

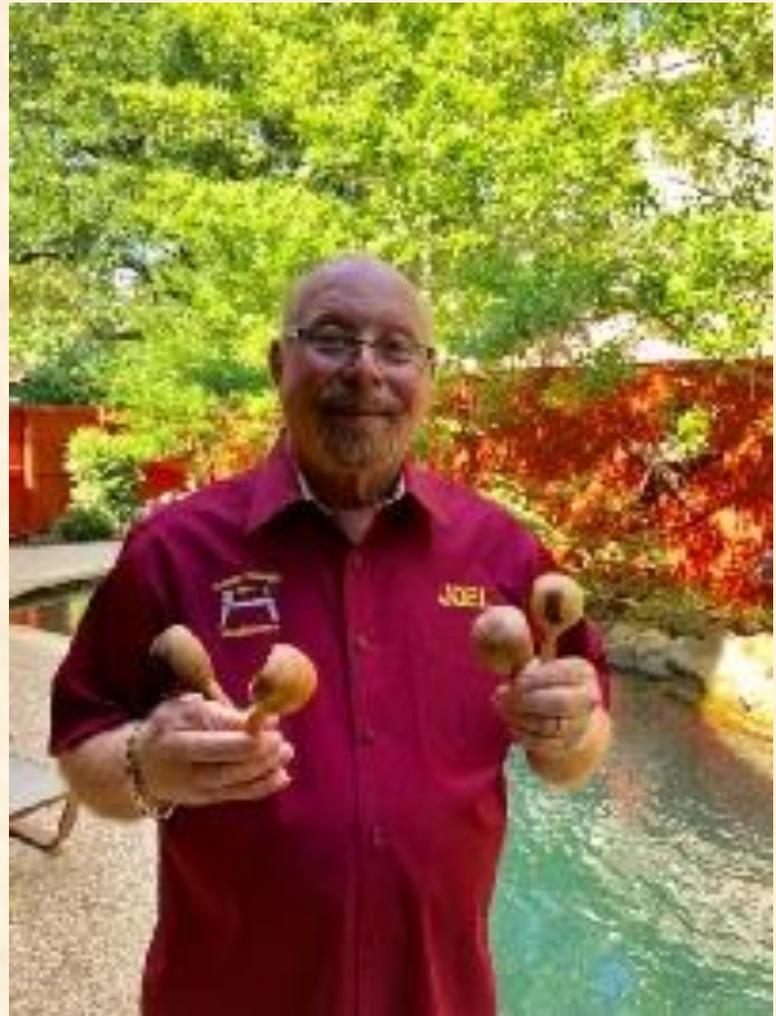
MEETING: 7:00 PM  
FIRST MONDAY OF THE MONTH  
Center for the Visual Arts

## Joel Rubin Coffee Scoops

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OF WOODTURNERS

I decided to turn a few coffee scoops. The first ones I made required 2 piece scoops - the bowl and handle which would then be glued together. I wasn't happy with the results and consulted the internet and YouTube. All the videos required making a custom jig to hold the scoop on the chuck. I have too many one use jigs so I came up with a design that did not need a custom jig first. I will demonstrate the method at our next meeting.

I am an Emergency Medicine Physician. I have been turning for 18 years. I have made simple bowls to highly pierced thin walled art pieces. I have not stuck to any one style.



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## TURNING A ONE PIECE COFFEE SCOOP WITHOUT A JIG BY JOEL RUBIN

Turn a 3 x 7 inch round block of wood

Measure 3 inches from tail stock end and part partly down with thin parting tool

Turn handle from that cut to head stock end to about 3/4 inch thick

Turn remaining stock into a 3 inch sphere

Accurately find the center of the sphere (on the long axis) and draw a line across both sides. Remount piece with the tail and headstock centered on the line

Cut 1/2" tenon on what will be the bottom of the scoop

Chuck the tenon in a narrow jawed chuck

Drill a 1 1/2" hole with a forstner bit 1 1/2" deep

Round off the bottom of the hole ( final depth 1 5/8" deep)

Reverse the scoop and expand the jaws in the hole to turn off the tenon ( optional)

Remount the scoop as a spindle and turn the handle to 3/8" thick and turn the scoop round as thin as you dare!

Sand top of scoop to make

scoop 1 3/8" deep to make coffee scoop hold 3 scoops of coffee for a 10 cup coffee pot. Sand; Finish of choice.

Put the handle into the narrow jaws and clamp tight

Turn off the nub on the bowl; sand and apply finish



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## Miscellaneous Club Information Up Coming Activities at GTW

August: Cory White Bookends  
August: SWAT in Waco, TX  
September: Don Ward Casting and Resins  
October: Empty Bowl Luncheon

### Bring Back Winners from June

Linda Leatherwood 3X  
Gary Bobenhausen

David Hoenig  
Charley Phillips

Sam Slovak  
Peter Tkacs

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

**Quarterly Winner**  
Joel Rubin

**SWAT Winner**  
Steve Thomason

Additional Club information can be found on the web:

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Our monthly photos, handouts, and up coming activities are posted on the site. You will enjoy seeing yourself and others in the club.

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## SWAT Symposium 2019 August 23 - 25 2019

Each year, the SouthWest Association of Turners (SWAT) holds one of the largest woodturning symposiums in the world. In 2016, over 800 attendees enjoyed this outstanding event in Waco, Texas.

SWAT is an all-volunteer organization which allows the price to remain affordably low. The Symposium features nationally and internationally recognized turners, as well as outstanding regional turners selected from participating clubs and across the country. The next Symposium will again be held at the Waco Convention Center, The SWAT Symposium will offer something for every level of Woodturner.

The Symposium features:

1. An Art Gallery where attendees may display up to 10 art pieces of their work (Some will be for sale).
2. The banquet on Saturday night is highlighted with a drawing for beautiful turned art pieces.
3. A continuation of the drawing (using the same tickets) will be held at noon on Sunday. This drawing will consist of a full size lathe, three midi lathes, a large assortment of woodturning tools and accessories.
4. There will be a myriad of vendors on site selling equipment and supplies at very competitive prices.
5. Lunches are provided during the three-day event for paid attendees.
6. In addition to the many demonstrations, five Special Interest Group sessions are planned.
7. There will be three areas to offer hands-on opportunities to turn something of choice, turn a pen, or sharpen a tool. It is a good opportunity for one-on-one coaching from highly trained turners.
8. Bring your spouse. SWAT will have a full schedule of activities and special classes designed for the non-turning spouse.

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## Trinity River Woodturners Council

Trinity River Woodturners Council (TRWC) is a new organization that started in the fall of 2018. It started as an idea from two local woodturners, Tod Raines from the Dallas Area Woodturners (DAW) and Ron Howe from Woodturners of North Texas (WNTX). Both Ron and Tod had attended Ron Campbell's Hands-On-Retreat in Michigan in July of 2018. They experienced the retreat from different points of view – Tod as an instructor and Ron as a participant. Both met a lot of new friends, learned a lot and had a wonderful time. From this experience and their desire to share this experience with their local clubs, Tod and Ron kicked off the formation of TRWC and the idea of the local woodturning retreat.

Today the TRWC is an approved chapter of the AAW. Our by-laws require board members from each of the five area clubs - Dallas Area Woodturners (DAW), East Texas Woodturners (ETW), Golden Triangle Woodturners (GTW), Hunt County Woodturners (HCW), and Woodturners of North Texas (WNTX). The mission of TRWC is “to provide education, information and hands on training to those who are interested in woodturning”. To accomplish this mission the TRWC brings together the five area clubs to share knowledge, experiences, demonstrators, training opportunities and other woodturning related events. However, the main vision that originated with Ron Howe and Tod Raines was to successfully create and operate a hands-on woodturning retreat.

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As the name implies the “TRWC Hands-On Woodturning Retreat” is meant to be a relaxing, enjoyable time for woodturners to come together and learn and share ideas through direct practical experience. The event will involve the following:

- \* up to 40 lathes from mini to full size
- \* four students/lathes per class
- \* 10 classes of four students each turning at one time
- \* four 2 hours sessions a day
- \* two full days of turning (a total of eight sessions)
- \* up to 40 individual classes per day
- \* about 25 local instructors, known for their unique project and teaching
- \* over 26 unique on lathe classes with a large variety of project-based instruction
- \* many off lathe activities (some tied to a turned project) including
- \* pyrography (wood burning)
- \* power carving and piercing
- \* airbrushing
- \* finishing
- \* pen segmenting

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- \* bandsaw segmenting and re-assembly
- \* photography
- \* rose engine lathe demonstration
- \* tools and supply vendors
- \* lunch both days is included

The TRWC Hands-On Woodturning Retreat will be held on Oct. 18th & 19th, 2019. The location is at the North Lake College West Campus, 1401 Royal Lane West, DFW Airport, TX 75261. The registration for attending this event will open in late July. The setup for the event will take place on Thursday Oct 17th from 12 noon to 5pm. The tear down and cleanup will happen on Sunday Oct 20th.

To make this event happen successfully, we will need volunteers, helpers and some equipment.

- \* Lathes - if you have a mini, midi or other portable lathe please consider lending it for the weekend
- \* Tooling – to create a tool loan program we will need extra turning tools, chuck, drive centers, Jacobs chuck, grinders and grinding jigs

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- \* Equipment – if you have wood burners (pyrography), power carvers, airbrushes that you could loan for the weekend it would be very helpful
- \* Volunteers – of course none of this happens without volunteers. We will need help with the following.
- \* Help to setup lathes stations, off-lathe class areas, vendor booths, etc
- \* Help to setup and serve lunch (we have a lunch plan and committee leader in place)
- \* Help to create and put up some signage
- \* Help manning the registration table, tool loan program and event coordination

Please contact Tod Raines or Ron Howe for any questions or if you wish to help in this endeavor.

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## GTW - Bowl of the Month Club 2019

	YTD March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	Total
John Beasley	6								6
Gary Bobenhausen	1	4	6						11
Neal Brand	3	3							6
Don Chessee	1								1
Jim Johnson		3	8						11
Bob Hellig				2					2
Alan Hess		3		2					5
Dick Koch	1								1
Dale Lloyd	7								7
John Solberg	4		1						5
Clem Steubing		1							1
Steve Thomason	3			2					5
Robert Voth	1								1
Other									0
Unknown									0
<b>Total:</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>62</b>

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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	<a href="mailto:ladywithlathe@gmail.com">ladywithlathe@gmail.com</a>
John Beasley	Denton	940-387-7062	<a href="mailto:rbeasley15@verizon.net">rbeasley15@verizon.net</a>
Neal Brand	Denton	940-383-1248	<a href="mailto:neal@unt.edu">neal@unt.edu</a>
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**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

#### 2017 Club Officers

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

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## Membership Application 2019

New ( ) Renewal ( ) Check One

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

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Home: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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Date

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