

ONE GOOD TURN

Meetings: First Tuesday of the Month 6:30PM Demos: Third Saturday 12:30PM

Great Falls Fire Training Station 1900 9th Street South Great Falls MT

Beads of Courage

Thanks to all who made boxes for the Beads of Courage program. This will be an ongoing program because it is for such an important cause. Members are encouraged to make a box or boxes to donate

Dues are now due.
It is the best \$35 you can spend. For less than \$3 a month, you get great information, great conversation, and all the opinions you could ask for. Chuck is waiting for your check.

The symposium was a big success

For two days the GFWT's club was fortunate enough to host Sam Angelo, The Wyoming Woodturner. Interestingly, Sam had just moved with his wife Cheryle to Billings, Montana. We are pleased to have him in the state and pleased that he came to Great Falls for this presentation. It was an international event as we had 23 people attending, and 5 of those folks were from Canada. Sam surely covered a lot of material in these two days. For instance, Saturday morning Sam covered Rough turning techniques. He did a green turned bowl and finished it. He also showed us some techniques with a box elder burl. That afternoon he did boxes involving end grain and cross grain orientations. He also gave us some tips on sanding and encouraged wet sanding. He uses Zep Heavy Duty Citrus Cleaner as his wetting agent for wet sanding. Strongly believes that reducing dust in our shops and lungs is a very good thing. This led to his Sunday presentation involving finishes. He also showed embellishments such as stains, dyes and gilt creams(Liberon Gilt Cream) to enhance the artistic presentation of our creations. Furthermore, he even used assorted tools, punches, tri-point tools to penetrate and mark the wood projects for unique features. Off set turning was also

demonstrated. Additionally, he showed us airbrush staining of turned objects. Hollowing projects were then colored/stained from the inside out with stain to produce very unique patterns in the wood. He then proceeded to teach us about techniques for thread chasing as well as sharpening techniques for thread chasing tools. He talked about harder woods that would accept thread chasing, or how to stabilize some soft woods. Alternatives to hard wood thread chasing involved cast acrylic(not extruded acrylic) rods, pvc pipe, etc. Of course he brought numerous artistic turnings of his to show us. It was a very nice weekend of good instruction, entertainment, good people, good food and drink.

Tom Krajacich



Making the chips fly



Shaping a box



Roger introducing Sam Angelo



The silent auction was well receive



Cutting a tenon for the lid



Threading wood takes lots of practice



Chisels and point tools can be used



Coloring from the inside



Sam Signing the lathe

YWCA Empty Bowl Donation Great Falls Woodturners Club

The Great Falls Woodturners Club came through again with 36 wooden bowls for donation to the YWCA. This is a fundraiser for this organization that helps abused women and children in Great Falls. Pictured are 25 bowls, but some members dropped off their donations separately. Participating members were:

Don Taylor

Jay Eklund

Wayne Petrini

Tom Krajacich

David Stratton

Ken Holtz & Terry Hill

Ed Austin

Sam Sampedro

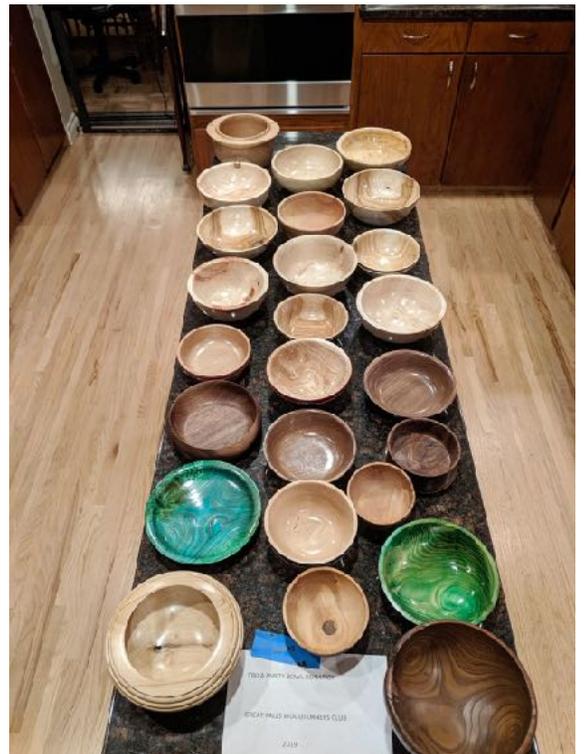
Roger Wayman

Randy Houtz

Paul Carlson

Wm "Bruce" Berry (βSuperior, Mt-attended the symposium and donated a bowl)

Joint Club bowl: Harry, Randy, Paul & Sam



Folks: We have a lot of Thank You's to give out to the members of the Great Falls Woodturners Club. For the recent symposium: to the set up and take down crew, silent auction donors, Dee Sampedro for her dozens of delicious cookies, Sam Sampedro for ordering and picking up the food for the two days(sub sandwiches, potato salad and chips for Saturday; Popeyes chicken and macaroni salad for Sunday) and his picking up and paying for a LM44 battery for the corded microphone). Sam also supplied the notebooks and pencils for the symposium.

Additionally, Sam was the contact person with Sam Angelo. Chuck Kuether and Susan Effertz for hosting Sam Angelo while he was here. Chuck Kuether for taking the registrations and money for the symposium. Roger Wayman for picking up and paying for the donuts and some healthy snacks for the morning sessions. Dirk Johnson for donating the coffee for the sessions.

Wayne Petrini for his ordering sodas for the picnic that we also used at the symposium. Paul Synder for taking photo's at both the picnic and symposium. The board of directors of the GFWT's club for making sure materials for the symposium and picnic were obtained. The recent club donation of 36 bowls for the YWCA empty bowl fundraising campaign provided by Don Taylor, Jay Eklund, Wayne Petrini, Tom Krajacich, David Stratton, Ken Holtz and Terry Hill, Ed Austin, Sam Sampedro, Roger Wayman, Randy Houtz, Paul Carlson, Wm "Bruce" Berry(Superior, Mt-attended the symposium and donated a bowl), Joint Club Bowl by Harry/Randy/Paul/Sam, 2 bowls from the GFWT's club with no names indicated. Thanks to all of you who donated their time, money, energy and effort for these good causes! Thanks also to our Canadian friends who made the symposium a truly international affair.

Tom Krajacich, Secretary.

Sept 21 Meeting

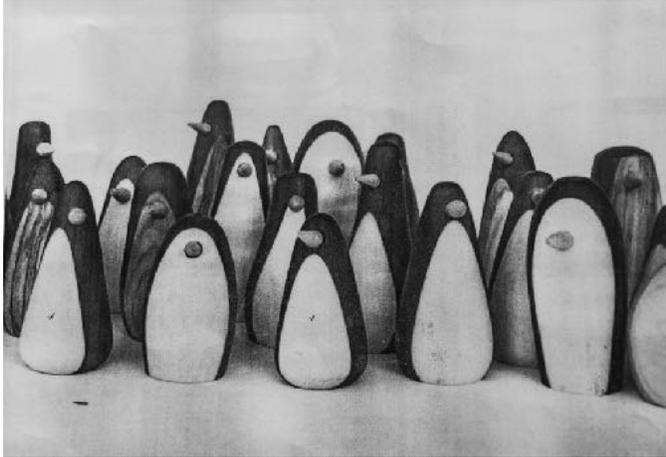
At the meeting we were treated to a demonstration on how to turn a variety of penguins, by Chuck Kuether. He started with a glue-up of two contrasting woods and proceeded to turn a shape similar to a bowling pin that with the addition of a sharpened dowel for a nose becomes a penguin to display or hang. A wonderful idea just in time for those looking for holiday gift giving ideas. Thanks Chuck!



The starting glue-up



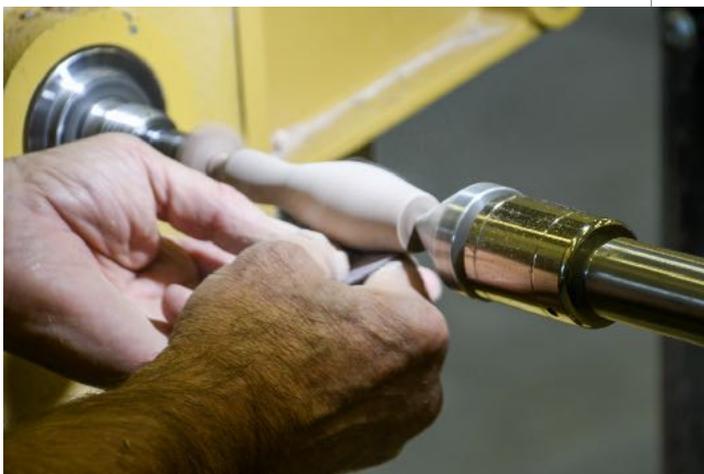
Another placement



The original idea came from here



The addition of the nose is all that is needed to finish the penguin





Instant Gallery



Sam Angelo

Great Falls Woodturners Club Meeting/Demo Schedule

October 1 Tuesday: Tom Krajacich Celtic Knot Pens

October 19 Saturday: Paul Carlson

November 5 Tuesday: Open

November 16 Saturday: Jeff Kessler Peppermill
with a Raffan Modification

December 3 Tuesday: Chuck Kuether Another
variety of Peppermill

December 21 Saturday: Open

January 7, 2020 Tuesday: Sam Sampedro

January 18 Saturday: Open



Sam Angelo





Bruce Berry



Dan Michner



Bruce Berry



Chuck Kuether



Dan Michner



Sam Sampedro



Richard Selson



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