



Central Florida Woodturners

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Monthly Meetings

Regular scheduled monthly meetings of the Central Florida Woodturners are held via Zoom on the third Thursday of each month at 7pm. Members and friends are encouraged to join. Make sure we have your email address in order to receive this newsletter along with future invitations to our monthly zoom meetings. Please go to <http://centralfloridawoodturners.org/>

All day hands on workshops at Danny Hoffman's house 4311 Golden Gem Rd Apopka, FL 32712 are also canceled until further notice.

From the Presidents Desk



It's February, and I'm excited to announce that we will have a Live (via Zoom) guest Demo with Roberto Ferrer. Roberto has some beautiful pieces on display at his website, www.ferrerstudioart.com I encourage you to take some time before our meeting to look at his site. He will be demonstrating hand-texturing techniques at our monthly meeting.

We still deal with distancing and virus-disrupted routines, but that isn't going to stop our monthly club meetings. Get ready to learn some new ways to beautify your turned pieces. More details and Zoom links will be sent out via email before the meeting.

The Christmas Ornament Challenge I presented last month is moving forward nicely. Christmas ornaments are being turned all around central Florida. Some Club members have contacted me to mail ornaments to me. If you'd like to do that, contact me directly at kw@turnawoodbowl.com. Once we have the ornaments all collected, I will see that they are photographed well and shared with the Club.

After last month's meeting with Sandra Scharch, who spoke about her young son's cancer journey, I think we are all ready to help out the Beads of Courage cause. Currently, I am developing a strategy for our Club to get involved in the "production" of turned Beads of Courage bowls/containers. Stay Tuned.

I hope you're having a great February and you are creating Lots of shavings. All the best and I'll see you at our meeting, Feb. 18, at 7 pm.

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ROBERTO FERRER

Artist - Sculptor - Demonstrator

JOIN US THIS MONTH

For our live remote demo with Roberto Ferrer. Learn how he does these amazing textured surfaces. Best of all, you don't have to clean the shop when the demo is over.

Creating, drawing, building and taking things apart have been the passion of my life. The love for wood



was born when as a kid I used to visit my cousin's shop with the hope of being able to help cutting or sanding something. The smell of pine and varnish and the images of his beautiful creations are stuck in my mind until present days. The inspiration for my work comes from daily experience as well as from childhood memories.

- Rob

If you would like to place a classified advertisement in the next issue of our monthly newsletter please email the editor at tomason@earthlink.net. Submissions must be received by the 15th day of the month. A picture and brief description of the item will be helpful. Remember to include your contact information.

SAVE THE DATE

Omaha, Nebraska • July 15-18, 2021

AAW'S 35TH ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM

PARTIAL DEMONSTRATOR LINEUP (TOPICS TO BE ANNOUNCED):

- Nick Agar
- Michael Blankenship
- Johannes Michelsen
- Stuart Batty
- Trent Bosch
- Dan Tilden
- Dixie Biggs
- Michael Hosaluk
- Craig Timmerman

Photo: Courtesy of Visit Omaha

SYMPOSIUM VENUE



Photo: Brad Williams

CHI Health Center Omaha
455 N 10th St., Omaha, NE 68102

The convention center, CHI Health Center Omaha, is near the airport, and close to the riverfront and the Old Market Entertainment District. A glass-enclosed skywalk connects CHI Health Center to the Hilton Omaha. Just down the street is the Omaha Marriott Downtown hotel.

HOST HOTELS



Omaha Marriott Downtown at the Capitol District
222 N 10th St., Omaha, NE 68102



Hilton Omaha
1001 Cass St., Omaha, NE 68102

REGISTRATION

Information about AAW Symposium registration and reserving a hotel room will be coming soon.

VISITOR HIGHLIGHTS

- **Henry Doorly Zoo and Aquarium**, a 160-acre facility and home to Dome Desert, the largest indoor desert in the world, as well as the Lied Jungle, the largest indoor rainforest in North America.
- **Old Market District**, in downtown Omaha, features cobblestone streets, interesting cafes and galleries.
- **Durham Museum**, originally one of the nation's busiest train stations, showcases the history of the local area.
- **Spirit of Nebraska's Wilderness and Pioneer Courage Park**, one of the most unique permanent outdoor art installations in the nation.



Photo: Courtesy of Visit Omaha

Henry Doorly Zoo and Aquarium

AAW leadership is moving forward with its plans for an in-person 2021 AAW Symposium in Omaha, despite the uncertainties surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic. Leadership is approaching arrangements for a live event cautiously, while monitoring pandemic developments, and will consider contingency plans as needed. AAW membership will be kept informed of developments and changes.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

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CLASSIFIED AD POLICY

All classified ads must be submitted by the 10th of each month in order to be included in the CFW newsletter. Photos of the item(s) must be in jpg, tiff, or png format.

Also a brief description of the article and a good contact number will ensure the ad gets the attention it deserves.

Please email all your requests to the editor at tomason@earthlink.net and let us know when the item is no longer available.



JWL-1015vs mini lathe in good condition. A great little lathe unit. Includes stand with wheels, Penn State Dust Collection system and Rikon turning tools with case all for \$600.00.

**Call Bob Willson, 407 484-0865 and leave call back message.
Thanks**

If you have a piece of work you are fond of, proud of, or just particularly pleased with, you don't have to wait for show and tell to brag about it. Just email tomason@earthlink.net with a photo and a brief explanation about your inspiration or the process you used to make it and I will be happy to include it in a future newsletter. JPEG, TIFF, or PNG files are accepted. Deadline is on the 10th of the month

IF YOU CAN TAKE GOOD PHOTOGRAPHS AND WOULD LIKE TO SUBMIT PICTURES FOR THE CFW CLUB NEWSLETTER PLEASE CONTACT US. ALL PHOTO SUBMISSIONS MUST EITHER BE IN .JPG FORMAT. YOU WILL RECEIVE PHOTO CREDIT FOR ANY IMAGES WE USE.