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All the News That Will Fit On the Lathe

“the 360” A Message From Mark Hubl, Your President

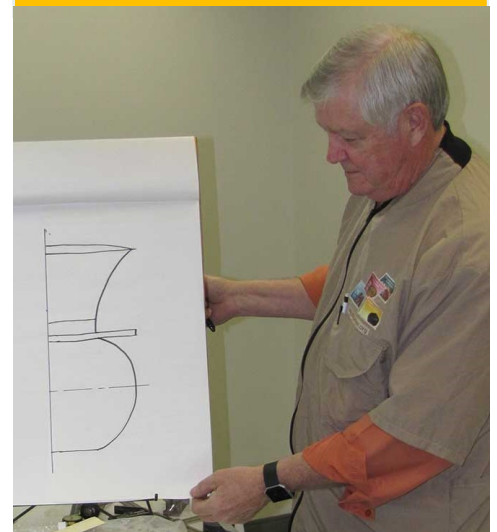
Up, Up, and away...

As I write this column I glance out the window to look at cottony white clouds and a baby blue sky. It is always an interesting perspective to peer out the little rectangular window of a jet. As I am transported thousands of feet above the earth at unearthly speeds it always makes me think of those who crossed this vast expanse in wagons pulled by horses. It truly is amazing how far we have progressed in such a short period. Jen and I are heading west on our almost annual trek to **the desert**. It is a trip to recharge the batteries, spend some time with friends and take in the art of the west. I will visit some of the woodshops in Sun City and see what the woodworkers have been up to in the past year. We will visit some galleries and we will eat some great food too! Unfortunately, our journey takes us away long enough to miss our next meeting. You will be in the capable hands of our

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The Frbruary Demonstration

Don Johnston



***“More of the Same”
Duplication***

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**THE
FEBRUARY
GALLERY**



Roy Lindley



Dick Sing



Mark Hubl



Paul Shotola

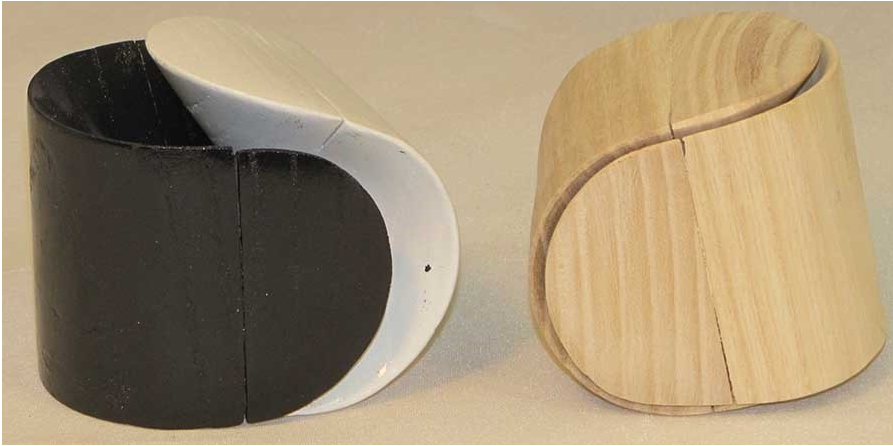


**Bill
Aitchison**

Ed Slee



Bob Moss



Rich Nye



Dick Sing





Bruce Kamp



Rich Nye



Bill Aitchison



Roy Lindley

JANICE LEVY



Demonstration and Classes

Janice Levy, professional woodturner and jewelry maker will be presenting an all-day demonstration at Christian Liberty Academy in Arlington Hts, on Saturday, April 29 with

hands-on classes at NORMAC in Geneva on Sunday 4-30 and Monday/Tuesday 5-1 and 5-2

Addresses and times are on the CWT website at

www.chicagowoodturners.com

All are invited.

Janice will discuss pyrography (wood burning), jewelry making and lots more. Here is your chance to meet Janice and see her and her work up-close and personal.

Janice is a featured demonstrator at the AAW Symposium this year in Kansas City



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12" swing, 1 1/8 x 8" Threads.
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MARCH MEETING

3-21-17 7:00PM

Demo by Roberto Ferrer
Review by Marie Anderson

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Stand for a Jet 10" Lathe
Is yours mounted on bench?

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The **Hobson Oak**

A bur oak tree which stood in DuPage County for 250 years is gone.

The 250-year-old tree known as the 'Hobson Oak' was taken down by DuPage County because it was decaying, but its story will live on.

It was a landmark on Hobson Road near Greene Road, close to Naperville.

WBBM's Steve Miller reports.

"As it's coming down, with each saw cut it was..it was...just so sad."

Mary Lou Wehrli is secretary of the Naperville Parks Foundation.

"And yet we're so proud that we were able to treat it respectfully by carefully cutting it and by carefully re-purposing it and allowing its symbolism to continue to be embraced by the community," Wehrli said.

Preservationists decided the wood from the tree can be used to make furniture and artwork, instead of shredding the tree into wood chips.

Wehrli said artists will be able to make objects from its wood and hopefully donate their work to charity auctions. Portions of the tree will be available in the coming months and the foundation is accepting artist applications.

But that is not the only way the tree will live on. Wehrli said at least two dozen acorns will also be planted to grow saplings.

"We're going to have one or more planted along Hobson Road, certainly at a farther distance from the road," Wehrli said. "And hopefully the progeny of the mother oak will continue to thrive."

Tree photo and edited article from WBBM Radio website



Bowls by Bruce Kamp

Bur Oak and Malachite (top)
Bur Oak and Turquoise (bottom)

**A DuPage Landmark
Lives On**

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Faceplates



1 1/8 to 1 spindle

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Our Next Meeting

March 21

Lisle Park District 7:00PM

THE MONTHLY REVIEW

Each month, an experienced member reviews members' current work. We have two tables set up, one for review items (in February, Don Johnston, your Past President did the review-Don is a seasoned turner and pulled no punches, as expected) and a second table to show your work without a review. All members are encouraged to bring their work to the tables. What have you been working on? A new technique? A fresh design?

Make sure you fill out a tag so we can credit the artist.

Your fellow members want to know what you have been up to.

At our February meeting:
Demonstration and Review by:

Don Johnston

Duplication techniques for spindle turning

**CALENDAR
OF
EVENTS**

WINDY CITY WOODTURNERS EVENTS

Dates to be announced

CHICAGO WOODTURNERS EVENTS

Janice Levy Demo Saturday, April 29 Arlington Hts (see page 5)

OTHER EVENTS:

Totally Turning 2017 Saratoga Springs, NY April 1-2

AAW National Symposium Kansas City, MO June 22-25

The “360”

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Vice President Dawn. I know she has arranged an interesting demonstration with **Roberto Ferrer**.

Also, have you all been thinking about the mini-demo's we discussed at the last meeting? I am sending out an email **asking for ideas and volunteers**. It may be in your mailbox as you read this. Please give it some thought and shoot me a reply.

As always, we are looking for demonstrators or ideas to finish up our annual schedule. If you have ideas or are interested in being a presenter, please contact Dawn or me.

Thanks to **Don Johnston** for last month's demo. I have done a few projects that could be considered duplicating and it was not easy to accomplish matching pieces. Don made it look easy. It is always important to have good turning technique, but when duplicating it is even more important to have a solid plan and process. Don did a nice job of explaining the techniques that will help you achieve success. Thanks, Don for an informative and entertaining demo.

Be Safe and Keep Turning!

Mark