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The Turning Times is published monthly as an information source for members of the East Texas Woodturners (ETW). ETW is a chapter of The American Association of Woodturners (AAW) and is committed to serving woodturners in the East Texas area surrounding Tyler, Texas. The ETW Chapter joins with the AAW in its dedication to providing education, information and organization to those interested in woodturning.

Meeting at TJC West

June 13th, 2009

The Prez Says:



Hello ET Turners,

Well, I'm glad to finally have my demo over with. Thanks to all that stopped by with kind words. Sorry that the slideshow did not work out very well, but this was our first time to try something like that and I'm sure Ed has that figured out by now.

Now it is time to welcome **Jimmie Clewes** for a three day workshop and a club demo. Jimmie is a well-known turner that has demonstrated his turning and artistic talent just about the world over. As usual when we have our guest turner in for a workshop and a longer than usual club demo, we change things up a little in order to give more time to the demo. First of all, please try to come in a few minutes early to buy your raffle tickets for the monthly and quarterly raffles. The meeting will start at 9:00am with just a couple announcements and then the demo will start. The monthly and quarterly raffles will be held at the first break. You will have about 5-6 minutes to finish buying your raffle tickets so that Archie will have time to setup the raffle. We will not have a drawing for gift certificates or for Empty Bowls at this meeting. **Please hold onto your Empty Bowl**

donations until the July meeting as Ken will be carrying Jimmie to the airport after the demo.

The tables and covers will be setup for the gallery on the north side of the room only. We **will not have Show & Tell** this month, but if you bring work in and would like to comment on it, please bring it back in July.

Bill Holmes will have the membership directories available to **members** that did not receive theirs last month. Only one copy per family please.

Come prepared to stay until approximately 1:00pm to catch the full demo. We will have to clean up, put up and be out by 2:00pm. The **Setup/Clean Up volunteers are: John & Dotti Roberson, Joe & Frances Cass, Dean Peters, Paul Dion, Robert Trimmell, Wayne Smith, Denny Burd, Charles Houser, Floyd Brigdon, Mike Connolly, Myron Friend and Bobby Barron.**

Keep a sharp tool and let the chips fly, **Charles**

Calendar of Events

June 10-12, 2009

Jimmy Clewes Classes

June 13, 2009

Regular Club Meeting

Jimmy Clewes Demo

June 26-28, 2009

AAW Symposim

Albuquerque, NM

July 1, 2009

SC Mtg. TJC Rm 101

July 11, 2009

Regular Club Meeting

August 8, 2009

Regular Club Meeting

Sept. 2, 2009

SC Mtg. TJC Rm 101

Sept 12, 2009

Regular Club Meeting

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CLASSIFIEDS

Classified Ad Policy: Classified ads run for 3-months unless the editor is notified they are no longer needed. At the end of the 3-month period, the ad will be dropped from the newsletter unless specifically renewed prior to the period expiration.

For Sale: Woodturning Aprons – Made of material that sheds those pesky shavings - \$25.00. Please contact Kay Leonard at 903-592-6009 or at jdl1938@gmail.com

Anchor Seal: The Club has Anchor Seal end grain sealer for sale at most Club meetings. It is available in 1 and 2 gallon jugs at \$9.00 per gallon. To obtain it, pay our treasurer, Archie Stivner, and then see Cecil Cox. If you need some between meetings, call Cecil at 903-882-5311.

For Sale: Jet 12-36 variable speed wood lathe with normal accessories plus a mobile base. \$400 also a Wood Smith with band saw, jointer, and table saw accessories.... \$1100. Please contact Mitch Gray at 903-312-9196 or mitchgray@suddenlink.net.

Wood Chips Wanted: If you have difficulty disposing of your wood chips & shavings, I will take them off your hands. Call or email me & we can make arrangements for you to get rid of them. I'm a gardener & my dirt can use them. Reynol B. Vancil 903-768-2496 rbvancil@peoplescom.net

For Sale: Worksharp sharpener with an extra glass wheel, 2 extra see-thru wheels, and extra coarse and fine abrasive kits for both the glass and see-thru wheels. Cost \$343, sell for \$200. Ben Gallagher 903-297-3858 or bfgallagher@cablelynx.com

For Sale: 20" ECHO-C.S.-520 50.1c.c. chainsaw. Sold new for \$419. Asking for \$300. 2-Chains. Used very little. Mike Hammock 903-438-9032

For Sale: Delta 12" Planer model 22-540. Bought new for \$391.46. Sell for \$200.00. Ed Heuslein 903-834-3838 heuslein@earthlink.net

For Sale: Delta Midi lathe w/stand & 7" jointer w/base \$175. Sold only as a package. You'll need to bring help to load. Randall Stephens 903-825-2319

For Sale: Craftsman 20" Scroll Saw, 2 speed w/motor, wooden stand. \$125.00. Charles Brooks, 903-216-5564

ETW 2009 Program Schedule

June 10-12, 2009	Jimmy Clewes	Classes @ Paul Coppinger Shop
June 13, 2009	Jimmy Clewes	To Be Determined
July 11, 2009	Dennis Ford	Turning Without A Chuck
Aug. 8, 2009	Paul Coppinger	Flat Stock and Mini Lathes
Sept. 12, 2009	Jimmy Arledge	To Be Determined

East Texas Woodturner's Raffle Items

Tickets can be purchased for each raffle at the monthly club meetings and are priced at \$1 each or 6 for \$5

June 13, 2009 :

(Monthly items are subject to change based on availability)

Liming Wax	Keyless Drill Chuck (1/2")
Mahoney Walnut Oil/Wax (8oz)	Black CA Glue (2oz)
Kay Leonard Smock	Squeeze Bottles (6)
5/8" Drill Bit with #2 MT	Bowl Blank

Second Quarter 2009 (June): Oneway Wolverine Sharpening System with Vari-grind Jig

Annual 2009 (December): Oneway Talon Chuck, 2 inserts, Step Jaws, #3 Tower Jaws & \$50 gift certificate.

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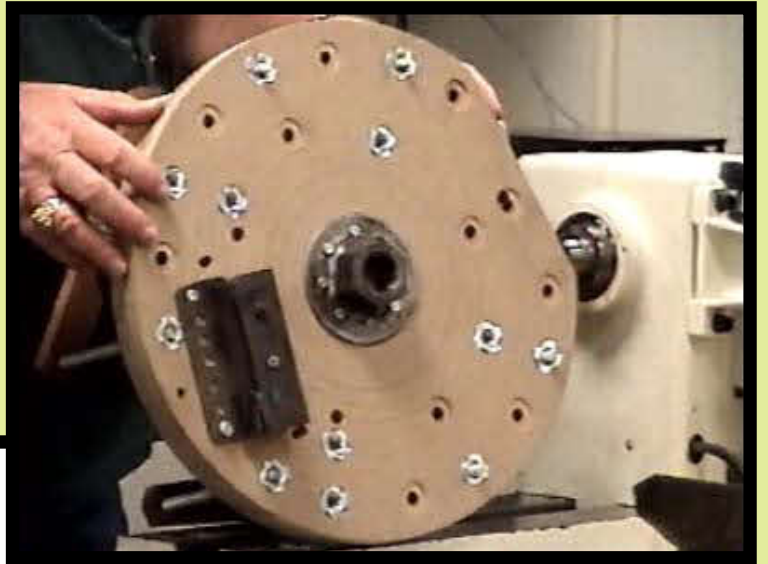
ETW SHIRTS

If you are interested in ordering a club shirt I will have sign up sheets at the next meeting. I have to have a minimum of 8 - 10 shirts ordered before I can place the order. Please see me at the next meeting for further information. **Thanks - Marjorie Crosby**



For Sale: Delta 12 x 36" variable speed lathe model 46-701 with heavy duty custom stand (also has the factory stand \$300. Craftsman 12 inch band saw \$200. Wayne Lovell 903-599-4762 or wayne.lovell@gmail.com

Wanted: Tail stock for a Delta Midi Lathe or a Jet mini Lathe (10"). Also looking for a chuck key for a "Talon" chuck. Contact Steve Green at S6570@aol.com or (903) 489-1509.



**Creating Special Effects
By Charles Brooks**



Update from your SWAT President

June 1, 2009

The Annual Board of Directors meeting was held in Waco, Texas the latter part of January. Among many items discussed, the Directors reviewed the potential of locating all future SWAT Symposiums (after 2009) in one centrally located facility that will handle our present attendance levels and allow for potential attendee growth. In making this decision it was paramount that we stay within our financial abilities with a very limited registration fee increase to meet the increased cost of the Waco facility over facilities we have utilized in the past. This direction was required in that we have outgrown the facilities previously used or that are available within our budget. The Board passed a motion to schedule the last weekend of August in the years 2010, 2011 and 2012 to be held in Waco, Texas.

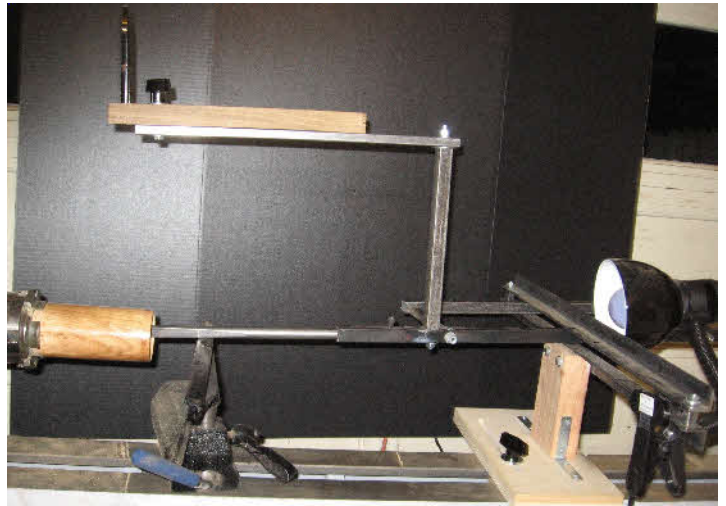


As to the 2009 Symposium, it will be held in Wichita Falls, Texas at the MPEC facility on October 16, 17 and 18, 2009. I would like to extend my appreciation on behalf of the general membership to the 30 plus volunteers that have accepted responsibility for numerous duties required to make our Symposium a success. Without their assistance, bringing it all together would be all but impossible.

To date, the Executive Committee and Committee Chairpersons have finalized the selection of a host hotel, food catering service, scheduling of National Lead Demonstrators, Regional Demonstrators, secured our raffle grand prize and are presently soliciting a slate of vendors that greatly add to the success of our Symposium. SWAT brochures will be printed within the week and mailed. Currently all pertinent information required for your review to make plans to attend in October may be found on the SWAT website at www.swaturners.org

I would like to expressly request our membership to give consideration to making their lodging reservations at the host hotel this year. My request is based on the fact that the host hotel has been totally remodeled in the last five months and has offered a very competitive rate along with two complimentary buffet breakfasts each day per room. It would be prudent to make your hotel reservations early to insure availability. I would also request our members to begin submitting their SWAT Symposium registrations in the near future rather than waiting until the deadline to prevent your president having to "sweat blood" in late September...

So, mark your calendars, make your plans, and register to attend a premiere woodturning symposium experience. See you in October! – **Ken Terrell**



Make Your Own Jamieson-Style Hollowing Rig

Member **Pat Martin** has graciously provided a "pdf" file describing in detail his process of making a Jamieson-style hollowing rig, as shown in the picture above. Unfortunately, the document is too large (10 pages) for publishing directly in the newsletter, so he has agreed to its being placed on the club website for all to enjoy.

Pat has done an excellent job of showing every construction step clearly, and even includes the part numbers for items he acquired at Home Depot. The project requires only simple metal working abilities and for a total cost of only \$53.62 you gain a great method of hollowing vessels.

Please take time to read this excellent article at the ETW website: <http://www.easttexaswoodturners.org/> under the **Tips** menu option on the left. And be sure to thank Pat when you get the chance. – **Editor**

ETW Membership Directory

The 2009 edition of ETW Membership Directory is available to all members, and may be picked up at the secretary's desk at club meetings.. – **Bill Holmes**

LIBRARY NEWS!

We have two new DVD's by well-known turners. "Creating Special Effects" and "Multi-Axis Bowls" By **Charles Brooks** and **John Leonard**. These are excellent how-to DVD's. You are sure to learn some things when you watch them. See Marjorie or Tom to check out these or other great DVD's or books. – **Tom Crosby**



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Editor's Show & Tell Favorite

**Ambrosia Maple Platter (Textured & Dyed)
by Nathanael Landry**



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The following businesses have graciously provided support for the activities of the East Texas Woodturner's club. Please show your gratitude by giving them your business when possible.

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