



## Wood Turners of Polk County June 12, 2008 Meeting Minutes

Eric Kline called the meeting to order at about 7:00 PM at the Bartow Civic Center.

Total attendance was 20. There were four visitors – Bob and Mary LeRoy, Jim Heppel, and Ed Mascagni:

The May 2008 Minutes were approved.

Ed Kittleson reported that the current balance is \$1,453 after expenses of \$23 and income of \$50 from dues.

Eric reported on how the wood scraps collection was going – he had a truck load again tonight.

Eric discussed the Demonstrator exchange with the other neighbor Woodturners clubs (Tri-County and Central Florida.) Basic requirement is club to pay \$50 to demonstrator, to be AAW member, and club to provide lathe. Eric will try to arrange the first exchange next month.

The next meeting on July 10 will be at the Spence Room at the Bartow Civic Center. We will either have a exchange demo, or Ted smith will demo finishing bowl bottoms.

Ted noted that he is ordering sandpaper rolls from Econ-Abrasives in Texas at about \$3 / roll.

Bob Varner noted that the Florida Symposium web site is up for 2009.

Eric won the \$15 raffle

### SHOW AND TELL:

**Ted Smith:** 10x3” bowl, goblet and small box made from scrap pine, and 3 set of salad bowls (6x2”) made from Eucalyptus.

**Archie** – Oak Bowl (10x4”).

**Jerry Tysver** – 8x10” marry-go-round made with the scrap wood (pine and cedar) and carved horses – nice.

**Clif Sessions** – letter opener – Eucalyptus handle.

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Ted won the gift certificate.

**Demonstration:** John Kriplean demonstrated how to turn miniature box lid with finial. He used a special wood jam chuck with a slot in it that he clamped in a scroll chuck.

Meeting concluded about 8:00 pm.

