



Wood Turners of Polk County July 8, 2010 Meeting Minutes

Eric called the meeting to order at about 7:00 PM at the Bartow Civic Center. There were 22 in attendance. Visitors: Steve Hood, Adam Hood and his fiancé (friend of Ron Cinquanti.)

Eric announced that he is changing jobs, and will be working out of town and needs some help at the meeting and to take over the Florida Symposium position. **Any Volunteers? – Contact one of the officers.**

Rick Horton has invited the club to his shop on August 14 for a sawdust session – 9 am to early afternoon. This should be a great time to get help or practice your turning.

The raffle was \$15 won by Jerry Tysver, who also won the show and tell raffle gift certificate – way to go Jerry!!.

Demonstrations scheduled are: August –TBA, September – John Kriplean, bottle stopper, October – Ron Cinquanti, (later), November – Bob Varner, bowl from a board, December – Christmas party at Ling's.

Total amount in checking and cash on hand at 7-11-10 is \$1,861.91.

Show and Tell:

See photos below for detail of items:

Eric Kline	Large Cedar bowl – glued up after a CATCH!! WOW.
Ron Lewis	Bowl & 2 pens (acrylic and deer antler)
John Kriplean	3 Walnut shallow bowl (wood from Neil Hommel) very nice.
Jerry Tysver	2 pens and a small 1”x3”kaleidoscope - very nice work
David Bernella	Cherry vase with fennel – very nice!
Keith Walker	2-segmented bowls, and a hollow ball from two bowls. Good job!
Larry Durham	Norfolk Island Pine bowl and walking stick
Ted Smith	Goblet (last month's demo.) and two winged bowls.
Red Burton	Birch hollow form ball, and one that got cut through. Very nice work.

The Demonstration: Dan Hoffman demonstrated his off-center chuck adapter (Shapeshifter ®) and how to turn a goblet off center – took three tries due to splits in the wood that caused them to break. Dan also showed how to turn pens off center to give a 3 sided grip, and the tool he has made. Dan's web site is www.Shapeshifertools.com

The meeting ended about 8:45 pm.

Ted Smith, Sec.



Ron Lewis Bowl & pens



Ted Smith, Demo Goblet, winged bows and box



Jerry Tysver's Pens and kaleidoscope



Red Burton's hollow form



Keith Walker's Segmented bowl / ball
David Bernella's cherry box



John Kriplean's walnut bowls



Larry Durham's bowl & walking stick



Larry Durham's bowl



Dan Hoffman's demo items, Eric's Cedar bowl

