

# *Mountaineer Woodturners Newsletter*

**February 2008**

Many thanks to Tom Schottle and E.J. Ulland for taking notes and photographs in my absence. I hope I have correctly transferred the information, and have not mixed up the photos.

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There were three visitors signed in: Dan Pleska, from the Kanawha Valley Woodworkers, Ranoy Heath, and Robert Burford. A former member, also of the Kanawha Valley Woodworkers, Marshall Burgess was also visiting. Two new members have joined the organization: Paul Perry and Ned Whiteaker.

## NEXT MEETING

March 8, 2008 at 10:00am

John Jordan will be the demonstrator

Cedar Lakes

## Business

- Our treasurer reported \$2774 in the treasury.
- There has been no news on the grant for the A/V system.
- E.J. Ulland reported that there is presently \$2905 in the treasury.
- There are no more hats. Sorry.

## Chapter Challenge 2008

The challenge was a huge success. We had 10 entries, and all were very good (i.e., their measurements were very close to the plan). The judge was one tough mean SOB (John Crede) who measured down to the 1/1000 of an inch.



With that kind of scrutiny one entry was clearly superior; Byron Young – now a two time winner.

## Program

Herb Derr demonstrated how to work steel, soften and harden and temper, to make tools

## Show and Tell

Tom Schottle had a small bowl with a spray on a stone finish.

Byron Young showed a large flat Cherry platter, a green stained Cypress hollow form, and a green stained Soft Maple bottle with stopper.



Bill Morris brought in 3 small ring holders. (Did he use a skew?)

Dave Jones brought in two off center bowls and two deep bowls from Tree of Heaven.



Warnie Lore brought in a rose made from wood shavings from a Forstner bit. He also had a spaulted Beech weed pot with a plastic insert and a deep cup from a variety of laminated woods.



Ervin Jones brought in two pecan natural-edge bowls.



Jim Morrison had a deep, red-stained Baltic Birch plywood goblet and two segmented bowls of Fiddleback Maple.



Ned Whiteaker brought in a demi-moon table of Sassafras and Japanese Ash.

## Program

### 2008 Schedule

<i>Date</i>	<i>Who/What</i>	<i>Description</i>
Mar. 8	John Jordon	
April 12 - AM	Byron Young	Vases
April 12 - PM	John Crede	
May 10 - AM	Charlie Brown	Spindle Turning
May 10 - PM	Tom Schottle	Tool Handles
June 14 - AM	Dave Jones	Basic Bowl Turning (Dave's way)
June 14 - PM	Joe Smith	Basic Bowl Turning (Joe's way)
July	MSACF	
Aug. 9	Annual Picnic	
Sept. 13 - AM	Annual Wood & Tool Auction	
Sept. 13 - PM	Warnie Lore	Christmas Tree Ornaments
Oct. 11	TBA	
Nov. 8	TBA	
Dec. 13	Byron Young	Chapter Challenge Brief

### Next Meeting

The meeting on Saturday, March 8, 2008, at 10:00am, will feature John Jordan. DON'T MISS IT.

### Miscellaneous

- The Newsletter will be sent by e-mail to those members who have given me their email address. This medium will contain an HTML document in which I have included links to pictures of the "Show and Tell" items as well as a link to the website. Those who do not have e-mail addresses listed with me will receive the usual hardcopy newsletter by US snailmail. Any others who wish a newsletter by mail should let me know.
- Please send me pictures of your work so that I can add it to the gallery.
- The Newsletter with pictures is available on the website.

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