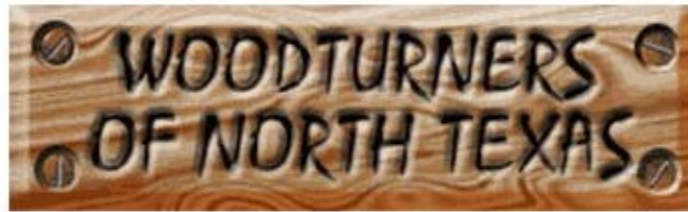




JUNE 2003



A Chapter of the American Association of Woodturners

Next Meeting: JUNE 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm  
200 North Vacek Suite B

Meeting will feature: Dale Green & Jeff Wentworth  
Program will be on Segmented Projects  
\*\* Bring something to the Instant Gallery \*\*

#### June Demonstrators – Dale Green & Jeff Wentworth

##### Dale:

I was in the Tire and Auto Service business for 40 years. The last 15 yrs I owned and operated my own business ( Cordy Tire Stores). I sold the business in 1988 and retired. The transition into retirement was to build our home in Lost Creek in 1989/90. Then I built a log Cabin on the Llano River in 1991/92. After these two large projects I decided to try something a little smaller so I started turning bowls in 1994. The first 50 or so were segmented bowls. I have attended Brigham Young's woodturning symposium for the last 7 years and have had the pleasure to attend demonstrations by the best wood turners from all over the world. I have attended 2 AAW shows and several Texas Turn Or Two shows. I enjoy green wood and segmented projects. They fill my days and enrich my retirement.

##### Jeff:

Jeff retired in 1997 from the Bank of America and also from 6 years as a City Council Member of Fort Worth. After retiring, Jeff took up wood turning in large measure, he says, to provide himself with much needed therapy. Among the symposiums he has attended since retiring, the Utah Woodturning Symposium in Provo.

#### WNT WEBSITE GALLERY

The WNT gallery on our website is our window to the world. The gallery page is still a work in progress, but we are working toward making it a real showcase for the finest work of our WNT membership. We will continue to take pictures of all the fine work brought to the meetings for our instant gallery. Copies of all the pictures are available in digital format, if you need a picture of any of your pieces email Robert Brandt with the date and description of the piece and the picture will be emailed to you.

## **Jazz By The Boulevard**

The inaugural Jazz by the Boulevard will be held September 19 and 20<sup>th</sup> in the cultural district of Fort Worth. There will be arts and crafts, music, storytelling and other cultural events. The Woodturners of North Texas will be participating in this event with a booth to demonstrate our craft. If you were unable to attend the planning meeting and are still interested in participating please contact Mike Wallace or Robert Brandt.

## **Ramblings**

The last meeting was a little different. We are trying to reduce the time we spend talking and get more time for the demo. We want to include everything you have asked for in a meeting, but we want to get home at a reasonable hour. Some of our members drive a good distance to come to our meetings and some of the rest of us need our beauty sleep. We do not want to diminish the Show and Tell opportunity or the Demonstrators time for the demo. That leaves the announcements and the break. We will try to have a handout that will contain as many of the announcements as possible. That means if you have something you want announced, you will need to call Mike Wallace before Noon on the day of the meeting to let him know. This applies to everyone except those that have had new grandchildren during the past month. Those pictures should be placed on the bulletin board for all to see!

The break is next on the list. We need to hurry through the break period so we can get the demo started earlier. Please take care of whatever you need to and then return to your seat. We might start before everyone is seated, so as you are seated lets keep the noise to a minimum. We are working on the sound system, the video system and the room acoustics to make the meeting better for all. With your help, we can all have more fun.

Mike Wallace

## **Ridgmar Arts Fest** will be held July 18 – 20<sup>th</sup>, 2003

The Arts Fest features live entertainment, specialty food, art from over 100 artists and children's hands-on art area, food and art in the mall atrium area.

## **Resource Directory:**

In your Resource directory you will notice a listing for Hurst Opticians. They are located at 945 Melbourne Road, in Hurst. Their phone number is 817-284-9198. They are offering a discount of 10% for regular prescription dress glasses and 20% discount on prescription safety glasses. Another benefit of WNT membership!

Also in your Resource Directory there is a correction needed on the phone number for the new Rockler Store in Arlington. It should read 817-417-0070. Please make a note in your book. By the way, Rockler also is giving WNT members a 10% discount. Get the details at the store.

## **Tool Swap**

On Saturday, June 28<sup>th</sup> from 9 AM till Noon, there will be a Tool Swap meet at Mike Wallace's shop (the club meeting place). Bring your left over and forgotten tools (or parts of tools) and some money to buy what you need from others. We will be running an ad in the newspaper to attract attention from the general public, so attendance should be good. There might even be a little demo turning!

## Hands-on Sessions

We have another idea we want to try for getting more of you to turn. On Thursday, June 26<sup>th</sup> (the regular meeting night), from 5 PM until 6 PM we will have a Hands-on Session for those of you that want some instruction. There will be several lathes set up and wood to turn. The subject matter will be whatever you need it to be. Mounting wood on the lathe, roughing out the wood for preparation, tool use, tool control and sharpening will be covered as needed. We want everyone to get the help they need. This is a starting place. We will try to expand this idea as we see what impact it has on our membership. The session will end at 6 PM sharp, so we can get ready for the regular meeting. During the 6 PM to 7 PM hour you can help set up for the meeting or grab a light supper.

## Toting a Totem Pole

The Woodtumers of North Texas, Fort Worth, Texas ("WNT"), recently constructed a 20" high totem pole section for a display located in Gatlinburg, Tennessee at the Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts ("Arrowmont"). WNT's section consisted of four Texas icons (Cowboy boot, Lone Star, longhorn and outline of the state) mounted on a rotating carousel. The unique aspect of this project is that the four icons were hoop turnings which, when cut in cross-section, revealed the familiar icon shape.

To learn more interesting features about the facts and history of the AAW totem poles see the Journal of the American Woodtumer, Summer 2003, Vol. 18, No.2, page 44-46. Also review the WNT totem contribution at our chapter website at [www.woodtumersofnorthtexas.org](http://www.woodtumersofnorthtexas.org).

### **"Bring Back" Winners at March Meeting**

<b><u>Who Won</u></b>	<b><u>What</u></b>	<b><u>Provided By</u></b>
Phil Joines	Winged Mesquite Bowl	Dewayne Hines
Vic Miller	Thin Stemmed Goblet	Paul Tiefel
Steve Ott	Mesquite Log	Jerry Springer
Bob Collett	Mesquite Log	Jerry Springer

## Calendar of Events

June 26 \*\*NEW\*\* "Hands-On Session"  
Tuesday 5:00pm to 6:00pm, then  
WNT Monthly Meeting: 7:00pm  
200-B N. Vacek  
Demo: Dale Green & Jeff Wentworth  
"Segmented Projects"

July 1 WNT Directors Meeting  
Tuesday 6:00pm at Angelo's BBQ  
7:00pm Meet at 200-B N. Vacek

July 31 WNT Monthly Meeting: 7:00pm  
Thursday 200-B N. Vacek  
Demo: John Horn:  
"Taming the Skew"

August 5 WNT Directors Meeting  
Tuesday 6:00pm at Angelo's BBQ  
7:00pm Meet at 200-B N. Vacek

August 28 WNT Monthly Meeting: 7:00pm  
200-B N. Vacek  
Demo: Ken Terrell

## FOR SALE

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