

Suncoast Woodturners Newsletter

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Dedicated to Turning
www.suncoastwoodturners.com



Where: Woodcraft Store

188991 U.S. Highway 19 North
Clearwater, FL 33764

When: January 28, 6:30 – 9 PM

Notice: Store opens 30 min prior to the meeting.

Round Robin Demonstration

Board of Directors

President:	David Eppler	872-4186
Vice President:	Art Worth	781-2847
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Librarian:	Mike Webb	536-7444

Coming to Woodcraft February 6th and 7th Paul Schürch

Paul Schürch, proprietor of Schurch Woodwork since 1978, is an award-winning, European-trained master craftsman, with work in private collections around the world. He has been creating fine works for over three decades, and his formal training includes a Swiss apprenticeship in church organ building, with continuing journeyman work in England. Paul regularly spends time abroad to study and preserve the dying art of traditional furniture construction, marquetry and pietra dure, which he uses to advance his own inlay work by combining wood with stone inlay, making each piece of fine furniture created a combination of old-world craftsmanship with modern innovative design and style.

The newsletter will be issued one week prior to each meeting. Email will be used to the extent possible. If you know of someone interested in membership, inform any of the officers (see phone numbers above).

Two-day Decorative Veneering and Marquetry Seminar-

This inspirational and information packed workshop will explore the fundamentals of veneering, and give a clear and methodical approach to working raw veneer into marquetry, using simple tools and techniques. Paul will share his knowledge and teach techniques, which will demonstrate what is possible in the art of veneering and marquetry. Attendees will do basic to advanced veneer handling, utilizing different cutting and joining techniques to assemble veneer patterns, creating marquetry including proper gluing, pressing, to fully demonstrate the ease in which this artwork can be created. Marquetry design, substrate selection, taping, gluing, pressing of curved and flat work, trouble shooting, sanding and finishing of veneered projects that can be used in high end furniture will be covered. Students will be creating one or two finished marquetry panels to take home with them, and this class will instill confidence, and should inspire you to try this fine craft on your own shop projects using this clear and simple approach. There will be a slide show on Saturday night at 6:30 that all students and those interested in this craft are welcome to attend. Space is limited, so please contact us at 727-532-6888 to enroll.

FEBUARY MEETING: Thursday, Feb. 25, 2010 at 6:30 pm

2010 Club Dues are Due

Remember dues for 2010 are due and are past due after February 25th. Dues are \$20 for an individual and \$25 for a family membership.

Newsletter Input Request

Any newsletter to be published is only as good as input received. Therefore, I solicit members input (Articles, News items, suggestions, etc.) to make this newsletter serve Suncoast members as a form of communication. I want woodturning articles, tips, product reviews and any other building blocks of content that you may have to share.

DVD/Video Tape Library

The Suncoast Woodturners have instructional videos available for rental before each meeting. A full list of the videos is or will be listed on our website. Only members may rent tapes and DVDs. Rentals are \$2.00 per month. The items must be returned the following month. Late fees of \$2.00 per month will be assessed for each item not returned on time.

NEW MEMBER:

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NEW CLUB SHIRTS NOW AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE!

Prices range from \$32.00 to \$47.00 depending on style.

Style	Outer Banks 5032 Cotton Pique Pocket Polo With Striped Trim	Gilden G148 Pique Polo No Pocket	Gilden G880 Jersey Polo No Pocket	Gilden G890 Jersey Polo With Pocket
Cost	\$47	\$37	\$32	\$32

AAW MEMBERSHIP

We would like to recommend that members join the American Association of Woodturners (AAW) for the benefits of their insurance, quarterly magazine, member's directory and symposiums. Once you have joined the AAW, you will also be able to do demonstrations for our club. David Eppler has applications for anyone who would like to join the AAW or you can access the AAW website at www.woodturner.org.

QUARTERLY WOOD AUCTION

January is our Quarterly Wood Auction. Bring some wood to share.

SAFETY HARBOR CRAFT SHOW

December 13 was our Safety Harbor craft show. It was a great success and fun for all.

January Turning Challenge:

Reverse Stacking Bowl

FUTURE DEMOS:

*Round Robin – January - Tony Marsh: Oland Tool
Walter Jones: Easy Wood Tool
Woodcraft Demo – Jeff Jewitt – Wood Finishing – Feb 21-22, 2010
Hollow Turning - Feb*

TREASURER'S REPORT

Ending Balance..... \$???

JANUARY DEMONSTRATION

Reverse Stacking Bowl by Steve Marlow – See his demo photos on our web site.

Show & Tell – November Meeting – (Repeat)

<u>Name</u>	<u>Item</u>	<u>Wood</u>
Jim Mullins	Fluted Bowl	Walnut
Tony Marsh	Candle Holders	Red Oak
	Christmas Hangers	
Art Worth	Chip and Dip Bowls	Monkey Pod
	Lidded Box	Ambrosia Maple
Dick Sipple	Christmas Gifts	Misc
Clyde Ricker	Chip and Dip Bowls	Live Oak
		Honduras Mahogany
Bill Howell	Chip and Dip Bowl	Monkey Pod
David Eppler	Clock Face	Poplar
Bob Winter	Chip and Dip Bowl	

Future Symposium Notice

2013 AAW Symposium

Atlanta will host the 2013 AAW symposium, tentatively to be held at the Galleria.

2010 AAW Symposium

The 2010 AAW Symposium will be in Hartford, Connecticut June 18 20, 2010, and it will be just as much fun as Albuquerque, if not more! We will have a great slate of demonstrators and panelists again, including Hans Weissflog from Germany, Christian Delhon from France, Jimmy Clewes and Joey Richardson from England, Glenn Lucas from Ireland, Graeme Priddle from New Zealand, Michael Fortune from Canada, and a host of demonstrators from the USA, including Trent Bosch, Cindy Drozda, Sharon Doughtie, Mark St. Leger, Peter Bloch, Peter Exton, Stephen Gleasner, John Jordan, Michael Kehs, and more.

<p>Meeting dates for 2010</p>

<p>Jan. 28, Feb. 25, Mar. 25, Apr. 22, May 27, Jun. 24</p>
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<p>Miss Sunshine Please notify Sharon if you know of a member who is ill. . Our club cares for our members and I would love to send you a bit of Sunshine through the mail. Email is wjones101@tampabay.rr.com or 727-734-4078</p>
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