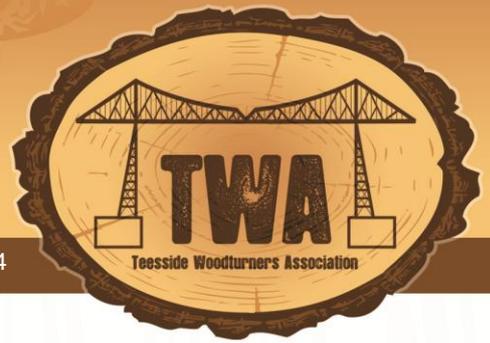


Turning Point

July-August 2019

Newsletter



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It is a shame that there was not enough material to produce a magazine in July but I was too busy enjoying myself to make one anyway. Having missed so many weeks of Turning Nights, I have been wholly reliant on other members to let me know what was happening. Sadly, the only night I did attend there was no table top anyway as the club were selling off wood from Alan Rayners workshop. I am grateful to Dick Simpson for giving me some glimpses of the goings-on since.

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Table-top Turn-out 17th July



David Otterson

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Beeforth Cup and Golden Skew Trophies 2019

Just reminding all members that the competition for the Beeforth Cup and Golden Skew trophies will be held in NOVEMBER and we would like as many members as possible to take part. All new work is requested.

For those members who are not aware of this competition, Bill Beeforth (aka Big Bill) was a long time club member who passed away last year. The cup provided by his wife is in memory of Bill.

The Golden Skew trophy has been donated by David Muckle RPT our club quartermaster.

Can last year's winners please make sure that the trophies are returned to the club by the end of October.

Thank you.

David Muckle RPT

Events Diary

August 2019

Wed 21: Demonstration by club member Tony Meadley. Tony is a relatively new member to our club and this is his first demonstration, but anyone who has seen his work on our exhibits table will know that we are in for a good demonstration.

Sun 25: Club demonstration and stall at Swainby Car Rally, North Yorks.

September 2019

Sat 14: Club demo and craft stall at Middlesbrough Town Meal, M'bro Town Centre.

Wed 18: Demonstration by visiting professional turner David Lowe RPT. It is a few years since David last demonstrated for us.

October 2019

Wed 16: Demonstration by visiting professional turner Tony Wilson RPT. This is a rebooking to replace the April booking which Tony Was unable to attend. We look forward to another excellent evening's entertainment.

November 2019

Fri 17 to Sun 17: Harrogate Woodworking/Woodturning Show. Our club not involved but many of our members will be attending .

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July Demo : Mick Hanbury RPT



An excellent demonstration tonight. Mick Hanbury turned a wide brimmed bowl, then proceeded to colour it with a black background and iridescent paint. He demonstrated good techniques for new turners, and also showed how the use of his sanding compound dramatically reduced both



the amount of dust and the amount of sanding whilst producing a good finish.

After applying a lacquered ebony base, he showed a simple looking technique to produce a striking iridescent pattern then used acrylic car lacquer to achieve a fine finish.

Dick Simpson

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