



Great Falls Woodturners Newsletter

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Club Demonstrations

Club Bowl Turning – Feb 3rd

The club bowl that was created during the Segmenting Workshop was ready to be turned at the Feb 3rd meeting.

The initial turning of the bowl was done by **Sam Sampedro** who turned the outside of the bowl. During the turning of the outside of the bowl we solicited the guidance of the segmenting mentors, **Terry Hill** and **Rich Charlson** to advise us on the shape of the bowl as we turned it.



Sam Sampedro



Wayne Petrini

When the outside was complete, **Wayne Petrini** took over and turned part of the inside then turned it over to **Chuck Kuether** to complete the wall of the bowl.



Chuck Kuether

When Chuck had that completed he turned it over to **Tom Krajacich** who meticulously turned the inside bottom of the bowl.



Tom Krajacich

Chuck Kuether volunteered to take the bowl home and finish the outside bottom which includes removing the waste block, finishing the bottom, and sanding it.

When he has it completed and ready for finishing, Chuck will take it to **Wayne Petrini**. Wayne will use his finishing expertise to put his classic finish on it that looks like it has been dipped in glass. An amazing process by Wayne.

The following club members were the creators of the club bowl:

Terry Hill
Rich Charlson
Chuck Kuether
Tom Krajacich
Wayne Petrini
Paul Snyder
Dave Manix
Darrell Young
Ken Quaschnik
Gary Campbell
Roger Wayman
Reb Bishop
Sam Sampedro

2015 Segmenting Workshop

This year's Segmenting Workshop was an excellent learning process that took several newcomers to segmenting into that arena of turning. It also helped build a better skill level on those who have a segmenting background.

Terry Hill and **Ben Hill** put together an outstanding set of instructions to guide the newcomers and experienced turners to create a segmented bowl using the kaleidoscope star at the bottom.

The kaleidoscope concept was created by **Rich Charlson** who perfected it and has shared his knowledge with our club.



Please see the photos below of the workshop.



Club Meeting and Demo Schedule

Sat Feb 21 Tool Making Workshop
12:00 – 4:30 PM

***Tues Mar 3 Club Meeting and
Demo – David Stratton**

****Sat Mar 21 Demo – Ken Quashnik**

***Tues Apr 7 Club Meeting and
Demo – Jay Eklund**

****Sat Apr 18 Demo**

*** 6:30 – 9 PM ** 12:30 – 4:30 PM**

Perpetual Bowl

The 'Perpetual Bowl' activity has been put on the 'back burner' since participation has dwindled to only a few members. We will try to resume it in the Fall.

Thanks to all those who participated in this activity in the past.

Thanks

A very special THANKS to:

All of you that come in early to help set up for the meeting and those of you that stay after the meeting to clean up and secure the equipment. It is deeply appreciated.



Thanks to **David Stratton** for videoing Feb 3rd Demo.

Thanks to **Chuck Kuether** and **David Stratton** for their time and effort to create and duplicate the DVDs of the demonstrations.

Tips

Safety Tip – Sam Sampedro

Here is a video by the Hippy Robo that stresses safety while turn and provides nice safety tips:

STAND OUT OF THE LINE OF FIRE by Reed Gray aka Robo Hippy

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F4qlM_-Jzqk&feature=youtu.be

Shop Tip – Roger Wayman & Gabriel Taylor

Would you like to be able to sketch your morning star diamond to see what the colors would look like before you cut the wood? My grandson, **Gabriel Taylor** using paint SAI, created the worksheet at the end of this newsletter that you can print and use to do just that. Please feel free to make copies as you see fit.
Roger & Gabriel

Info Tip – Chuck Kuether

Would you like to know the durability of the wood you are using to create that masterpiece you are working on?

The Wood Durability Chart I discovered on line will give an indication. Please visit the following site:

<http://www.woodworkersuk.co.uk/images/1900-timber-durability-chart.jpg>

Club's Appreciation

Editor's Comment: My thanks to the following individuals who helped with the content of this newsletter:

**Roger Wayman & Gabriel Taylor
Chuck Kuether**

Instant Gallery

Photos

(Great Photos by Paul Snyder)



Dave Stratton



Terry & Ben Hill



Del Johnson



Jerry Hall



Terry & Ben Hill



Dirk Johnson



Sam Sampedro



Sam Sampedro



Jerry Hall



Jerry Hall



Greg Yeager



Reb Bishop



Reb Bishop



Reb Bishop



Reb Bishop

2015 Segmenting Workshop







Terry Hill



Terry Hill



Regional Symposiums

Great Falls Woodturners 2015 Symposium

Featuring



Rudy Lopez

*When: September 26 & 27, 2015
9:00 AM to 4:00 PM*

*Place: Great Falls College, MSU
2100 16th Av S
Great Falls, MT 59405*

More Info to Follow

WOODTURNING DEMONSTRATION
AND WORKSHOP
The Chinook Woodturning Guild

is pleased to host

CINDY DROZDA

Master woodturner and artist

Saturday, Sunday and Monday, May 23-25, 2015

Cindy Drozda is among the most accomplished and innovative woodturning artists working today in North America. See her art and craftsmanship on her website: www.cindydrozda.com

There will be an all day demonstration.

Saturday 23 May, 2015, 9am-4pm Registration: \$60 (Students \$30) includes lunch (Non-members \$70)

**Location: CASA Building, 230
8th Street South Lethbridge,
Alberta T1J2H2, Canada**

Please register to attend by contacting:

Vern Miller 403-892-6729 (verntheturner@gmail.com) or Dan Michener 403-331-9177 (danmichener@shockware.com)

ALSO

Cindy will lead two full-day hands-on workshops on Sunday, 24 May, and Monday 25 May, 2015. (If enough woodturners register.) **Registration for the workshop is \$175** (non-members \$190) The workshop is limited, so please call Vern or Dan if you would like to attend. **Register before 31 January, 2015.**

**Woodturners of Olympia
Present**

Creativity in Woodturning Symposium 2015



***A Day With
RICHARD RAFFAN
Saturday July 25, 2015***

Workshops July 26-29, and August 1&2 2015

Richard Raffan is perhaps one of the best known woodturners in the world and is the 2012 recipient of the AAW Professional Outreach Program Merit Award. At this symposium Richard will share his life-long knowledge of and passion for woodturning.

Symposium Demonstrations:

**Back to Basics
Bowls
Lidded Bowls
Suction Fit Boxes**

Workshops:

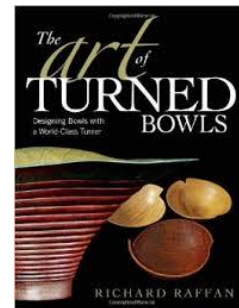
**Basics Revisited
Bowl
Boxes**

A couple of years ago, Richard noted that 'he is drifting into his retirement years' and may not be coming to the 'States' much anymore. Now, after he had to cancel his participation in our 2014 Symposium, we are **thrilled** to have another opportunity to host him in 2015. *Consider this Symposium a 'must attend' event.*

Register at <http://www.woodturnersofolympia.org/>

Don't miss this rare opportunity!

***RICHARD RAFFAN* July 25, 2015 in Olympia Washington!**



Great Falls Woodturners

2014 Turning Club Meetings/Demos

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Video Demo Recordings Available for Purchase (\$5.00 each for Members, \$10.00 each for Non-Members)

1	Making a hollow ornament	Gordon Heikens	9-26, 10-3-2009
2	Turning a square edged bowl	Gordon Heikens	9-12 & 19, 2009
3	Scoop & Goblet	Gordon Heikens	10-10-2009
4	Spoon & Lidded Box	Gordon Heikens	10-17-2009
5	Plate & 4 Blade Screwdriver	Gordon Heikens	10-24-2009
6	Finishing & Buffing	Chuck Kuether	11-3-2009
7	Birch bowl turned on a screw chuck & jam chuck	Chuck Kuether	11-7-2009
8	Christmas Ornament from 4" block	Chuck Kuether	11-14-2009
9	Hollowing alternative / Tree ornament	Lloyd Taylor/Chuck Kuether	11-21-2009
10	Bud Vase	George Gelernter	12-5-2009
11	Segmented Bowl, pattern-layout	Rich Charlson	1-16-2010
12	Segmented Bowl, base assembly	Rich Charlson	1-23-2010
13	Segmented Bowl, wall construction	Rich Charlson	1-30-2010
14	Segmented bowl, final turning	Rich Charlson	2-6-2010
15	Club Segmented Bowl #1	Rich Charlson	2-13-2010
16	Club Segmented Bowl #2	Rich Charlson	2-20-2010
17	Club Segmented Bowl #3	Rich Charlson	2-27-2010
18	Club Segmented Bowl #4	Rich Charlson	3-6-2010
19	Center Saver	Lloyd Taylor/Chuck Kuether	3-13-2010
20	Suction Fit Lidded Box	Randy Gazda	3-20-2010
21	Making and Using an Oland Tool	Tom Krajacich	4-10-2010

22	Off-center Turning	Cecil Walborn	4-24-2010
23	Vase & Stemware Bases, Scoop	Gordon Heikens	5-22-2010
24	Sharpening Tools	Gordon Heikens/Chuck Kuether	8-14-2010
25	Spindle & Bowl Basics	Gordon Heikens/Chuck Kuether	8-21-2010
26	Natural-edge Bowl	Barry Rockwell	8-28-2010
27	Selling on Ebay	Barry Rockwell	9-7-2010
28	More Bowl Basics	Chuck Kuether/Gordon Heikens	9-11-2010
29	Gifts & Finials	Gordon Heikens	10-23-2010
30	Thread Chasing	Barry Rockwell	11-2-2010
31	Pencil Pots	Lloyd Taylor	11-13-2010
32	Bread Knife	Randy Gazda	12-11-2010
33	Caragana Bowl #1	Rich Charlson	2- 2011
34	Caragana Bowl #2	Rich Charlson	2-2011
35	Winged Bowl	Gordon Heikens	8-2-2011
36	Off-center Duck	Chuck Kuether	8-20-2011
37	Making your own tools (unavailable at this time)	Barry Rockwell	10-5-2011
38	Icicles	Sam Sampedro	10-22-2011
39	Bowl Roughing	Barry Rockwell	10-22-2011
40	Mushroom Birdhouse Ornament	Barry Rockwell	11-1-2011
41	Multi-axis Turning & Miniatures	Cecil Walborn	11-19-2011
42	How to Safely Mount Wood on The Lathe	Jerry Hall/Tom Krajacich/Sam	12-6-2011
43	Natural Edge Bowl	Sam Sampedro	2-14-2012
44	Creating Blocks for Feature Rings	Randy Gazda/Terry Hill	3-3-2012

45	Finishing Demonstration	Wayne Petrini	4-6-2012
46	Sharpening Demonstration	Sam Sampedro	4-6-2012
47	Box with Inlaid Lid	Chuck Kuether	4-3-2012
48	Wood Turned Bracelets	David Stratton	4-21-2012
49	Blind Box	Reb Bishop	5-1-2012
50	Basic Bowl	Chuck Kuether	5-19-2012
51	Creating with Resin and Scalloped (Fluted) Bowl	Barry Rockwell	6-5-2012
52	Pens and Bottle Stoppers	Bob Sobolik	7-10-2012
53	Tips from Gordon	Gordon Heikens	8-7-2012
54	Fence Post Twig Pot & Turning an Apple	Barry Rockwell	9-5-2012
55	Turned Wood Pendants	Chuck Kuether	9-15-2012
56	Birdhouse Ornaments	Sam Sampedro	10-27-2012
57	Candle Holder	Paul Snyder	11-17-2012
58	Inside-Out Turning	Reb Bishop	12-4-2012
59	Segmented Platter	Randy Gazda	12-15-2012
60	Bowl from a Board	Chuck Kuether	3-23-2013
61	Hybrid Bowl	Randy Gazda	4-2-2013
62	Turning a Square Bowl	Chuck Kuether	4-20-2013
63	Bowl Turning	Barry Rockwell	5-7-2013
64	Oval Goblet	Wayne Petrini	4-18-2013
65	Turning Corian	Arnie & Rich Owen	6-4-2013
66	Tool Making	Stumpy & Splinter	7-13-2013
68	Sharpening	Sam Sampedro	9-3-2013

69	Vase with Natural Bark	Wayne Petrini	10-1-2013
70	Sea Urchin Ornament	Sam Sampedro	9-3-2013
71	Coloring	Kelly Treat	11-16-2013
72	Symposium 2013 (\$20 for a set of 4 DVDs) request these from Sam	Mike Mahoney	9-20&21-2013
73	Miters for Stave Bowls	Kent Holtz	2-4-2014
74	Corian Pen	Paul Snyder	3-4-2014
75	Stool	Randy Gazda	3-29-2014
76	Eggs & Mushrooms	Jay Eklund	4-1-2014
77	Finishing a Rough Turned Bowl	Sam Sampedro	4-19-2014
78	Sharpening	Sam Sampedro	5-6-2014
79	Finishing	Wayne Petrini	5-17-2014
80	Turning a Dinner Plate	Barry Rockwell	6-3-2014
81	Jigs and Things	Club	6-21-2014
82	Pendants – Jewelry from Scraps	Roger Wayman	8-2-2014
83	Two-Part Hollow Form	Kelly Treat	8-16-2014
84	Bowl without a Chuck	Wayne Petrini	9-26-2014
85	Duck Call	Tom Krajacich	10-7-2014
86	Bangles	Kelly Treat Rich Charlson	10-18-2014
87	Feature Blocks	Paul Snyder	11-5-2014
88	Three Corner Bowl	Sam Sampedro	11-15-2014
89	Spirals	Jay Eklund	12-2-2014
90	Off-Center Bowl	Sam Sampedro	1-6-2015

Great Falls Woodturners Video Library

(These videos are available to check out at no cost)

New Additions to the Video Library are noted in RED on the first month of addition

Professional Turner's Videos

Mike Jackofsky – Making a Hollow Vessel – 2 discs

Lyle Jamieson – Bowl Basics The Easy Way – 2 discs

Lyle Jamieson – Hollow Forms The Easy Way

Mike Mahoney – Heirlooms: Making Things That Last

Mike Mahoney - On The McNaughton Center Saver

Mike Mahoney – Nested Madrone Bowl Set

Richard Raffan – The New Turning Wood with Richard Raffan

Malcolm Tibbetts – Lessons in Segmented Woodturning – Volume 2

Malcolm Tibbetts – Lessons in Segmented Woodturning Volume 5 – More Functional Projects

Segmented Woodturners, Arrowmont Symposium November 11–14, 2010

Chatter Tool Methods – A Complete Course with Ron Brown (Donated by Barry Rockwell)

Manufacturer's Videos

Jet Mfg. – Lathe – Safety, operation, tools, sharpening, projects

Oneway Mfg. - The Wolverine Sharpening System

Books

Lathe Fundamentals – Rick Peters – Popular Mechanics Workshop

The Art of Turned Bowls – Richard Raffin (Donated by Chuck Kuether)

Morning Star Sketch Diagram

