



Wood Turners of Polk County October 14, 2021 Meeting Minutes

Mike Linkswiler called the meeting to order around 7:00 PM at the Bartow Civic Center. There were about 15 in attendance. There was no Zoom connection due to lack of WiFi.

Ted gave the treasures report - \$ 5,380 on hand at the start of the meeting. The wood raffle brought in an additional \$9. September Minutes were approved.

Steve Hood has FWS raffle tickets. Time to get FWS registration for the Feb 18-20, 2022 event, as they are selling quickly.

The club will be participating in the Lake Wales Pioneer days October 22-23. Lake Alford has also contacted us to attend their Pioneer days in Feb 2022.

The club decided to have the Christmas dinner at the Bartow Civic Center at the regular meeting time on December 9, 2021, to have a gift exchange and raffle drawing as in past years. The club will provide the meat and table settings, with member bringing the side dishes.

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

Lee Justice	3 natural edge Lychee bowls, cedar box, and bowl with texturing
Steve Hood	3 sea urchin Christmas tree ornaments, one wood ornament, 3 weed pots and a urchin mushroom
Mike Linkswiler	2 Christmas tree ornaments and table top ornament
Gerald Avery	Pens – one in coffin, 4 ea 50 cal., 50 cal. Toilet paper holder, and key chains.
Randy Summers	5 humming bird houses, 2 jar lids, and a cigar pen (cocobolo)
Mark Borosch	6x4” purple hollow vase, 3 pepper/salt mills
John Kriplean	Segmented Christmas ornament, box and NE fork platter.
Bill Maroney	Camphor bowl, Winged bowl spalted maple and box (red bud)

Demonstration

John Kriplean demonstrated one method of hollowing a Christmas ornament globe, with included finial on top by turning the two half’s then gluing together. The photo below shows the globe before the mounting tenon is removed for the bottom finial.

The club meeting ended about 8:45 pm.

Ted Smith, Sec.



Lee Justice



Steve Hood



Mike Linkswiler



Gerald Avery



Randy Summer



Mark Borosch



John Kriplean



Bill Maroney



John Kriplean Demo



(Demo) hollowed Ornament