



# FRONT RANGE WOODTURNERS

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## Upcoming Events

*(Please note corrections to dates. My apologies – Editor.)*

**May** – Meeting is scheduled for 6:30 pm, Tuesday, May 7. Keith Gotschall will be doing a presentation on salt urns.

**June** – Tuesday, June 4. There will be two sessions on this day instead of a meeting (times to be announced). Chris Stott will be doing a presentation. There will be a cost for these sessions: \$10 for a single session and \$15 for both sessions.

Utah Woodturning Symposium, June 13-15. Held at Brigham Young University in Provo, Utah. Click this link for a registration form:

<http://www.woodturnerscatalog.com/symposiumreg.html>

National AAW Symposium, June 28-30. Held in Providence, Rhode Island this year. Click this link for more information:

<http://www.woodturner.org>.

**July** – Correction! We will be meeting in the great outdoors on **Tuesday** (not Saturday as was previously noted), July 2, in the pavilion at Barnum Park (directions will be provided in a later newsletter) We will be there from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Several members will demonstrate how to get the best blanks from logs using chain-saws. Come early and BYOF (bring your own food) to cook out. Soft drinks will be provided by FRWT.

**August** – Meeting is scheduled for 6:30 pm, Tuesday, August 6. Several lathes will be set up for simultaneous, 25-minute demonstrations by members – you can move from one to the next. Demonstrators will be Pete Holtus, Ron Embury, Phil Link, Gene Wentworth, and Richard Bailey.

**September** – Meeting is scheduled 6:30 pm, Tuesday, September 3. Pete Holtus will be demonstrating Christmas (or any holiday of choice) ornaments.

**October** – Meeting is scheduled for 6:30 pm, Tuesday, October 1. Bruce Knuth is tentatively scheduled to be the demonstrator. ❖

## News

### Club Library

There is a good library of books, commercial videos, and videos of previous demonstrations available to be checked out by members. We all know how expensive building a good reference library is, so take advantage of this free service. Use the library card in the back of your badge holder to check out items.

The period for checkout is until the next meeting. If you have items checked out, please be sure to return them by the next meeting so that other members may also use the materials.

If you have items that you would like to donate to the Club Library, contact Jim Applegate.

### Bulletin Board

Check out the bulletin board on the side of the library cabinet, or post your own notices.

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## *Volunteers Needed*

We are asking for people interested in volunteering in the following:

- We would like a safety shield for the lathe to protect the audience.
- We need help in setting up and breaking down for each meeting. This includes setting up and breaking down the equipment and chairs, and clean-up around the equipment.

## *Miscellaneous*

### *Shop Tours*

We are trying to set up shop tours for interested members. Phil Houck has the sign-up sheet for those interested in giving a tour or going on a tour. Just remember – no one expects a sparkling clean shop, so don't worry about putting it off because you don't have time to tidy up.

### *Wood Suppliers*

Contact Steve Claycomb at the meetings for information about sources of wood.

### *Rocky Mountain WoodTurners*

Rocky Mountain WoodTurners provides complimentary copies of their newsletter to interested members of Front Range WoodTurners. If you are interested in receiving a copy, contact Alisa Limvere and she will get your information to Nancy Brewer of RMW. If you have been receiving a copy and do not wish to continue, contact

Alisa and she will notify Nancy for you. ❖

## *Show and Tell*

Here are some more of the beautiful items that members have brought.



David Nittman – “Southern Ware,” Cuban mahogany salvaged from a storm in Florida 20 years ago with ebony rim.



Jill Rice – Elm bowl.



Jill Rice – Aspen vase.



Ron Bentall – Cherry small platter.

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Ron Bentall – Box elder burl bowl.



Les Stern – Lighted glass globe stand in aspen.



Gene Wentworth – Miniature acrylic goblet with cocobolo rim (actual size about 1 ¼" tall).

Thanks to David Bailey for all the photos. ❖

## *Demonstrations*

### *March Demo*

Trent Bosch demonstrated his “Bowls of Illusion” (also called “nested vessels”). His vessels look like nesting bowls, with the inner vessel of one type of wood, and the outer, carved vessel of a different type of wood. Check out Trent’s Web site at [www.trentbosch.com](http://www.trentbosch.com).



Sample of a vessel of illusion.



Trent telling it like it is.



Using tailstock to support while shaping.



Trent following his form.



Trent likes to carve his bowls while still mounted in the chuck.

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Roughed-out carving of petals.  
His roughed-out piece was included in the door prizes. ❖

### Schlosser



In the store, Schlosser has some more new items:

- Delta lathe, model 46-715, iron bed lathe, 14/40. Will be available
- Porter Cable Reciprocating Saw
- Porter Cable Pin Nailer
- Porter Cable Palm Nailer

Schlosser has a Clearance Center in the store. These are overstock items, discontinued items, floor models, and so on. Some stuff has sold and new stuff has been added. They are excellent deals – one of a kind, at about the lowest prices you will see. Once they are gone, they are gone.

In addition, keep in mind that on FRW meeting nights, members

of FRW get 5% discounts on equipment and 10% on other products. **Note:** For this week only, clearance items are included in member discounts.

*Please note* – Schlosser also provides the service of special ordering for items that they may not have in stock. If it is available to them through their providers, they can get it for you. Talk to Phil at Schlosser for more information.

Schlosser web page:

<http://www.schlossertool.com> ❖

### Web Stuff

The Front Range WoodTurners Web site address:

[www.harrispress.com/frw](http://www.harrispress.com/frw)

Get the latest information about upcoming events, meetings, and view the excellent photos of the show and tell gallery.

Other sites of interest:  
(Rky Mtn Woodturners, Ft Collins)

[www.verinet.com/-](http://www.verinet.com/-drmeli/rmwt.html)

[drmeli/rmwt.html](http://www.lathes.co.uk)

[www.lathes.co.uk](http://www.lathes.co.uk)

[www.woodworkingbasics.com](http://www.woodworkingbasics.com)

[www.treelineusa.com](http://www.treelineusa.com)

[www.woodturnerscatalog.com](http://www.woodturnerscatalog.com)

[www.Kestrel Creek Gallery](http://www.KestrelCreekGallery.com)

[www.Choice Woods.com](http://www.ChoiceWoods.com) ❖

### Classifieds

For Sale – Big lathe: 24" over throat; 220V; 1 ¼" shaft; 4-speed with safety slip clutch; 2 ½" Vicmarc chuck; 8" faceplate; 4" face plate; 7 chisels; \$2,000 takes all. Call Gary (970) 593-1901.

For Sale – 12" Rockwell Delta Lathe: variable speed; heavy-duty model.

*Excellent condition.* \$950 obo. Call Jim Olson (303) 771-9869.

For Sale – Alltrade scroll saw. *Perfect condition.* Basic, \$100; with quick blade and access, \$125. Call Chuck Kubin, (303) 733-0254.

For Sale – Rockwell variable speed lathe model 46-525, 12" x 39" with "Reeves Drive" and 3/4 hp motor - \$750. Powermatic Dust Collector model 73, 1 1/2 hp with 1 micron felt bags top and bottom, on wheels, floor sweep - \$150. FREE Used Motors of various hp sizes, all work, no switches or power cords, suitable for grinders, sanding/buffing operations, etc. Let me know ahead of time and I'll bring to the meeting. No shipping available on these! Velcro Sandpaper Disks, 2" are \$1 per 10 disks, 3" (not too many available) are \$1 per 6 disks. Various grits available. Contact Cindy Drozda or David Nittman at 303-449-7170, [cdrozda@nyx.net](mailto:cdrozda@nyx.net), or at the FRWT and RMWT club meetings. ❖

### Club Information

*President:* John Montague

*Vice President/Program*

*Director:* George Adams

*Treasurer:* Jill Rice

*Secretary & Newsletter Editor:*

Alisa Limvere

In addition, the following Chairpersons were appointed and accepted:

*Membership & Publicity*

*Chairman:* Ron Embery

*Librarian:* Jim Applegate

*Raffle-Wood Director:* Steve Claycomb

*Shop Tour & Mentor Program*

*Chairman:* Phil Houck

*Internet Chairman:* Dane Harris

*Video/TV Chairman:* Cy

Carpenter

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## *General Meeting Information*

Normal meetings are the first Tuesday of every month, unless otherwise rescheduled.

Meeting place is at Schlosser Tool & Machinery, 301 Bryant Street, Denver, CO.

Meetings are 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM.

## *FRW Newsletter Contact Info*

Alisa Limvere

Feel free to send her ideas, photos, corrections, and information. Advertising in the Classifieds is free (unless it gets so large that it adds to the newsletter's distribution cost).

In addition, Alisa Limvere made the offer to assist any demonstrators in creating hand-outs of their demonstrations.

Her e-mail is

alisa\_limvere@csgsystems.com. Her phone number is (303) 648-3414.

Deadline for submitting material for inclusion in the newsletter is 15 days before the next meeting. ❖



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