

West Bay Wood Turnings

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Club Message

No Minutes from August

Next meeting on Sept 9th, at 7PM, at Hillsdale HS.

For directions see website.

This month's meeting included the annual BBQ, a wood raffle and silent auction, and a demo on woodturning problems. The demo was called 'Woodturning problems: symptoms, causes, and cures'. It showed various types of turning problems, and discussed the causes of these and how to overcome them. Presidents' challenge was a turned top, donated to the Children's' cause, which was a big success.

Note from Clarence:

The September meeting will have Harvey Klein demonstrating how he makes Christmas tree ornaments. October is vacuum chucks presented by Doug Ryan (former member) and me. The September meeting is at Hillsdale High School. Presidents challenge for September is any project described in a magazine article together with the magazine and October is Christmas tree ornaments.

There is a reference to Jon Sauer's piece being purchased for the AAW permanent collection in the AAW magazine. Good show, Jon!

Note from Peter Pipe:

To all of you who contributed tops last month, my most sincere thanks. We had a total of 62 contributions to add to my own horde. I'm sure they'll bring a bright spot into the lives of some most deserving little people. At this point, I've made something like 1200 tops for Ronald McDonald House and thought I had a good handle on how it's done. But I learned some ideas (which, of course, I promptly stole) from your shapely, colorful gifts, including one approach I'd not seen before. I'll share it with you at the next meeting.

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Other News

See the website for more complete details of news and Events. There are now several photo galleries of the work of Club Members online.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Next Club meeting: Sept 9th is the usual meeting time and place: 7PM ay Hillsdale HS. See the website for directions.