



NOVEMBER Newsletter



Chapter & Verse

The Central Virginia Woodturners will celebrate its first anniversary at the December meeting as plans are laid for club turning events in 2005. A vote has authorized the president to take steps to investigate scheduling two well known turners for next year. The turners are Mark St. Leger and Bob Rosand. St. Leger charges a fee of \$250 and Rosand stages an event for \$350, plus expenses for room and board.

This action was a highlight of the October 19 meeting. In other business or discussion the chapter:

****Voted to reduce dues to \$10.00 for anyone joining for the balance of the year.

****Discussed meeting dates for November and December due to holidays.

****Decided to have some type of refreshments at the

December meeting in celebration of the first anniversary of the CVW. A total of 29 members attended. Twelve different turners shared their work during the show and tell segment of the meeting. Among those who brought work were Jim Sprinkle, a first time attendee, whose specialty is segmented bowls.

A sheet on toxic woods was shared. Fred Williamson, club member and professional turner from Sugar Hollow, was the club representative at the first Virginia Woodturning Symposium at the Artisans Center.

Happy Thanksgiving Everyone

Editor's Notes



I feel a need to recognize one of our members for his tireless efforts and enthusiasm. I speak of none other than our own Bert Smith.

There is absolutely no way the symposium would have even gotten off the ground had it not been for Bert Smith. In the midst of his wife having surgery, moving his household, working long hour in a new position with the city, he still manages to put together a great symposium for our clubs, the Artisan Center and the State of Virginia. Well, my hats off to you Bert. Thank you.

Presidents Corner

Thanks to all the great volunteer help that came to the symposium! We truly would not have pulled it out without you. For anyone who helped and didn't get a t-shirt, let me know. Speaking of the symposium, I have only heard positive

comments so far. It looks like we made enough money to pay off all debts and have some left over for next time. I don't have all of the figures yet, but I do know we ended up with 208 paid registrants. The vendors were very happy and let us know that they would return.

Peter's Osage orange display was so well received that it has been decided that each club submit a similar display at our next symposium. Again, thanks to everyone who could attend this event... the next one will be even better!
Bert

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Special LINKS of interest

- www.woodturner.org
- www.woodsmithshop.com
- www.woodturner.org/products/resource_dir/resource_listing.cfm
- <http://www.woodturner.org/community/chapters/practices/>
- www.virginiawoodturners.org

Symposium Pics

This month's Challenge,
**RECOVERING FROM
THE SYMPOSIUM**



Instant Gallery

*"Demonstrations, Show
and tell & Silent Auctions
every meeting."*

**WHAT DID
YOU THINK OF
THE
SYMPOSIUM**



Library



Send comments to sawdust434@yahoo.com

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brary and would like to lend or donate it,
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vaturner@earthlink.net

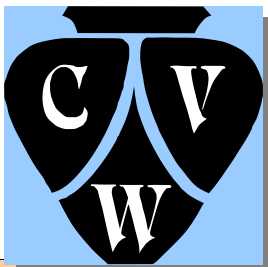
Items for Sale

Hey, if you have stuff to sell or
trade, this is the place.

Shirts and caps are in and will be available at the
meetings.
Shirts will be reduced to \$15 and the caps will be
\$11. The club will be able to make a few dollars
on each item, so buy some extra's.
(2XL and 3XL add \$1.50)



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*The Central Virginia Woodturners was formed to promote the art of
woodturning to the general populace and create an environment con-
ducive to the sharing of ideas and talent to those interested in the pur-
suit of fine woodworking.*

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