



Des Moines WoodTurners Monthly Meeting News



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DES MOINES WOODTURNERS MEETING (AAW Chapter meeting

Saturday, January 16th, 1:00 p.m., at the Woodsmith Store, 10320 Hickman Road, Clive, IA.

IMITATION AGED METAL LOOK FROM WOODEN TURNINGS - Rob Beattie and Dave Yearian



Dave Yearian

Rob Beattie

will team up to show you how you can make your wooden projects look like rusted iron, copper, brass or aged copper or brass using metallic paints and aging patinas. They saw demonstrations of these by Mark Baker at the Utah Woodturning Symposium this past May near Provo, UT.

The demonstration will take you through the various steps. Wooden objects will be shown in the various stages of completion so you can see how the process alters the look at each stage.

A complete list of required products for each different metal look will be available and we will have sources of supply.

This is a very interesting way to enhance your woodturnings when an aged metal look is what you're after.

We'll continue a voluntary critique session at the end of the meeting for those who would like to learn what others see in their turned objects, both pro and con. It's a great way to make advances in the work you do. Of course we'll have our regular Show 'n Tell for both Beginners and all others. Please bring something to share that you've turned; big or small, finished or unfinished.

DECEMBER MEETING REVIEW – Rob Wallace demonstrated Basic Principles of Vessel Design which covered bowls, platters, open and closed vessels, and hollow forms. The information and examples presented allowed those in attendance to get a different perspective on how to assess and critique their woodturned items, and enhance their turning skills and sense of design. As usual, Prof. Wallace gave a well planned & executed presentation. Thanks for your continued contributions to our educational meetings Rob. We look forward to your Gizmos & Gadgets presentation in Feb.



FINAL – FINAL DUES RENEWAL NOTICE – If you haven't yet paid your 2016 membership dues, best send your \$20 check in **today** to insure your membership doesn't lapse. Renewal deadline is Jan 16th.



Make checks payable to **Des Moines Woodturners** and mail to:

Dick Meuler, Des Moines Woodturners, 10050 NE University Ave., Runnells, IA 50237

You can also pay your dues by cash or check on meeting day afternoon, January 16th.

Contact dmwoodturners@gmail.com with questions.

WOODSMITH PARKING - PLEASE REMEMBER when arriving at Woodsmith Saturday, park at the far East and North sides of their parking lot. This leaves the areas closest to the entrance door for their normal Saturday store customers. If you have items to drop off for our meeting, drop them off at the entrance and then go park in the designated areas.

Thanks for your cooperation. Woodsmith is gracious to let us use their facility. Please respect their parking rules so their normal customers have easy access to the store on one of their busiest days.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS – Tom Steyer, Omaha

2016 MEMBERSHIP CARDS – Everyone who renewed their membership dues by January 7th should have received their 2016 membership card either in-person or via the mail. If you haven't, contact Dick at 515-991-8111 or e-mail DMWoodturners@gmail.com If you joined this past fall, your card indicates it's good for 2016 too.

WOODTURNING EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES by Rob Beattie, Education & Safety Chair
Anyone interested in our late winter Basic Woodturning class should contact Rob Beattie at 282-4532 or beattie.r@mchsi.com

We're working on a possible one day special class for intermediate turners. Stay tuned for info on subject matter.

WOODTURNERS LIBRARY NEWS

Take a look at our growing library of woodturning books and videos at our monthly meetings. Just a reminder to return books and videos you've checked out in the past. You'll find the library near the side door entrance in Woodsmith's seminar room on Chapter meeting afternoons.



Don Skarin or one of his assistants **Nate Gibson** and **Larry Beltrame** can help you out.

REMEMBER – Member **Mark Foust** has produced a series of high quality DVD's from most of our 2014 and 2015 meetings by combining the output of two cameras and syncing the audio into seamless DVD videos. If you need a refresher on any of the demonstrations or if you missed the meeting, check out the DVD in the library. Library contents can be found on our web site at: http://www.dmwoodturners.com/?page_id=84

The latest DVD additions are:

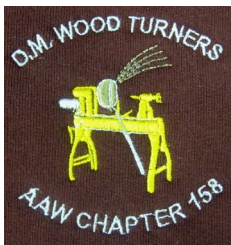
Joyner Offset Jig & Wooden Mason Jar Lids by **Tom Baker & Craig Wyckoff** (Nov meeting demonstration)
Basic Principles of Bowl and Vessel Design by **Rob Wallace** (Dec meeting demonstration).

If you have woodturning oriented original VHS tapes, DVD's, or books you'd like to donate to the Chapter library, bring them to a meeting and give them to Don or one of the assistants. Please enclose a note with your name so we know who donated them.

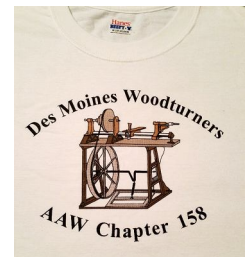
Remember, **DO NOT drop returned library items in Woodsmith's front lobby.** That box is for the Des Moines Woodworkers Assn. use only. Instead, bring your items to the meeting room and return them to the librarian.

PLEASE return your checked-out library material so others can have access to it too.

DES MOINES WOODTURNERS WEARABLES – Rob Beattie



Members wanting Des Moines Woodturners logos embroidered on clothing are advised to purchase shirts, sweatshirts or maybe turning smocks of their choice and style. These **BRAND NEW** and **UNWASHED** items can then be delivered to any officer or board member. When twelve are collected to meet minimums, they will be taken to the embroiderer. Be sure to attach a note with your name to the collar of each garment submitted. Costs to add the standard logo are \$8.00 per item. Personalized names can also be added for an additional \$6.00 per item.



T-Shirts illustrating a Treadle Lathe are also available. Summer will be back soon! They cost \$16 ea for size S, M, L and XL. Add \$1 for each additional larger size (2X=\$17, 3X=\$18, etc.) Once we have orders for at least 12 T's, we place our order. Chat with Rob Beattie if you have questions. 282-4532 or beattie.r@mchsi.com

MEETING DEMONSTRATORS NEEDED – We need to add to our group of monthly demonstrators.



Maybe you have a favorite turning you enjoy making and have figured out ways to do it efficiently. Why not share your experience and knowledge with fellow members? Short 15-20 minute demos are very useful. Step up and show us a technique you've learned.

Tom Baker did!

To volunteer, contact Jack Rolison at 641-683-5647 or locally call Dick Meuler at 991-8111 or e-mail dmwoodturners@gmail.com

“Look at a day when you are supremely satisfied at the end. It's not a day when you lounge around doing nothing. It's when you've had everything to do, and you've done it.”

- Margaret Thatcher

MEMBER BUY-SELL SERVICE – Do you have woodturning or woodworking related items you want to buy or sell? Send an e-mail with particulars to dmwoodturners@gmail.com and we'll send it out to all members with e-mail addresses on record.

Only 12 weeks left until the lawn will likely need mowing again.
- Just a fact

WOODTURNER GET-AWAYS IN WARMER CLIMATES

Tennessee Woodturning Symposium January 29, 30, 2016, Franklin, TN, for info symposium@tnwoodturners.org

Florida Woodturning Symposium February 5, 6, 7, 2016, Leesburg, FL, <http://www.floridawoodturningsymposium.com>

Desert Woodturning Roundup February 26, 27 and 28, 2016, Mesa, AZ, <http://www.desertwoodturningroundup.com/>

CHAPTER DIRECT WEB LINKS – Below are a few direct links to our new Chapter web site.

- 📌 Calendar of Events - http://www.dmwoodturners.com/?page_id=2
- 📌 Woodturning Article and Plan Links - http://www.dmwoodturners.com/?page_id=90
- 📌 Chapter Library contents - http://www.dmwoodturners.com/?page_id=84
- 📌 Contact board members and volunteers - http://www.dmwoodturners.com/?page_id=126
- 📌 Download Membership Application form - http://www.dmwoodturners.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/08/DMWTBroch_Tri-Fold_10-2015.pdf

If you **SEE** something,
SAY something

Have you had any of these changes?
PHONE NUMBER change?
E-MAIL address change?
MAILING address change?
Send changes to DMWoodTurners@gmail.com
or call 515-991-8111

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION of WOODTURNERS (AAW) - If you are an avid woodturner, we would recommend an AAW membership because it offers you many woodturning resources including access to all previous issues of American Woodturner, the AAW Journal of articles, plans and woodturning techniques, six NEW issues of American Woodturner a year along PLUS six issues of the digital Woodturning FUNdamentals and many other learning resources and opportunities. Check them out at <http://www.woodturner.org>

Get involved with **YOUR** Woodturning Chapter and get more Bang for your Bucks!!

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Members Log-In and get all the FREE FUNdamentals digital booklets under Resources at:

<http://www.woodturner.org/?page=FUNDamentalsRes>

“Obstacles are things a person sees when they take their eyes off their goal”

E. Joseph Cossman

DISCOUNT SUPPLIER INFO

Woodsmith Store at 10320 Hickman Road, Clive offers 10% discount to all members with the exception of sale items and power tools or things with a cord. If you're in doubt, ask a sales associate. M-F 9 to 7, Sat 9-5, Sun 11-4 Phone: 254-9494



Tandy Leather Factory at 5041 NE 14th St., Des Moines offers near 50% discounts on non-sale items such as dyes, adhesives, leather, leather making supplies, tooling and lots more. Current hours are 9 till 6 Mon thru Fri and 9 till 4 on Sat. Phone: 265-6521



True Value Hardware at 63rd and Grand in WDM offers a 10% discount on most non-sale items. If you're in doubt, ask a sales associate. Known for having nearly anything you'd ever want especially in hardware and fastener area. Hours Mon thru Fri 7 to 8, Saturday 7 to 6 and Sunday 9 to 5. Phone: 279-9905.

Acme Tools at 629 SW 9th St. in Des Moines offers a 10% discount to all members with the exception of sale items and power tools or things with a cord. If you're in doubt, ask a sales associate. M-F 7 to 5:30, Sat 8-5:30 Ph: 244-4189

Before they ring you up, show discount suppliers your **Des Moines Woodturners** membership card.

BUY LOCAL when you can, Mail Order when you have no other choice!!

Hartville Tool - <http://www.hartvilletool.com/> 800-345-2396 15% discount off regularly priced items. Free shipping on all orders, no minimum purchase. See following link for ordering instructions.

<http://www.dmwoodturners.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/11/Hartville-Tool-Club-Discount-Program-Buying-Instruction.pdf>

Woodcraft - 8645 Bluejacket Road, Lenexa, KS 66214, Phone: (913) 599-2800,

Email: kansas-retail@woodcraft.com WEB: <http://www.woodcraft.com/stores/store.aspx?id=316>

10% discount supplier for woodturning tools, supplies & accessories not sold locally. Show your DMWT membership card in store for discount on most items except tools with a cord or battery and other selected premium and sale items. Only valid for in-store purchases.

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Membership Brochure – Click Link

http://www.dmwoodturners.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/03/dmwtbroch_tri-fold_2015.pdf

AAW MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS – JOIN or RENEW TODAY

<http://www.woodturner.org/resource/resmgr/MemberBenefits/MemberPublicationsServices20.pdf>



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What's Ahead

- ☒ Sat, January 16, 2016 – **Des Moines Woodturners** meeting & demonstration at Woodsmith, 1:00 p.m.
Final day for 2016 dues renewal at renewal price. Don't Delay!!!
- ☒ Sat, February 13, 2016 – **Des Moines Woodturners** meeting & demonstration at Woodsmith, 1:00 p.m.
- ☒ Sat, March 12, 2016 – **Des Moines Woodturners** meeting & demonstration at Woodsmith, 1:00 p.m.
- ☒ Sat, April 16, 2016 – **Des Moines Woodturners** meeting & demonstration at Woodsmith, 1:00 p.m.
- ☒ May 12, 13 & 14, 2016 – Utah Woodturning Symposium, Orem/Provo, UT <http://utahwoodturning.com/>
- ☒ Sat, May 14, 2016 – **Des Moines Woodturners** meeting & demonstration at Woodsmith, 1:00 p.m.