



Ryedale Woodturners

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Club night Thursday 6 March – Dan Smith – bird feeder

Schedule:

- 6:45 Doors open for setting up audio, video, chairs, tables, refreshments, enrolment, etc.
- 7:00 Doors open for members to sign in, converse, look at what's on sale etc. Shop open.
- 7:25 Any announcements
- 7:30 Demonstration begins. Dan will be making a hanging bird feeder, involving the use of drills, chucks and .
- 8:30 Refreshment break.
- 8:40 Raffle drawn while refreshments continue. The usual exciting prizes!
- 8:45 Demonstration continues
- 9:30 Finish (approximately, by 9:45 at latest)
- 9:45 Clear up, everyone out by 10:00 pm.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88278502656?pwd=rWKnaky5IVJrGH2tXwJ1MnNxnI9e3v.1>

Meeting ID: 882 7850 2656

Passcode: 068363

Shop: there will be a variety of wood blanks from a variety of sources. There will also be some second hand tools, including



Paul Howard 5 copy fingers on a 1m bar (£90 new, £30), and a [Kirjes sanding system](#) (pneumatic cushioned pads, flexible shaft, motor and drive - £289 new, £60), There will be a box of Woodturner magazines for free – please take them, they read just as well as when they were new!

Paul Howard demonstration – video link Apologies from Paul, who had posted the video of his demonstration to YouTube, but forgotten to pass on the link. It is <https://youtu.be/oCqpNJm79uQ>. Well worth a watch, or another watch.

Spring Exhibition and Sale

A reminder that we are trying a spring sale this year: Saturday 26 – Sunday 27 April, at the Hill Institute, Thornton le Dale. Offers to help out for even an hour or two on either day will be very gratefully received. Please contact [John Whiteley](#), or let him know you can help at the March meeting. And do get some pieces turned for sale!

Audio visual check

Keith, Ian, Randy and myself met last Tuesday to run through the set up for our sound and vision, it being 5 months since we had a “live” demonstration in the hall. There were a couple of niggles, which Keith managed to find a workaround for, but otherwise we are fairly confident that the sound and vision in the hall, and across Zoom, will be fine. Many thanks to Keith and others for giving up their time.

Gallery



An unusual wall clock request from [oldfern](#) – instead of numbers this one has the letters MY DEAR MOTHER. Made for a vicar moving on from St Peter’s church, Buckland on the Moor, in Devon, where the clock is on the church tower.

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