



**Wood Turners of Polk County  
October 11, 2007  
Meeting Minutes**

John Kriplean called the meeting to order at about 7:00 PM at the H, L & M shop in Highland City.

Total attendance was 23. There were 3 visitors: Richard Truhn of Lakeland and Craig & Anna Thompson of Highland City.

The September Minutes were approved.

Ed Kittleson reported that the current balance is \$2,337 after expenses of 50.80 for flowers and income of \$16 from raffle..

The next meeting will be November 8 at the H, L & M shop in Highland City

Ron reported we are planning a saw dust session at Al & Sherry's on October 13 (Sat.). Sherry passed out direction sheets.

New Business: The club voted to purchase a new Jet 1220 lathe with stand. Ed was authorized to purchase it. This will be slightly bigger than the mini lathe, and able to handle small bowls, and has the indexing that was needed.

Dave reported that he has scheduled the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday event in Bartow for November 16, and the club members can join him. More details at the next meeting.

????? won the \$16 raffle

Ted Smith and Dave Swinson were appointed as the nominating committee. Election of new officers will be held next meeting.

Tentative demonstration are:

November – Clif - Christmas Ornament

December – Christmas Party at the Whistle Stop in Lakeland on December 13. Turn a gift for your wife – and for the Civic Center Ladies.

January 2008, there will be no meeting – due to Florida Symposium.

SHOW AND TELL:

**Richard Burton:** Oak Burl vase – with Danish oil finish – very nice (see photos).

**Ed Kittleson:** 4 items - ~6 x 8” vase with thin walls, and 3 “eggs” 4x6”, 3.5x5” & 3x4” of Olive, Ash & cedar. finish of waterlux.

**John Kriplean:** Lidded Bowl of walnut and birds eye maple. Very nice fit and finish.

**Dave Swinson:** Lidded Bowl with segmented lid – maple and walnut. Very nice.

**Ted Smith:** 2.5x4” box of maple and guava. 4 salad bowl from sycamore 9” to 14” in size.

**Demonstration:** Dave showed a tool he has to turn balls. Made by friend.

Meeting concluded at 8:30 pm.

