

CENTRAL ILLINOIS WOODTURNERS

August NEWSLETTER

Meeting Monday August 13, 2018 at 6:30
At Pekin

THE WOODWORKER'S SHOP
13587 Manito Road
Pekin, Illinois 61554

The CIW website (centralillinoiswoodturners.com) has a detailed map in the calendar section if you need additional directions.

Demo

Monday's demonstration will feature Terry Quiram sharing how he makes wig stands.

President's July/August Challenge – Hollow Form

Turn a **hollow form** to fit in a 4"x2" (max height x max diameter) space. The base should be no larger than 1" and the opening should be no more than 1 3/4". The widest width can be anywhere you want. The minimum base and opening can be of your choosing. Wood species, finish and surface treatments are open.

All 2018 President Challenges are listed on the Calendar tab on the club web page.

Attention!!! Turning Saturday News and Update. Attention!!!

Turning Saturday is scheduled for November 3, 2018 at the Youth Build facility in Bloomington, IL.

This is going to be a fun event, but there is much to be done for it to be successful. This is a volunteer operated event that CIW hosts with participation and attendance by Flat Land Woodturners and Lincoln Land Woodturners. Turning Saturday is an annual event with the host club rotating each year, CIW last hosted in 2015 and we would like to follow the same format as that year.

This is intended to be a learning event with three turning demonstrations happening at the same time at different turning stations. This gives people opportunities to see different demonstrations that may be of interest to them. The plan is to have the doors open at 8:00AM with the first turning rotation to begin at 9:00AM. The last rotation will finish at 4:00PM with clean up following.

In 2015 the event started with a featured solo demonstration, followed by three rotations with three demos during each rotation. That means we need at least nine turning demonstrators from the clubs. Currently, we have two people who have volunteered to perform turning demonstrations.

We need volunteers for demonstrations and we need people to help run this event. Demos in the past have included: basic bowl turning, Christmas ornaments, bottle stoppers, spheres and sphere boxes, segmented turning, thin turning, boxes, different tool presentation techniques for different cutting types, etc. If you have something you do that would be of interest, you all do, bring it forward. If you don't feel comfortable demonstrating, please contribute to the day as a team member.

Being on a team does not mean you won't be able to see or conduct a demo. The idea behind a team is the workload is shared and team responsibilities should slow down while demonstrations are happening.

There are three teams that need members, and we would like to get people on those teams right away. Contact Tim Verbeke (tverbs@hotmail.com) to volunteer as a team member, indicate your team preference, team leads will handle the details.

Event Operations:

Team Lead: Tim Verbeke

Team Members: TBD

This team may be divided into sub teams. Activities will involve event setup on Friday 11/2 and Event Day running as needed

Lunch and Snacks Team:

Team Lead: Dave 'Crowbar' Razunas

Team members: TBD

Raffle and Door Prizes Team:

Team Leads: Hod Bailey & Frank Kobilsek (Awesome, we have two people working this simultaneously, details to be clarified.)

Team Members: Karl Miller,TBD



August 10, 2018

Dear Area Woodturner,

Turning Saturday, hosted by the Central Illinois Woodturners, is scheduled for November 3, 2018 at the Youth Build Facility in Bloomington IL. In the past, over 60 area woodturners of all skill and age levels gathered to participate in 4 rotations of 'see and do' sessions. Volunteer instructors shared their skills and knowledge in a fun learning environment.

For 2018 the registration fee is \$30 per person. The price will cover the cost of the sessions, snacks, lunch, and door prizes. Doors will open at 8:00 AM with the first rotation starting at 9:00 AM. The last rotation will end at 4:00 PM and we'll clean up.

The theme of this event is that we learn from each other. So, it is important that you are willing to share your successes and challenges with others. Please bring that tool that has been a problem to you. This is a great opportunity to search for first hand solutions from your fellow club members.

Members of the Central Illinois Woodturners, Flat Land Woodturners, and the Lincoln Land Woodturners are being invited but the event is open to all woodturners. Consider using this event as a recruiting opportunity for our clubs.

Feel Free to bring

- 1) A few bucks to buy additional raffle drawing tickets
- 2) A sweet treat to share
- 3) Something for the instant gallery
- 4) A door prize
- 5) Your favorite folding chair
- 6) A friend curious about woodturning

Please send in your registration today and watch the CIW website for updates such as a rotation schedule and map to the event. Let the chips fly!

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Registration Form
CIW Turning Saturday
November 3, 2018 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, St., Zip: _____

Email: _____

Best Phone number: _____

I am an AAW member: YES NO

I am a member of _____ turning club.

I just might have a door prize to donate: YES NO

Send this form with a check for \$30 payable to Central Illinois Woodturners to:

Tim Verbeke
12421 W. Jolynn Ct.
Hanna City, IL 61536

Doors open @ 8:00AM, first demo rotation @ 9:00AM

Updated Roster

The CIW Roster has been updated to reflect current membership. There are a few who need to pay 2018 dues as soon as possible, otherwise your name will be dropped from the roster.

Bill Schulz
Membership Chair