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NEXT MEETING

February



Why it's
The day
before
Valentine's
Day!

Sunday February 13th, 2000
2:00 p.m. Sharp
Crescenta Valley Regional Park
Recreation Center
(See Map on Page 3) □

PRESENTATION

**Surface Decoration – Hand
Carving by Chuck Korian
Square Edge Bowl Turning by
Don Comer □**

CHALLENGE

Natural Edged Bowls

Try your hand at this fun challenge. □

Flash from Don Comer

Re: Challenges and Presentations

I've finally gotten the first two months of the year settled. **Chuck Korian** has agreed to give us a presentation on Surface Decoration – Carving on

Feb 13. The Challenge will be Natural Edge Bowls or Vessels as agreed to in the last meeting. There will be no demo in February because of the cold weather. (Am I getting too soft here in Southern California?)

Ed Hotchkin will give a presentation on Surface Decoration - Coloring on Mar 12. The Challenge will be Square Edge Bowls. I will give a very short talk on getting started on a square edge bowl in the meeting in February. Then you're on your own as far as imagination and design are concerned. The Demo on March 25 will be Spindle Turning Basics and the associated Challenge, which will follow on May 7, will be Candle Holders. I'm trying to follow the demos with an appropriate challenge and also allow enough time to incorporate what we've learned at the demo. The rest of the schedule will follow as soon as I can find the best person to address each subject. Volunteers are heartily welcomed.

I want to encourage everyone to enter the Challenges. Even if you don't win, you will have broadened your turning skills and learned new techniques. You will also be able to see how your work compares with the other member's and see how you can improve your own turnings. Besides that, it's a lot of fun to try new things!

Don Comer

LAST MEETING

Bill Haskell conducted the meeting. He asked all first time visitors to introduce themselves and tell where they are from, they're turning experience and what kind of lathe they had. We had some new people and we welcomed them. He asked them to sign in and complete their info so we can get them on our mailing list.

He discussed the upcoming **Woodworking Show**. We will be joining with the **The Inland Woodturners** and **AAW** in a booth to display our work, talk to interested woodworkers and to demonstrate woodturning at the **Ontario Convention Center on Jan 28-30**. He also asked for a co-chair to administer the effort and volunteers for booth hosting and demonstrating. **Ed Hotchkin** volunteered to co – chair. Our thanks to **Ed**.

Bill provided samples of CA Glue made by **Starbond** at half the price of **Hot Stuff**. You can reach **Starbond** at 1800 900-4583 to obtain their brochure and price sheet.

We received New Years greeting by email from **Alastair McKenzie**. He again thanked us for our hospitality and extended an invitation for any one visiting **Scotland**. **Bill** told him how successful our **Christmas auction** had been and that his (donated for the auction) lovely yew bowl and intriguing oak lidded trinket container went for a good price at the auction.

Bill Nelson announced that there are a few **GWG** hats and **GWG** polo shirts left if anyone wants them. Just contact him at (310) 326-2163. He also spoke about our collaboration project. He had the plans available and a picture of the steam engine.

Don Comer collected the planning survey forms for the new year's program.

The meeting was adjourned for our shop tip group presentation. The presentation was excellent



2000 GWG CALENDAR

SUNDAY MEETINGS

Meetings usually consist of announcements, a feature presentation, Challenge, Show & Tell, and wood raffle.

MAR. 12 GWG Meeting – Surface decorating – coloring
Ed Hotchkin and Square edged bowl Challenge

April 9 GWG Meeting – to be announced

May 7 GWG Meeting – to be announced

June. 14 GWG Meeting – to be announced

July 9 GWG Meeting – to be announced

Aug. 13 GWG Meeting – to be announced

Sept. 10 GWG Meeting – to be announced

Oct. 8 GWG Meeting – to be announced

Nov. 12 GWG Meeting – to be announced

Dec. 10 GWG Holiday Affair and Auction

SATURDAY WORKSHOPS (start at 9AM)

March 25 Spindle Turning Basics by John Tarpley

SHOW AND TELL

Bill Kelley showed his shop vac fixture to attach to his Delta Lathe that directs dust and chips to the vacuum. Very clever idea

Al Sils had a redwood burl bowl, a carob bowl, a myrtle bowl and a myrtle closed form. His usual great work.

Bill Haskell had a natural edged elm vessel that he finished with lacquer, a black acacia tall hollow vessel with lacquer finish, a carob tall hollow vessel with lacquer finish, and a western maple hollow vessel. Great looking work

Curtis Thompson showed his Oregon maple bowl with 3 coats of Minwax tung oil and then buffed. A real winner.

Bob Barnes had two wine bottle stopper. Nice

Steve Jacobs brought his redwood shallow bowl and a spalted maple wide edged bowl. Very nice.

Steve Dunn showed his silk oak hat and an ash hat. Very good.

Linda Hovenden new owner of a one way lathe showed her figured pecan bowl and a bit of advise—Smile at the lathe delivery man to get lathe setup. Nice work and a clever bit of advise.

Carl Stude had a walnut bowl. He pointed out it was from kiln dried wood. Alas

