



Once again, a very entertaining demo by one of the club's master turners.

Pete R.

Table-top Turn-out 23rd March



Table-top Turn-out 30th March



Sometimes I cannot make it to the club. I am eternally grateful to those who can take a picture (and make a map of turners) and send them on to me. Thanks this week go to Brian Haggath who does just about everything.

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In-House Demo: Stan Lax: A natural-edged goblet with a twisted stem.



Following another unusually brief and exquisitely stage-managed AGM, Stan began his demo with a talk about spirals in turning. He explained the difference between a single spiral and how different depths eventually gave rise to the 'barley twist'. Stan showed us how to mark out for a double and even triple spiral, drawing sections at various angles around the circumference of the wood and then cutting with a junior hacksaw and/ or rasp or file through a slow (hand) rotation of the wood and a gradual transition along the length. He went on to emphasise the difference between two candlesticks and a pair:- where the spiral is reversed for the second. Stan then went on to create a double spiral on the stem of a natural-edged goblet. A well paced demo with detailed commentary and some good turning tips. great entertainment after the AGM. Thanks Stan.

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6th April Table-Top Turn-Out



Band-saw Alan

(He must have been surprised by the AGM)

Quality Tools Cheap

Attention new members (and a reminder for more 'seasoned' members!) Our club professional, David Muckle RPT will supply Hamlet and Henry Taylor Turning Tools at trade prices, *and* at present, prices have been held at 2015 level. This covers the whole range of tools.

. . . . Coming next month (with luck!)

Dave Muckle's refurbished workshop

Another 'man-cave' (when I get the promised pictures!)

Return of the for sale small ads

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