

**Wood Turners of Polk County  
July 13, 2023  
Meeting Minutes**

Mike Linkswiler called the meeting to order with the pledge of allegiance at the new time of 6:30 PM at the Bartow Civic Center. There were about 21 in attendance.

Robert Hillier joined the club. The visitors were David Stieren, Adam Longworth and Anne-Marie Wendel – all from Lakeland.

Ted gave the treasures report - \$ 3,986 on hand at the start of the meeting. 2 more people paid there 2023 dues..

Gerald Avery noted that the club will need to turn about 80pens for the Honor Flight.

Gerald Avery will be doing the demo in August on how to turn some toys.

**Show and Tell:** See photos for details – Nice work.

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| Gerald Avery     | 3 Pens   |
| Adam Longworth   | Rolling Pen  |
| Bonnie MacDonald | Goblet   |
| Mike Linkswiler  | Cyprus Vase  |
| Steve Hood       | Bowl with basket weave rim & 3' high segmented vase          |
| Debbie Jordan    | 4" Viking goblet   |
| John Dearie      | Flower vase, mushroom and honey pot                          |
| John Kriplean    | 3 ea 2" bowls, honey pot & natural edge bowl                 |
| Bruce Woody      | Pepper Mill and pizza cutter                                 |
| Ted Smith        | Spatulas, bag of tops, sago palm vase and spinning top plate |

In addition, 17 members brought in their Project 23 goblets.

**Demonstration**

Mike Linkswiler demonstrated (his first demonstration by the way – way to go!) how to turn a flower and a Podlet flower. This will be the Project 23 item to bring in for the August meeting. He passed out his handout on how to turn these items.

The club meeting ended about 8:30 pm.

Ted Smith, Sec.



Gerald Avery



Adam Longworth –rolling pen



Mike Likswiler – Bonnie MacDonald vase, 4” goblet – Deb Jordan



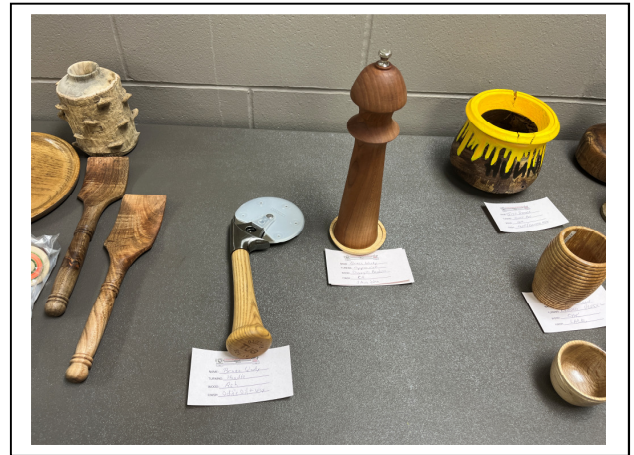
Steve Hood – bowl and (Below) -3'



John Kriplean



John Dearie



Bruce Woody – Pizza cutter and pepper mill



Ted Smith  
Below – demo Flower



Demo - Podlet

