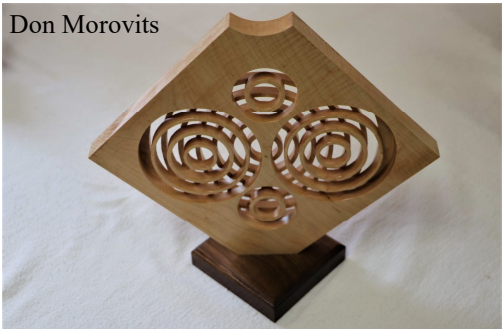
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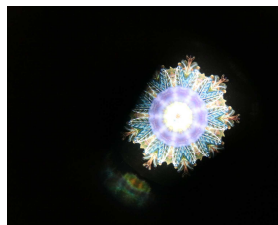
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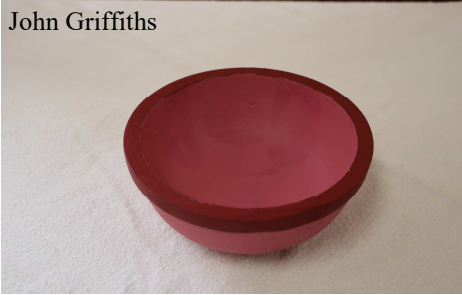
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More February 2019 Instant Gallery



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"A Turn For the Better"



Thank goodness that groundhog said only six More weeks of winter. Otherwise it would be A month and a half!!!

Next Meeting
Saturday,
March 16 2019 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.

