

Apple Valley Woodturners

AAW Chapter in Winchester, Virginia



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



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

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Newsletter for July 2020

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August Meeting Notice

NEXT MEETING: August 15, 2020: Until further notice, The AVW meeting will be held via Zoom platform. Each month, the meeting information will be provided through email to all paying members of the club. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our president or vice-president. Their information is provided at the top.

For recent new members who have not previously joined us in person, our monthly meetings are normally scheduled for the third Saturday of each month at the Welltown United Methodist Church, 1444 Welltown Road, Clearbrook, VA. It is located about 5-miles from the intersection of VA-7 and I-81... go North on I-81 to Exit #317 (Martinsburg Pike, Rte-11/37)... go LEFT on Rte-11/37 then RIGHT on Rte. 661 (Welltown Road) for 2.6 miles, the Church is on your right.

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President's Word

With a super busy schedule, Gene has been wearing many hats. Gene would like to extend a greeting to everyone in the club and wishes everyone is safe and still turning. Gene will have something for us next month.

Program Report for August

Our featured Demonstrator for the August meet will possibly be Chris Renteria. Chris will be demonstrating bottle stoppers.

Chris's Bio:

Chris has been with Apple Valley for a few years. He has volunteered and helped set up demonstrations at local craft fairs. Recently, Chris became our new Program Director and is in the process of filling our meetings with demonstrations from local and professional turners.

Notes and Reminders

Dues: AVW must have a healthy treasury to afford the kind of demonstrators that make our meetings informative and entertaining. You are encouraged to renew your membership for next year in a timely manner by using the renewal form contained in this newsletter, in person, or through PayPal on our website to pay/update/confirm your contact information.

Benefits of AAW Membership... AVW is a Chapter of the American Association of Woodturners (AAW), the largest organization for woodturners in the world. You can enjoy a free 60-day trial membership

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by going to <http://www.woodturner.org> . In addition to home delivery of their award-winning bimonthly publications, *American Woodturner* and *FUNdamentals*, there is always something new to learn and discover on the AAW web site.

Skills Night

Until further notice, skills night has been temporarily suspended.

2020 Program Schedule (so far)

AUG 15 ... Monthly Meeting (Chris Renteria demonstrating)

SEP 19 ... Monthly Meeting TBD, Apple Valley Apple Harvest Festival is September 18-20 (weekend)

Oct. 17 ... TBD

What's Going On?

Club Activities:

- **Nominations for Officers and Board of Directors:**

We are coming on the downside of the 2020 year. With that said, our AVW elections will be happening this December. Some positions will be available, and some positions will remain. Now is the time to step up your game. If you have great ideas and want to serve the club and take turning to the next level, then now is your chance. If interested, please email Gene or Dennis Dantro.

- In our Products and friends page, we have placed a supplier list for your shopping needs. Dennis J. Dantro set the spreadsheet up to

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make finding vendors easier. The suppliers list will remain in the newsletter.

- Do not forget the Apple Harvest Festival coming soon to Frederick County (Sept 18-20, 2020). The AVW will have two tables setup for demonstrations and sales. A big thank you to Terry Fox for volunteering his payment device for sales. With such a rare sighting of cash and coin, we will be able to sell our products using the plastic card we all carry in our wallets. There will be a 10% donation to the club for any transactions of products. If you would like to come and help or demonstrate, please let Dennis J. Dantro know by email or phone.
- If you are a member of the AAW, there is a page you can visit called FUNdamentals. Woodturning FUNdamentals issues a digital publication four times each year (February, May, August, November) that features information, projects, tips, and videos to help build foundational woodturning expertise. It encourages members to develop their woodturning skills and provides a starting point for new turners to begin woodturning. The publication offers useful information for selecting equipment, as well as information about set-up and maintenance, as well as woodturning safety information. From time to time, Woodturning FUNdamentals issues other digital publications featuring information on specialty topics. Woodturning FUNdamentals can help you build your basic woodturning skills and expertise! You can find this here:
<https://www.woodturner.org/Woodturner/Resources/Woodturning-Fundamentals--Publication-/About.aspx>

You may have to sign in to access the information.

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Do not forget, you can find us on Facebook:



For Sale:

Monster Hollowing System for Sale: Contact Toni DeMasi with questions.

This model is for larger lathes. Comes with all original cutters and boring bars plus three additional custom bars. Extra cutters too. Original laser attachment has been replaced with a video camera with USB plug for easy connection to external video device, or an aftermarket laser could be attached.

Price: \$250.00



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Finances

Here is the latest financial statement from Terry Fox, Treasurer of AVW

(The report is from the previous month)

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Treasurers Report for meeting of July 17, 2020

Bank Balance as of 06/20/2020:	\$ 2,951.83
Deposits ()	\$90.00
Checks/debits (3):	\$0.00
Current Bank Balance:	\$ 3,041.83
Checks, uncleared.	\$ 0.00
Cash on hand, pending deposit (0)	\$ 0.00
PayPal Balance	\$ 744.71
Cash for making change	\$ 50.00
Total on hand:	<u>\$3,836.54</u>
Bank Statement Reconciled	08/03/2020

Number of Paid Memberships to date: 45

Submitted for record:

Terrence M. Fox

Treasurer, AVW

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Show and Tell



Gene Lockhart: Bowl:

Beaded Ash with a dark walnut Danish Oil finish.



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Dennis J. Dantro:

Salad Bowl: White Oak with sculpted paint on the outside and linseed oil on the inside. The bowl is 11" in diameter and 5" deep.



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Steve Halliday:

1. Maple Bowl with burl attached. Finished with Hampshire sheen wax
2. Sycamore crotch finished with Mike Mahoney's Walnut Oil.



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Scott Schlosser



- Birch hollow form with charcoal metallic paint.
- Wolverine platform with sheet metal epoxied to the bottom and holes are drilled for 3 points of alignment for resetting a particular grinding angle quickly. This is great for repeatability and uniformity when sharpening.



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Terry Fox

Semi-natural edged Apple crotch winged bowl. Danish Oil finish.

Apple crotch beaker. Danish Oil finish.

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John Walter

Deer Call: Red Oak with a wax finish

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From Jeff Shumaker: OB Shine Juice

O.B.'s Shine Juice

By Capt. Eddie Castelin

Several years ago, I attended a demonstration where the turner was making a little bottle stopper project called the "hidden pill" stopper. He turned a piece of cocobolo and then sanded it using wax as a lubricant. I had not seen this method before and I had created some nice work with cocobolo and just did not get the right finish. I thought it was the secret to a great finish until he pulled out this little squeeze bottle of finish and proceeded to put a glass finish on it.

The turner was O.B. Lacoste of Lafayette and he soon became one of my mentors. The product he used was a mixture of shellac, boiled linseed oil and alcohol. We came to call this concoction "O.B.'s Shine Juice".

Ingredients:

3 ounces of plain, uncolored shellac. (Zinsser's Bulls Eye Shellac, Clear)

3 ounces of Boiled Linseed Oil. (Do not boil plain linseed oil)

3 ounces of Denatured Alcohol (do not use any other alcohol product)

I use a pint-sized mason jar for mixing and long-term storage of the materials.

Pour exact amounts into the Mason jar and mix thoroughly. Do not over agitate.

Pour a day's use into a small squeeze bottle (Harbor Freight # 94392-OVGA) for use.

Note: The alcohol will evaporate from open containers and the squeeze bottle. Return what you do not use to the mason jar for a pure finish.

To use:

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With the lathe stopped, using a paper towel, rub in a good coat, covering all the surfaces of the piece. Rub it in well and wait a minute, repeat the process. Now, with the lathe running at 500-1000 RPM, add some finish to the paper towel and apply it slowly to the surface.

Keep the towel moving and the finish spreading. As the shellac adheres, the oil will begin to catalyze, and the alcohol will evaporate. All three steps are necessary for a good finish.

The coating will begin to build as you apply. At some point you will treat the finish as complete and stop adding material and polish the surface. If it begins to attract the towel or get gummy, stop lapping and allow it to set for a minute. Start again when it sets up. A coat of wax makes a finished product with great results.

As O.B.Lacoste put it one time, "If it was any easier, I'd have to come over to your house and do it for you."

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Support Our Friends:



<http://www.mcfarlandsmill.com/>

587 Round Hill Road, Winchester, VA 22602

Phone: (540) 667-2272

FAX: (540) 722-6261

Hours: Mon-Fri 7:00-3:30; Thu 7:00-6:00; Sat 8:00-1:00

We all know and appreciate what McFarland's Mill does for our club. Please stop by to thank them for their help and, even better, purchase your turning supplies from them to support them for supporting us! Stephanie and Robert will appreciate your patronage, for sure.

In case you don't already know, they carry a variety of items from the Rockler catalog and, if they do not have something in stock, they will order it for you (sale prices, discounts, and specials apply) and you will not have to pay for shipping... a good deal! Contact Stephanie by phone or email...

mcfarlandsmill@comcast.net



<http://www.exoticlumber.com/>

329 East 2nd Street, Frederick MD 21701

Phone: (301) 695-1271

Toll-Free: (888) 262-7338

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Hours: Mon-Fri 8:00-4:30; First/Last Sat each month 9:00-1:00

Exotic Lumber, which started in Annapolis in 1994, operates as a specialty lumber yard with two operations to serve the Washington/Baltimore area. We ship lumber to customers throughout the United States and, with over 130 species in stock, we have one of the widest selections of lumber available on the East Coast. Our customers include cabinet makers, furniture makers, millwork shops, boat builders, woodturners, etc. We have no minimums - you can purchase 1 board or 1000bf. Have a look through the pages of our website as we constantly upload new images... email us, phone us or, better still, visit us at either our Annapolis or Frederick warehouses where you are most welcome to select your own lumber from our neatly stacked racks. You can also find us on Facebook! **Show your AVW Membership Card to receive a 10% discount!**



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**CHOOSE
YOUR
CA
GLUE**
GLUE GUIDE



THIN CA

Soaks into and stabilizes soft wood



MEDIUM CA

Fills and repairs cracks in wood

STAR BOND
PREMIUM SUPERGLUES

1-800-900-GLUE
www.starbond.com

Beautiful high gloss finishes

Wooden inlays with crushed gemstones and pigments

Beautiful high gloss finishes for pens

Quickly bonds close-fitting parts together



THICK CA

Pair with Starbond Accelerator to speed up drying time.

Fills voids and gaps in wood

Used to glue pen tubes into wooden blanks

Quick strong bond for easy glue-ups and builds



BLACK CA

Pair with Starbond Accelerator to speed up drying time.

Fills small bug holes, knots, and voids

Creates beautiful black highlights and accents in woods

Dries jet black in color for a natural look on dark wood



ACCELERATOR

Compatible with all CA glues

Speeds up the drying time of thicker viscosity CA and colored CA glues

No more whitening and dries less brittle than other accelerators

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We have links to 101 suppliers. Please read all of them carefully. There are some explanations at the bottom of the list for you to read.

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101 supplier websites		
Click on any name or web site for a direct link		
Item	Supplier	Supplier's web site link
1	Accu-Slice, LLC	http://www.accu-slice.com/
2	Acme Tools	https://www.acmetools.com/
3	Advanced Lathe Tools, LLC	http://advancedlathetools.com/
4	Airbrushing Wood	https://www.airbrushingwood.com/
5	Alumilite Corporation	https://www.alumilite.com/
6	Beaver Ind Supply	https://beavertools.com/
7	Big Monk Lumber Co, LLC	http://www.bigmonklumber.com/
8	Buffalo Woodturning	https://buffalowoodturningproducts.com/
9	Carter Products	https://www.carterproducts.com/
10	Chef Works	https://www.chefworks.com/
11	Chroma-craft	https://www.chroma-craft.com/
12	Cindy Drozda	http://www.cindydrozda.com/
13	Cook Woods	https://www.cookwoods.com/
14	Cousineau Wood Products	https://www.cwp-usa.com/

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15	CT Power Tools	https://ctpowertools.com/
16	Curt Theobald	https://curttheobald.com/
17	Dewalt	https://www.dewalt.com/
18	Dunlap Woodcrafts	http://dunlapwoodcrafts.com/
19	D-way Tools	https://d-waytools.com/
20	Dynamic Ind Supply	http://www.dynamicindustrialinc.com/all/
21	Easyinlay	https://www.easyinlay.com/
22	Equipment sales and surplus	http://www.equipmentsalesandsurplus.com/
23	Exotic Lumber Inc	https://www.exoticlumber.com/
24	Garrett Wade	https://www.garrettwade.com/
25	Gearheart Ind	https://www.gearheartindustry.com/
26	Grainger	https://www.grainger.com/
27	Grizzly Industrial	https://www.grizzly.com/
28	Hannes Tool	https://www.hannestool.com/
29	Harbor Freight	https://www.harborfreight.com/
30	Harrison Specialties	https://www.harrisonspecialties.com/
31	Hartville Turning Tools	https://www.hartvilletool.com/
32	Harvey Woodworking	https://www.harveywoodworking.com/
33	Hastings Saw	https://www.hastingsaws.com/
34	Highland Woodworking	https://www.highlandwoodworking.com/
35	Home Depot	https://www.homedepot.com/
36	Hunter Tool Systems	http://www.huntertoolsystems.com/

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37	Infinity Tools	https://www.infinitytools.com/
38	Jet Tools	https://www.jettools.com/
39	John Jordan woodturning	https://www.johnjordanwoodturning.com/
40	Kallen Shaan woods	http://www.kallenshaanwoods.com/
41	Kencraft	https://www.kencraftcompany.com/
42	Laguna Tools	https://www.lagunatools.com/
43	Lee Valley	https://www.leevalley.com/
44	Long Island woodworking supply	https://longislandwoodworkingsupply.com/
45	Lyle Jamieson	https://www.lylejamieson.com/
46	Max Tool	https://www.maxtool.com/
47	McFarland's Mills	https://www.mcfarlandsmill.com/
48	MDI wood carvers	https://www.mdiwoodcarvers.com/
49	Mikes Tools	https://www.mikestools.com/
50	MSC Direct	https://www.mscdirect.com/
51	Northern Tool	https://www.northerntool.com/
52	Oneway	https://www.oneway.ca/
53	Packard Wood Works	https://www.packardwoodworks.com/
54	Parson Adhesives	http://www.parsonadhesives.com/
55	Peachtree Woodworking Supplies	https://www.ptreeusa.com/
56	Peke Safety	https://pekesafety.com/
57	Penn State Ind	https://www.pennstateind.com/

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58	Premier Gauges	https://www.premiergauges.com/
59	Real Milk Paint	https://www.realmilkpaint.com/
60	Ridge Carbide Tool Co	https://www.ridgecarbide.com/
61	Rikon Tools	https://www.rikontools.com/
62	Ring Master	https://www.ringmasterlathe.com/
63	Robust	http://www.turnrobust.com/
64	Rockler	https://www.rockler.com/
65	Rotary Chisel	https://rotarychisel.com/
66	Rubber Chucky	https://www.rubberchucky.com/#/
67	Ruth Niles	https://www.nilesbottlestoppers.com/
68	Skil	https://www.skil.com/
69	Spiracraft	https://shop.spiracraft.com/
70	Starbond	https://www.starbond.com/
71	Stock Room Supply	http://stockroomsupply.ca/shop/
72	Tasmanian Turning Supplies	https://www.tasturningsupplies.com.au/
73	The Power Tool Wizard	http://thepowertoolwizard.com/index.html
74	The Walnut Log	https://www.thewalnutlog.com/
75	Thompson Lathe Tools	http://thompsonlathetools.com/
76	Timberbits	http://www.timberbits.com/
77	TNT Ind Supply	https://www.tntwv.com/
78	Toms Tool Store	http://www.tomstoolstore.com/
79	Tool Barn	https://www.toolbarn.com/

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80	Tool Planet	https://www.toolplanet.com/
81	Tool-r-us	https://www.tool-r-us.com/
82	Tradesman Grinder	https://www.tradesmangrinder.com/
83	Trend	https://www.trend-uk.com/
84	Turning Wood	https://www.turningwood.com/
85	Two Tree Boyz	https://www.twotreeboyz.wordpress.com /
86	Vinces wood n wonders	http://vinceswoodnwonders.com/
87	Wen Products	https://wenproducts.com/
88	Wood Lathe Tools	https://woodlathetools.com/
89	Wood Shop Machinery	https://www.woodshopmachinery.com/
90	Wood Turner Pro	https://woodturnerpro.com/
91	Wood Turners Catalog	https://www.woodturnerscatalog.com/
92	Wood Turners Wonders	https://woodturnerswonders.com/
93	Wood Turning Store	https://www.thewoodturningstore.com/
94	Wood Turning Tool Store	https://woodturningtoolstore.com/
95	Wood Turning with Tim	http://wtwtim.com/
96	Wood Worker's Supply	https://woodworker.com/
97	Wood Workers Emporium	https://www.woodworkersemporium.com /
98	Wood Working Shop	https://www.woodworkingshop.com/
99	Woodcraft	https://www.woodcraft.com/
100	Woodline USA	https://www.woodline.com/

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101	Woodpeckers	https://www.woodpeck.com/
Note:	This list of suppliers is NOT all inclusive.	
Note:	This is an open source file. All info can be found on the public domain.	
Note:	Feel free to share this info. This list was created in July 2020.	
Note:	Not all web sites are secure. Https = secure. Http = unsecure.	

Follow Other Virginia Clubs!

Capitol Area Woodturners

Areas serving: Serving Northern VA, DC, and MD. 200 members, mostly hobbyists

Contact: Joe Zaderecky, President, 703-380-7000, joe@zadareky.net

Meetings: Bryant High School, 2709 Popkins Lane, Alexandria VA 22306... second Saturday of each month, 8:30 am for skills enhancement and 10:00 am for business meeting and demo.

Web: <http://www.capwoodturners.org/>

Catoctin Area Turners

Areas serving: Serving western Loudoun County, Maryland... 70+ members of varying skills who are interested in learning and promoting the art of turning wood.

Contact: Dennis Delehanty: president @catoctinareturners.org

Meetings: Meetings are held on the Thursday before the third Saturday of each month at 6:30 PM. Currently, all our meetings and demonstrations are conducted online.

Web: <http://catoctinareturners.org/v5/>

Central Virginia Woodturners

Areas serving: Serving the foothills of the Shenandoah Valley and neighboring West Virginia... 69 members with skills ranging from novice to professional.

Contact: Dennis Hippen, President, president@centralvawoodturners.org

Meetings: Third Tuesday of each month, 7:00-9:00 pm, at the Crimora

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Community Center, 1648 New Hope and Crimora Road, Crimora, VA 24431,

Web: <http://www.centralvawoodturners.org/>

Mid-Maryland Woodturners Club

Areas serving: Serving the Frederick, Maryland area.

Contact: Dale Biggs, President, president@mmwtc.org

Meetings: Second Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm at the IAFF Local 3666 Union Hall (Formerly the Yellow Springs Lions Club), 8829 Yellow Springs Road, Frederick MD 21702

Web: <http://www.mmwtc.org/>

Tidewater Turners

Areas serving: Serving the Norfolk, Virginia, area... 120 members dedicated to the craft of woodturning; sharing the interest and knowledge of woodturning; and promoting the advancement of skills.

Contact: Cliff Guard, President, pres@tidewaterturners.net

Meetings: Fourth Tuesday of each month (except December), 6:30-8:30 pm, at the Woodcraft of Norfolk/Virginia Beach (The Shops at JANAF... map link provided)

Web: <http://tidewaterturners.net/>

Woodturners of the Virginias

Areas serving: Serving the foothills of the Shenandoah Valley and neighboring West Virginia... 60 members with skills ranging from novice to professional

Contact: info@woodturnersofthevirginias.org

Meetings: First and third Saturdays of each month, 9:00 am – noon, at Peter Shoemaker's "Phoenix Shop" at 5906 Main St., Mount Jackson, VA. The 3rd Saturday meeting is a "skills enhancement" session for hands-on, skill-building activities.)

Web: <http://www.woodturnersofthevirginias.org/>

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Apple Valley Woodturners Membership Renewal

Membership Type (check one): Individual (\$30) _____ Family (\$35) _____

(check one): New _____ Renewal _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, ZIP: _____

Phone: (____) ____ - ____ Alt. Phone: (____) ____ - ____

Email: _____

Emergency Contact Name:

Contact Phone: (____) __ - _____

AAW Member (yes/no): _____

Active-duty Military (yes/no)? _____ (\$10 discount) Branch?

Already a member of an AAW affiliate club (yes/no)? _____ (\$10
discount)

Club name: _____

Check #: _____ Amount: _____ Date: _____

Mail to Treasurer Terry Fox, 1103 Summit Point Drive, Front Royal, VA 22630