

**April 2013**

## *Mountaineer Woodturners*

*A chapter of the American Association of Woodturners*

### **April Meeting 2013**

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President John Sheets called the April meeting of the Mountaineer Woodturners to order at 10:00 on Saturday, April 13, 2013. We had about 28 members present in spite of the beautiful weather outside.

Treasurer John Gregor reported \$5,111.95 in the Treasury. He has filed our federal tax return for 2012.

Secretary EJ Ulland reminded members of the opportunity to post FOR SALE items in the newsletter as well as WANTED items.

Dan Pleska will host a short seminar on the basics of writing grant requests for woodturning and woodworking clubs. We were not awarded any educational grants from the AAW this year.

Byron Young reports that Kim Winkle will be our guest demonstrator on May 11 and the wives will be welcome to enjoy this program. We will move to the other room where it will be more comfortable and will be easier to see the demonstration.

T-shirts with the AAW logo on the front and the Arts & Craft Fair logo on the back are now available to order. Approximate cost will be about \$12.

Jerry Smith will be our in house demonstrator for June, showing us his secrets for end turning bowls with a natural edge. See the attached schedule of events for the remainder of the year.

Larry Weese reports the Calhoun County 51st Annual Wood Festival will be held on June 6, 7, 8, in Grantsville. Booth concessions are available and applications are due no later than May 15. For more information email [mammawj03@yahoo.com](mailto:mammawj03@yahoo.com) or call 304-488-7679.

The club decided to add castors to our Powermatic lathe to facilitate moving it to other rooms for demonstrations. John Gregor will check availability and prices.

### **Show and Tell**



Larry Weese presented three natural edged maple bowls cored from a single burl and a banksid pod finished with ebony finials.





**Tomm Schottle brought a maple candy bowl and a textured wide rimmed cherry bowl.**



**Dan Pleska showed his peppermill made from spalted maple following the professional instructions given by Byron Young during last month's demonstration.**

**John Crede turned "impossible" spindles for a contractor using his metal lathe and his woodturning lathe. Nice work, John.**





**Jerry Smith turned a stag horn sumac footed vase, a forerunner to his demonstration for the June meeting.**



**Byron Young showed his painted and carved cherry hanging basket with an oriental flair.**



**Delbert McCartney presented a large segmented box with lid made from maple, walnut and ziricote.**

Tom Hart came up with unusual candle holders made from walnut. Two candle holder bases can be attached together and the candles with parts are stored inside the two attached bases. Really neat!



Larry Weese was the in house demonstrator for this meeting and showed how he makes his bowls and attaches a corian rim to them. See Larry in action.



The finished products.



Remember to pay your 2013 dues if you have not done so.

## 2013 Schedule

<b>January 12</b>	<b>Texturing – Rotary grinders / Woodburning</b>
<b>February 9</b>	<b>Chapter Challenge Judging</b>
<b>March 9</b>	<b>Hands On - Peppermills</b>
<b>April 13</b>	<b>Corian Rings – Larry Weese</b>
<b>May 11</b>	<b>Kim Winkle – Design / Milk Paint</b>
<b>June 8</b>	<b>Jerry Smith – Footed Vases</b>
<b>July 4,5, 6</b>	<b>Art &amp; Craft Fair</b>
<b>August 17</b>	<b>Annual Picnic</b>
<b>September 14</b>	<b>Wood &amp; Tool Auction</b>
<b>October 12</b>	
<b>November 9</b>	<b>Hands On - Ornaments</b>
<b>December 14</b>	<b>Chapter Challenge Intro</b>

All meetings with exception of Art and Craft Fair, will start at 10:00 a.m.

10:00 Introductions and business meeting

10:10 Show and Tell

10:30 Main Program

12:00 Lunch

1:00 Program completion (if necessary)

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