



Ryedale Woodturners

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Hello all

Andrew Hall Thursday 5 September 2024

Andrew has confirmed that he will be making “a small hat” at our next club night. He also tells me that “Tony Woodentop, the lead singer of The Woodentopz, is coming as well so we can have a tune or two”, no doubt using some of his renowned bowlkeleles.

Andrew has actually demonstrated a small wooden hat for us before, but it was back in November 2010, so very few of us are likely to remember it. There is a [a write up of the evening](#) in the [News section of the website](#), from when Gordon Malan used to produce an A4 paper monthly newsletter. I was relatively new to the Club at the time, and remember being very impressed, along with everyone else!

If you haven't seen any of Andrew's work, do have a look at his website [Home \(hallwoodhats.com\)](http://home(hallwoodhats.com)). A brief statement of who he is and what he does, but worth a visit to see some of his turning.

He also has a [Facebook](#) page, which he posts on fairly regularly.



Audio Visual Equipment Evening

Ian, Keith, Martyn and myself are gathering at Snainton Village Hall on Tuesday 20 August, principally to ensure we can set up the AV equipment in Keith's absence on 5 September, but also to see what use we can make of the new Hall installations. If anyone would like to join us you would be very welcome: we need to expand this small group for unforeseen, and anticipated, absences. Please [let me know](#) if you would be willing to get involved.

Thornton le Dale Show Sale Payouts

Members who have payouts due from sales at the Show should receive them tomorrow (Monday) via bank transfer, apart from two who will receive theirs in cash at the next meeting.

Gallery

A photo from Martyn of a recent commission. I love the stitching. Looks like iroko on cherry?



And below are a couple of pieces of wooden sculpture, not woodturning but beautiful craftsmanship and groundbreaking art. Spotted on show at The Barbara Hepworth Gallery in Wakefield, which I visited last week on a holiday in the West Riding (it seems to be called “South Yorkshire” these days), staying just outside Huddersfield.

1. Barbara Hepworth’s workbench and work in progress;
2. Curved Form, carved from Scented Guarea wood (Barbara Hepworth 1960)
3. Reclining Figure carved from elm (Henry Moore, 1936)



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