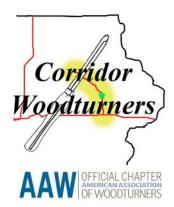
## **March 2025**

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### **Next Meeting**

The Next meeting of the Corridor Woodturners will be held at 6:30 PM on Thursday March 13 at the Marion High School wood shop, 675 S. 15th St. Marion, Iowa. The program will be by Ray Hamilton on making lidded boxes. The Project of the month is a pencil pot.

Upcoming Meetings & Events March-13– Lidded Boxes– Ray Hamilton April 10– Book Covers-Chris Navurskis May 8– Brad Davis-TBD May 17–(Saturday) Marion Arts Festival June 12-TBD–Not at the School-Need Location July 19– TBD August-Picnic ?

#### **CWT Board of Directors**

Tom Mills, president TBD, vice-president Don Coleman, treasurer John Cox, secretary Bruce Kruse, director-at-large Bob Smiley, director-at-large Emily van der Hoeven, director-at-large Tom St. John, director-at-large Jerry Potter, director at large

#### **Election of Officers for 2025-2026**

This slate of candidates for club officers and board members will be presented for a vote at the March meeting and will serve until March 2027. We need a vice president and another director-at-large to be fully staffed.

President - Brad Davis Vice President - vacant Treasurer – Don Coleman Secretary – John Cox Directors at-Large: Tom St John Bob Smiley Tom Mills Bruce Kruse

New membership cards will be inserted in the nametag holders for all who have paid their dues for the current year. If your name card is not available it indicates that we do not have any paperwork to indicate that you have paid your dues for 2025.



Carving and Turning Show Brad Davis -1st place in category 32, other projects, and Best of show Woodturning. Full list of winners on page7.

# **President's Message March 2025**



I'm sure we're all looking forward to Spring. Last meeting, our demonstrator was stymied by the weather, but I got a lot out of our Q&A session. Thanks to all who added their thoughts to the discussion during the meeting. The Carvers/Turners show was a great time. I was happy to see many of you who visited the show, as well as a

robust crowd from the community. The judging results of turnings are elsewhere in this newsletter.

Elections are upon us. We'll take a voice vote to accept the slate of officers at the March 13 meeting. We are still looking for a vice president; someone who would step into the president role at the end of the president's term.

The next regular club meeting is Thursday, March 13, at the high school. Ray Hamilton will demonstrate his technique for small lidded boxes. The project of the month for March is a pencil cup. Bring your cups to the meeting, along with your regular show and tell projects. Make sure John Cox gets a chance to photograph your items before the meeting starts.

We'll also get updated membership cards for those who have paid their 2025 dues. These are good for a 10% discount at many woodrelated businesses.

Our club will again participate in the empty bowls project at the Marion Arts Festival on May 17. The festival will be back in the park this year (hooray!). We will have a supply of bowl blanks at the March 13 meeting, but you can donate any bowl you have, and it does not need to be recently turned. The proceeds from the sale of our bowls go to benefit local charities, namely, the Churches of Marion Food Pantry, the Linn Community Food Bank, and Willis Dady Homeless Services. This is a great opportunity to put your turning skills to work for a much-needed local benefit.

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Amanda Felts-Hickory-Poly-S&T



Luckeroth-Hackberry-WOP-Ron



Kevin Lurth-Cherry-Lacquer& WOP-S&T



Ray Hamilton-Maple-Urethane-S&T



Tom St John-Catawba-AO-POM



Jeremy Hanson-broken scraper

Name -Wood - Finish - Category WOP=Wipe on Poly POM=Project of the month S&T=show and tell Legend: AO=Antique Oil BLO= Boiled Linseed Oil SB= Salad Bowl finish FOG=Found on Ground

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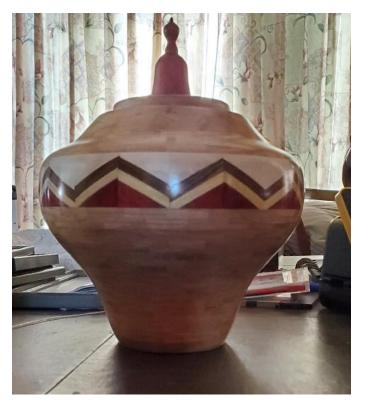


Kevin Lurth-Cherry-Oil-POM Woodburning by Molly Lurth

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Don Rosendal-S&T



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Ray Hamilton-Hackberry-S&T



Amanda Felts-Maple-WOP-POM

Don Coleman



Carving & Turning Show Photos by Tom Mills

2025 Carvers/Turners show turning winners 19 entries Category 26 – Plates and Bowls under 6 inches – 2 entries 1<sup>st</sup> – Paul Rohrbacher – Ring bowl 2<sup>nd</sup> – Lisa Heitz – Leaf bowl Category 27 - -Plates and Bowls over 6 inches – 4 entries 1<sup>st</sup> – Tom Nehl – Walnut bowl 2<sup>nd</sup> – John Dawley – Spalted 3<sup>rd</sup> – John Dawley – Spalted Category 28 – Hollow forms and Vases – 0 entries Category 29 - Pens and other projects -2 entries  $1^{st}$  – Tom Nehl – Blue pen 2<sup>nd</sup> – Tom Nehl – Brown pen Category 30 - Artistic turnings - 2 entries 1<sup>st</sup> – Tom Nehl – Feather bowl 2<sup>nd</sup> – Tom Nehl – Texas bowl Category 31 – Segmented turnings – 4 entries 1<sup>st</sup> – Don Coleman – Wine glass Category 32 – Any Other Projects – 5 entries 1<sup>st</sup> – Brad Davis – Abstract Burl 2<sup>nd</sup> – Tom Nehl – Tree 3<sup>rd</sup> – Tom Nehl – Large Lidded bowl

#### **For Sale**

Have something for sale? Let the club members know about it here. Get the info to John Cox to be added to the next newsletter

Gary Evarts has this never used Rockler tenoning jig for sale for \$100 which is half price. Contact Gary at <u>modelA29@iowatelecom.net</u>

https://www.rockler.com/heavy-duty-tenoning-jig



#### Dues Structure and Meeting Attendance Policy

Club dues are:

\$25.00 per year for an General membership.\$30.00 per year for a Family membership\$100.00 per year for a Supporting membership.

Dues are for the calendar year January 1 thru December 31 with a grace period ending at the close of the February meeting. New membership cards will be distributed at the March meeting.

Dues paid in September and later by <u>NEW</u> members will be considered in force for the rest of that calendar year plus the following calendar year.

Potential members may attend two meetings as a guest then we ask to either join the club or pay 1/4 of the current general membership fee to attend a regular meeting.

#### **Library Information**

Do you use the literature library? What items would you like to see added, what would make it easier to use?