

Wisconsin Woodturners Newsletter

From President:

2011 - 2012
Meeting and
Demo Schedule

January 28, 2012
Scoops with
Sandy Sheahan

No other demos are yet scheduled. If you have an idea of a demo you'd like to see or if you have something you'd like to demo, see Tom Murphy, our new inside demo coordinator.

Now that we are in the middle of winter (with out yard work to do) it is a perfect time to try that new turning project you've been thinking about. When I try something new, if I don't have someone that can show me what I need to learn, the next place to look for information is videos. There are videos out there for just about anything you want to try, & it seems like everyone thinks

their way is the right way. So how do you know which one is the right one. I would suggest starting with our club library and ask other members which ones they like. The thing to remember is there are a lot of good videos out there but not all the videos out there are good ones. Ask questions & start slow would be how I would start a new project. Be safe & have fun turning. See everyone on the 28th.

Rob



January Demo: Scoops by Sandy Sheahan

This months demo will feature Sandy Sheahan and she will show us how to make scoops. Sandy will demo making two different types of scoops using two different turning techniques. Sandy will make one scoop using a goblet turning technique and then cut the cup to turn it into a scoop. The other scoop will be similar to a coffee measure. Sandy will demonstrate two different mounting techniques as well as tool suggestions, wood selection and finishing options. This should prove to be an interesting demo with techniques we can use in other projects as well as turning scoops.



Dues are Due:

Cami Brzycki has stepped forward to take over the responsibilities of the treasurer position.

Cami is now collecting dues for the new year. Our dues are \$30 per year and you must also belong to the AAW, our national organization.

When you pay your dues be sure to also provide your AAW member number and if you have changed your mailing and/or email address please provide Cami with that information so we can keep our membership list information up to date.

Changes in your Live?

If you have had a change in your mailing address and/or your email address you need to notify Cyril Griesbach (griesbac@charter.net) and Mike Figueira (mfg@wi.rr.com) so you will be properly listed on the membership list and to continue to receive the newsletter.

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AAW Insurance: This is an issue that Rob Nelson brought up in his last presidents message. This issue is also being investigated by the Neenah club and as many of us belong to both clubs there is no reason to duplicate the effort. As the Neenah club digs into the details of the AAW coverage and how best to protect the members, officers and demonstrators, that information can be shared with this group. At that point our officers can make a determination on the suitability of the AAW coverage and our AAW membership requirement or if we should purchase other coverage and adjust our dues accordingly. We'll keep you up to date as things continue to develop.

Gallery:

