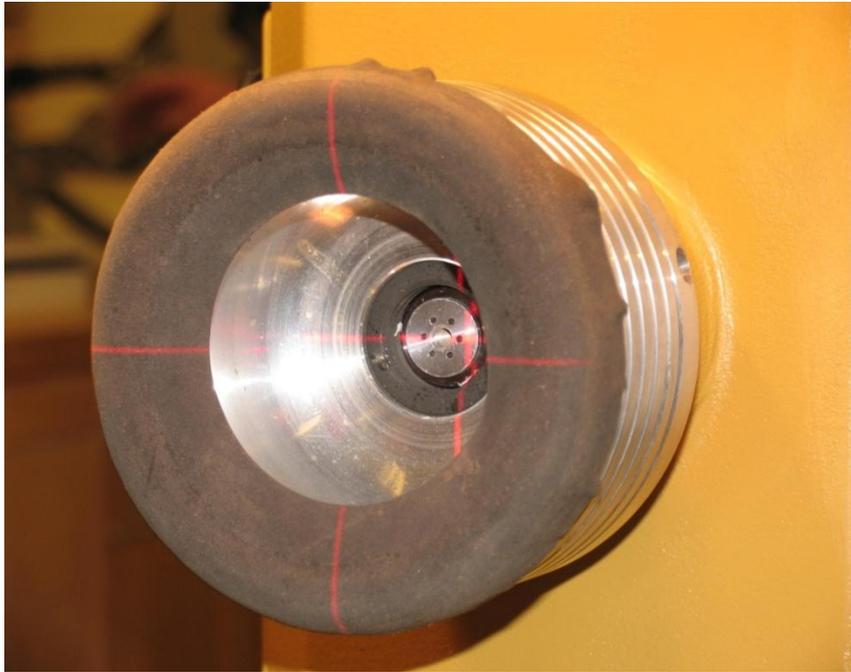




INLAND NORTHWEST WOODTURNERS NEWSLETTER

Next Meeting is March 7, 2008 at
WoodCraft Store classroom, N.E.
corner of Sprague and Sullivan
(N. side of the Fred Meyer
parking lot) 7:00 PM

February Meeting 2008

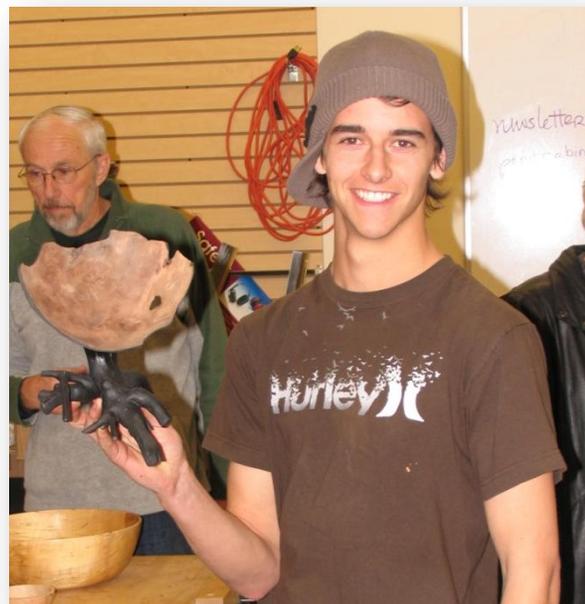


We have a lot of talent in our club. Thanks to Bob Schmidt for his vacuum chuck demonstration with tricks and tips on building your own system. Questions: contact Bob at bob@air-pipe.com



Sharing:

Among the work on the sharing table was a great looking pepper grinder made by Claudia Curtiss. She said she got the idea from an article by Nick Cook, “Pepper Mill, it’s a new grind”. You can find it at www.woodturningonline.com/Turning/Projects/pepper-grinders.html. The grind mechanism came from Packard Woodworks catalog. www.packardwoodworks.com



John Goldsberry examines Karl Paetow’s leather trimmed piece. Karl said he drilled the holes for the leather lace before he turned the bowl. Eric Baumgartner shares his free form bowl with natural root base. He also has a piece ready for submission to the AAW “Turned for Use”.

Resources:

Rob Wallace's Woodturning Links has about 300 websites organized by subject. You can find information about supplies, materials, equipment, techniques and a whole lot more. If you hunt through the web pages you'll even run across a few familiar names. Check it out at: <http://rwallace.public.iastate.edu/WTlinks.html> **Publications**

The Club Lathe:

Our new Powermatic is available for use by club members. Please contact Nick at Woodcraft first regarding classroom conflicts and *clean up after yourself*.

Going Global:

More than a dozen members have signed up for the collaborative effort with our turning friends in



Australia. This can be a great way to develop both artistic works and lasting friendships. See Norm to add your name to the list, all skill levels are welcome, all members invited. He says there are some really good eggs down under. (forgive me, I couldn't resist the pun)

Next Meeting:

Don't miss the next meeting, I'm sure you've seen Joe Mach's jars and boxes with threaded lids. At the March meeting he'll show us how it's done.

Mini & Maxi:

Artistic expression in wood is demonstrated in beautiful pieces large and small.



Overheard:

"There's only two kinds of woodturners. Those that are allergic to cocobolo, and those that will become allergic to it." Russ Fairfield