

Golden Triangle Woodturners Club - Denton Texas

THE WOODTURNER

www.goldentrianglewoodturners.org

**MEETING : 7:00 PM
FIRST MONDAY OF THE MONTH
Center for the Visual Arts
Bell and Hickory
TELEPHONE (940) 387-7062**



George Freeman

I grew up in Boyd, Texas on the Trinity River Bottoms farm land and woods. I was a Dallas Fireman for 45 years, and I retired in June 2015.

Now I am owner of Creative Concepts in Landscaping in Dallas for several years, which was a complete landscape/irrigation/stone laying business. Also I had a companion nursery growing operation for trees and shrubs in East Texas at the same time.



I enjoy woodworking and woodturning. I own a sawmill and chainsaw mill used to cut specialty lumber sizes, slabs and beams.

I spend a lot of the time in the woods gathering trees for the saw mill and logs to turn into turning blanks.

This is a very in depth look into 47 local Texas woods we use for turning. With an emphasize on the wood choices you have and the way you make your selection of wood for your next bowl, vase or other turned object. Many sample bowls have been made to illustrate the contrast between the many woods. An extensive handout has been prepared with a full covering of all the 47 wood individual qualities. You probably never have seen a presentation quit this extensive on wood.

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Miscellaneous Club Information Up Coming Activities at GTW

October: TBD

October: Celebrate Roanoke October 8, 2016

November: TBD

Bring Back Winners from May

Jeff Whitcomb 4X	Lane Kregel	Steve Thomason 2X
John Solberg 2X	Sam Slovak	Neal Brand
John Beasley	Kevin Bassett	Sam Jones

Please bring your bring backs to the next meeting.
There will be a separate table for FOG (Found on Ground)

Quarterly Raffle

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Just a reminder that October will be the last month to turn in your Bowls for the year. The Empty Bowls luncheon will be in mid October.

We will start again in November for next year 2017.

GTW - Bowl of the Month Club 2016

	YTD Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	Total
Ayers, Sharon				1		1					2
Beasley, John	2			21				8			31
Brand, Neal	4		3	1	2	2		2			14
George, Bill	4	3	2	3				4			16
Hawkins, Don					1						1
Johnson James K		1			4						5
Kermann John											0
Lloyd, Dale	10	6			1						17
Lohr, Tom											0
Robertson, J C	1										1
Nichols, Kelly		2									2
Rubin, Joel				1	1	4					6
Slovak, Sam			2	1				2			5
Solberg, John	2										2
Staubing, Clem		3			1						4
Voth, Robert	1				4			1			6
											0
											0
											0
											0
											0
											0
											0
											0
											0
Other	1				2	1					4
Unknown											0
Total:	25	15	7	28	18	8	0	17	0	0	118

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Sand Paper Organizer for Sale \$20 Donation



There are a few ways that the GTW club can generate monies for operations. We charge a small yearly dues and we have raffles. This helps us to bring people in to do demo's and to have open shops. The money collected at the demonstrations we do like Roanoke and Denton Jazz Festival only pay for the materials for the cars we hand out.

John Beasley has designed and made a number of Sand Paper organizers for the club. This is to help the club generate more money for the year and provide you with a product. These are a great way to get your shop organized. I for one have bought one for my lathe area and love it. First time I can look up and see if I need to get more paper before starting a project. I am more prepared to finish now and it makes working in my shop so much more fun. I will be buying a second for another area of my shop. These make a great gift for other wood workers. Support the club and get your sand paper organizer.

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Pictures from the last meeting



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GTW Mentoring Program

DO YOU NEED HELP WITH A TURNING PROJECT? JUST ASK!

The members listed below have offered their time and expertise and are willing to be a mentor to other members. Please contact the mentor directly. For More information check the GTW web site.

Sharon Ayres	Dallas	214-707-0776	ladywithlathe@gmail.com
John Beasley	Denton	940-387-7062	rbeasley15@verizon.net
Neal Brand	Denton	940-383-1248	neal@unt.edu
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John Solberg	Denton	940-387-3089	betweencenters@gmail.com
Chip Sutherland	Little Elm	469-481-6627	woodchipper518@gmail.com
Peter Tkacs	Denton	940-271-4728	petertkacs@gmail.com
Joel Rubin	Flower Mound	972-571-8305	jh.rubin@verizon.net

Thank You for Volunteering your Time and Expertise!!

If you are interested in becoming a mentor please let one of the board members know.



GTW is on facebook

Find us at: **Golden Triangle Woodturner Groups**
Follow us for up to date club information.

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CLUB INFORMATION AND CONTACTS

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Our thanks for all the hard work and time they put into making this a great club.



Look for our past demo's on youtube. They really are great.

<https://www.youtube.com/user/DentonTurners>

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Membership Application 2016

New () Renewal () Check One

Annual Membership: \$30.00 Per Calendar Year (Jan - Dec). (Students \$15)

Name: _____ Spouse: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Home: _____

Work: _____

Cell: _____

E-Mail: _____

Your Occupation: _____

Full Time () Part Time () Retired ()

Are you a member of AAW? Yes () No ()

How long have you been turning? _____

What kind of lathe do you have? _____

What is your skill level? Beginner () Intermediate () Advanced ()

What would you like to see at our club meetings? _____

Can you suggest a demonstrator? _____

Can we contact you to help with special events? Yes () No ()

Check the box if you do NOT want to be listed in the online roster ()

Would you be willing to be a Mentor? Yes () No ()

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Make checks payable to: Golden Triangle Woodturners

If Mailing, Mail to: Golden Triangle Woodturners

%David Hoenig

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Amount

Method

Date

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