



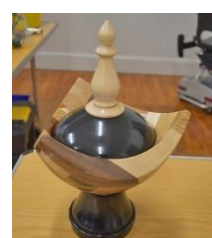
Ryedale Woodturners

News Bulletin 23 – 4 June 2023

Hello all

Club Night Thursday 1 June

Martyn Weller gave an excellent demonstration, challenging himself to turn three challenging bowls. The first was a three cornered bowl, turned from a cube, held corner to corner between centres. The second was a bowl within a bowl, turned holding an ordinary bowl between two purpose made jam chucks. And the third was a square bowl, turned using two blocks hot-glued together. All certainly challenging projects, but Martyn's clear explanations showed us how they were achievable. As usual, a write up will appear on the website, and a video on YouTube, in the near future.



The [script for Martyn's introductory flight of fancy](#), aided by Geoff, is attached to this email. Thanks as always to those who helped out with making the evening run – Lance for refreshments and taking fees, Phill and Elaine for running the shop, Keith Harte for setting up and running the AV equipment in Martyn's "absence", and to Phil Coe, Jonathan and Christine for their efforts clearing away equipment and shavings at the end of the night. We are always looking for volunteers to help out, particularly "reserves" when the usual helpers are absent or otherwise engaged – please put yourself forward if you are willing to contribute.

Club shop

I will be putting another order in to [Chestnut Products](#) before the next meeting. I have to spend at least £200 to get the discount and free postage, so if there is anything anyone wants and can wait for it until 6 July, please let me know and I can add it to my list.

I probably have enough wood from Snainton for another 3 meetings. After that, I can still provide blanks, but they will have to be at normal shop prices, not discounted like those I have been selling. At least I can get free delivery by buying in bulk.

Thanks once again to John Lund for donating some more opepe offcuts, with proceeds going to club funds. Thanks also to Martyn for donating some workshop matting.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday 23 June Training Day, Ebberston. This one is now full. It should be a good day.

Sunday 25 June, 10 – 4.30 pm. Gary Rance at Jorvik. £15 for the day, to include tea or coffee and lunch. It will be at Wigginton Recreational Hall, YO32 2PL. Contact Steve Brankley on 07773 531159 to book a place.

6 July 2023 Club Night We welcome back Mick Hanbury after a long absence, an artistic woodturner noted for his piercing and colouring work. There are write ups of previous visits in [September 2017](#) and [June 2015](#). [Mick's website](#) is also worth a visit.

8-9 July Filey Craft Fair Volunteers to help set up and man our stall over the weekend – even a couple of hours would be great – either to Martyn Weller who is our organiser/coordinator for the event, or by email to info@ryedalewoodturners.org.uk . Expressions of interest in providing items for sale are also welcome.

Saturday 15 July All day event at Doncaster Woodturners Club. All welcome. 10 – 4.30, £12 to include tea/coffee and buffet. Gerry Marlow is coming out of retirement for the day. Finningley Village Hall. Contact chrisplatts@btinternet.com if interested.

Thursday 3 August 2023 Club Night – Open Evening. More details to follow.

Wednesday 9 August 2023 Thornton le Dale Show. Volunteers to help set up and to man the stall either to Geoff Walker who is our organiser for the event, or by email to info@ryedalewoodturners.org.uk . Expressions of interest in providing items for sale are also welcome.

Tools for Sale

Mal Gladman has a Titan Pillar Drill for sale. £30. Surplus to requirements. Mal is in Irton, near Scarborough.



Gallery

Martin Stevens sent in some photos: *A simple chair I made using wood I turned from coppiced hazel which I collected as part of my volunteering. I copied the design from a photograph I saw in a book.*



And Terry Scott also sent in some photos: *Hi Steve, thought I'd share a couple of lamps I made. First time efforts so I'm quite pleased with the results.*



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