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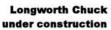
Busy month in the Workshop



New Steady for long Spindles



New Forstner bits with a 250mm extension





Larger Bandsaw with 300mm capacity



Class 12&13 **Working with Pewter**





Bowl Saver Demonstration



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Sorby Demonstration

Upcoming Events

Woodturning at Auburn Reserve Workshop.

Every Thursday 1pm to 4pm and 7pm to 9pm \$5 for either or both sessions There is some wood at the workshop but bring your own if you can

There are tool sets available

Woodturning at St Albans Menz Shed 36 Nancy Ave.

Every Tuesday 1pm to 4pm ~ See Rex for details

22nd May Club Meeting The HARVARD Community Lounge Corsair Drive Wigram

Wednesday at 7:00pm. Peter will be demonstrating the use of "Thread Chaser" Tools

25th May South Island Fun Day Oamaru see page 8 for details

5th June Robert Sorby Demonstration at Auburn Reserve Workshop

Wednesday 12 noon to 3pm.Sponsored by **Carbatec.** See page 8 Bill and Elsie Owen will be there with a display of Sorby Tools

20th June Hands On at Auburn Reserve Workshop

Wednesday at 7:00pm. We will be looking at "Thread Chaser" techniques

26th June Club Meeting The HARVARD Community Lounge Corsair Drive Wigram

Wednesday at 7:00pm. Demonstrator will be Dick Veitch from the South Auckland

Club and his demonstration will be "Lets enhance a small bowl"

6th July NAW AGM ~ We are hosting the National Association of Woodworkers AGM.

In addition to the AGM, there will be three demonstrations by NAW members that we are all invited to. Demonstrations start at 9:00am. The demonstrators will be Mike

Walker, Peter Clemett and Geoff Addison.

18th July Hands On at Auburn Reserve Workshop

Wednesday at 7:00pm. Topic to be "Enhancing Small Bowls"

24th July Club Meeting The HARVARD Community Lounge Corsair Drive Wigram

Wednesday at 7:00pm. AGM***AGM***AGM***AGM***AGM

For the Demonstrations at the NAW AGM on the 6th July Geoff Addison will be taking us through the process of making a branchwood egg with wavy pewter inlay.



April Demonstration Proposed Fun Day competition pieces by Noel Graham & Peter Clemett

Noel explained how the Fun Day competition works, and what is envisioned for this years competition. Each team will be given six pieces of wood, 100 x 100 x 100 mm, three for a square hollow box and three for a round lid in the form of a spinning top. Noel held the square between centres on the end grain ends and turned down a chucking spigot on one end. The spigot was held in the chuck and the base of the square was rounded off. The exposed end was hollowed out to about 60mm dia. and about 40mm deep.

Peter Clemett then held another square piece between centres and turned a chucking spigot. This spigot was then held in the chuck and the base of the lid (in the shape of a spinning top) was turned down to fit into the base and then tried for size. A small step was turned onto the taper for chucking purposes and the handle was then turned down to about 7 mm parallel so that the top could actually be spun.

We would like all of our Fun Day team members to come to a practice night at the workshop on 16 May and see if out initial design is okay or needs modifying. Thanks to Noel and Peter for their ideas and efforts Rick Bolch Scribe







1st= Peter Clemett







FREE WOODTURNING DEMONSTRATIONS BY CHRIS POUNCY ROBERT SORBY TOOLS

Christchurch Woodturners Association
Club Workshop
Auburn Reserve
327-333 Riccarton Road
Christchurch

Wednesday 5th June 2019 12 noon – 3pm

A selection of tools will be available to purchase at the event

RSVP

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Waitaki Woodturning Guild

Fun day

Date Saturday May 25th

At OAMARU Race Course

CLUB TABLE Theme -Weather

Programme for FUN DAY

08:30 am CLUB ROOMS OPEN

09.15am Morning Tea-Tea and coffee provided

09:45 am Welcome and information on the mornings

program

Squarer bowl with round top

10.00am 1st team

11.00am 2nd team

6 Person Team 3 Bowl: 50min

3 Round Top: 50 min

12.00pm Lunch

Bring own lunch

Soup for lunch Gold coin Donation

12:45pm Information on the afternoon's program

1.00pm

3 Person collaboration 90mins

I or more item

2:30pm Presentation of Certificate's

Followed by Afternoon tea

Wood Supplied

Just Bring a Carving machine or

pyrography machine if you have one

Table Display: 10 items, one per person

Made in the last 12 months















Christchurch Woodturners Assn Inc

On **July 24th 2019** we will be holding our **Annual General Meeting** prior to the meeting of the night.

There are members on your Committee who would like to stand down. They can only do this if we have someone who is willing to take their place. Set out below is a **Nomination Form** that you as a financial member of the C*hristchurch Woodturners Assn. Inc.* are asked to fill out and return by the date printed below.

NOMINATION FORM (to be completed by the member nominating somebody else)	
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I (please print full name)	being a financial
member of the Christchurch Woodturners Assn. Inc. wish to nominate:	
Name of person being nominated:	
Nominee's Address:	
For the position of (tick one)	President
	Vice – President
	Treasurer
	- Secretary
	- Committee Member
Signed:	Date
Closing date 1st July 2019	
DECLARATION (to be completed by the person being nominated)	
I (please print full name)being a financial member of the Christchurch Woodturners Assn. Inc., agree to being nominated as a candidate for the position of (print position nominated for)	
on the Committee of the Christchurch Woodturners Assn. Inc.	

Please ensure your completed form is handed in at the June Club night or posted to the Secretary to be received no later than 5pm on July 1th 2019

Workshop News

Noel has just got a brand new bandsaw for his workshop so we have moved his existing big band saw into our workshop. So this now gives us the capacity to cut 300mm thick timber. There is now a Forstner bit extension of around 250mm on the shadow board. We now have a steady for longer spindles and we are working on a Longworth style chuck.

Workshop Opening Ceremony

There will be a combined Workshop Opening Ceremony and Graduation presentation on Saturday the 24th August at 2pm at the Workshop. This will include a display of Class 11's graduation pieces. The Workshop will be officially opened by Mike Mora, the Chairperson of the Halswell-Hornby-Riccarton Community Board. There will be more information about this in the July newsletter.

Making ATM Payments

If you are paying your subscription from an ATM machime make sure you include your NAME with the payment. We are still trying to track down a few payments that we don't have names for.

New NAW Course

We hope to start a new NAW course in September. This will be on the 1st Saturday of each month. If you are interested or know of someone who might be interested, you can email Noel at

noel chris graham@xtra.co.nz

This course will start with "Introduction to Woodturning" over two Saturdays where you will be introduced to some of the tools and techniques that woodturners use. If you are interested you can then continue with Level 2,3 and 4 courses. The whole process takes about three years ,one Saturday a month. Workshop is opened from 8:30 – Course runs from 9am to 4pm. Coffee. Tea and Biscuits provided Bring your own lunch \$30 per session (Some sessions have an extra charge for additional material such as Pen Kits or Pepper Grinder Mechcanisms.

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