



Ryedale Woodturners

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Hello all

November 26-27 Sale – one week away

With a week to go, here are some reminders of the set-up for our Exhibition and Sale

- The sale is at The Hill Institute, Maltongate, Thornton le Dale. A couple of doors down from the newsagents ("Wardill Bros", known locally as Garbutts). Parking can be a little tricky.
- Set up of items for sale from 5pm on Friday 25 November.
- Sale to run from 10 am – 4 pm each day.
- Items not sold can be collected at 4pm on Sunday. Arrangements can probably be made with me to collect items and return them at the club meeting on Thursday 1 December. (Obviously not too many such requests - limited by car space.)
- Offers of help during the day are very welcome – trade is greatly enhanced by people being out on the street inviting people in to have a look. Thanks to those who have already signed up. More welcome.
- All items must be clearly labelled with a sale number and a price. Sale number from me if you haven't got one or cannot remember.
- 20% commission on everything sold, to cover hall rental and help with club funds. Make this a consideration in your pricing.



Annual Club Competition 1 December

Snainton Woodworking Supplies have generously donated three £10 vouchers, to be spent on the excellent selection of British hardwood blanks at their store. These will form the 1st prizes in Beginners, Intermediate and Advanced categories. 2nd and 3rd prizes will most likely be chocolates of some variety. Get turning! And don't forget the spinning top challenge.

Harrogate Woodworking Show

I managed to visit the show on the Sunday. By all accounts it was quieter than two very busy days on Friday and Saturday. Certainly by lunchtime it was quite sparse, and very much so by 3pm. I had fun buying some new toys, and enjoyed a good demonstration by Pat Carroll – who as well as impressing with the woodturning and banter, had a very good audio video system set up to aid his demonstration.

There were a few omissions compared to 3 years ago – I didn't see Biven or RDG tools there, and no Andrew Hall, no Sue and Graham Harker, no Dave Lowe demonstrating. And sadly of course no Mark Baker. But it still felt like the old show. What did others think?

Gallery

In the absence of any submissions this week, here is a picture of a cricket ball I made on request for someone recently. Full size (2.8" diameter) in olive ash. The stitching was done with a Henry Taylor Little Elf tool using the cylindrical tip, one of my rare ventures into texturing.



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