

# Long Island Woodturner's Association



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LIWA is a chapter of the American Association of Woodturners. Our purpose is to foster a wider interest and appreciation of woodturning on Long Island and in the metropolitan area. We meet the third Saturday of each month from 9:00 AM to Noon at BOCES, Wilson Tech Campus in Dix Hills. See the calendar for scheduled meetings for 2005 in our current club newsletter.

### Directions

Take the LIE to Exit 51 (Deer Park Ave). Go east on the Service Road 1 block and turn right onto Westminister Ave. Turn left into BOCES Wilson Tech Campus and go to Building "D".

## 2007 Club Officers

President	Ken Deaner	(516) 239-7257
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The Club offers a wide range of opportunities for its members to improve their turning techniques and enjoy the company of other turners. There are demonstrations at our Club meetings. Renowned guest turners do 6 hour workshops several times during the year at a nominal expense to club members. A free video and text library is available for their use. Members are invited to participate in our monthly wood raffle. All members are encouraged to bring samples of recent work to our 'SHOW & TELL' and become active participants. The Club participates in the American Association of Woodturners and encourages its members to join our parent organization. Many members attend their yearly symposium.

Visit our Club's website and meet our members at [www.liwoodturners.org](http://www.liwoodturners.org). Our site is maintained by **Marty Mandelbaum** who you can e-mail at [martymande@gmail.com](mailto:martymande@gmail.com).

## Club Calendar

### Monthly Meetings

#### April 21, 2007

Club member **Ed Kelle** will demonstrate his design and embellishing techniques. Ed asks members to bring in decorated pieces for comment and discussion.

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#### May 19, 2007

Club member **Joel Rakower** will be demonstrating methods to cut threads in wood on the lathe.

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### GUEST TURNER

#### June 9, 2007

Master turner **Lyle Jamieson** will be our guest demonstrator. Mr. Jamieson works in multiple axis hollow turnings which allow him to create wonderful shapes found in nature.

Mr. Jamieson has designed his own set of hollowing tools and is an innovator in the world of woodturning. The meeting will begin promptly at (9:00 a.m.). There is a fee for this meeting of \$25.00 which includes lunch. The meeting will conclude around 2:00 p.m.

For more detailed information concerning his work, visit Mr. Jamieson's website: [www.lylejamieson.com](http://www.lylejamieson.com)

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## Mid Monthly Meeting – May 1, 2007

Our next mid-monthly meeting will be held at Norm Abrams' shop in Huntington beginning at 9:00 a.m. The group will be completing the stool legs along with applying finishes to the legs and seat.

## CLUB MEETING NOTES

March 24, 2007

Club President **Ken Deaner** reminds all members to check the LIWA website for any cancellations or time changes for meetings.  
[www.liwoodturners.org](http://www.liwoodturners.org)

Completed pieces to be donated to BOCES should be brought in to the April 21 meeting. Please see Norm Abrams as he will get the pieces to the BOCES people by May, 2007. Thanks for your generous donations. This is our way of thanking them for allowing us to use their facilities.

The **Yankee Woodturning Symposium** will be held June 1-3, 2007. Anyone interested should check their website for additional information.  
[www.yankeesymposium.org](http://www.yankeesymposium.org)

### *WOODTURNING IS ON THE TUBE*

**Channel 133** on Suffolk Cablevision broadcasts a 30 minute show on woodturning every Tuesday and Thursday at 9:00 a.m. and repeated at 9:00 p.m. Check this out as it offers a variety of woodturning demonstrations for all levels of woodturning.

### *Club Dinner May 18, 2007*

Once again, the **LIWA** is organizing a dinner for members and their significant others. The dinner will be held on **Friday, May 18, 2007** at **Bertucci's** restaurant on Rt. 110 in Melville. The cost is **\$25** per person which includes dinner, tax and tip. This is a fun night where one can find good food and great company. Please bring any completed turnings to the dinner as there will be a "Show and Tell" display for non members.

**Please bring in your check/cash for the dinner at the April 21, 2007 meeting.** We must have a definite paid count of those attending by the April meeting.

If you are unable to make the April 21 meeting and would like to attend, please send a check for the dinner to our Treasurer:

Joe DeMaio  
224 Amos Ave  
Oceanside NY, 11572

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**Treasurer Joe DeMaio** reported that our balance in the Club's treasury is **\$2,212.56**

## *SEGMENTED WORKSHOP*

Club member **Peter Schultheiss** will conduct a workshop in making a segmented bowl or vessel beginning this May.

Peter will host the workshop at his house in Farmingville beginning the weekend of May 12, 2007. Attendees will learn how to plan, cut, assemble and turn the wood needed to complete a segmented turning. This will be a "hands on" experience with all attendees completing each step of the process themselves.

Peter conducted this workshop last summer for 6 LIWA club members and everyone completed a beautiful segmented bowl or vessel.

Peter is expert at this process and is an excellent teacher. He will provide the wood, expertise and methods necessary to complete the project. A materials fee for each person will be determined at the first meeting. The workshop will be held over several sessions either on Saturdays or Sundays.

Peter's shop has room for up to 6 people. If you wish to be part of this class or for more information about the workshop, please contact him at the April 21, 2007 club meeting or by phone.

(H) 631-732-4732

e-mail Peter : [psquasher@aol.com](mailto:psquasher@aol.com)

## *Show and Tell*

Charles Panzner-4 legged stool

Gordon Thomsen-chestnut box, ash box

Tiberio Yepes-Walnut lidded box with ball inset in lid

Bob Brady-copper beech and mahogany box

Len Mulqueen-hollow vase, natural edge yew vessel charred, hollow form w/ burned natural edge, 2 wine stoppers, bocote& tulipwood

Bob Kaplan-cedar box w/painted black lid

Bob Fentress small lidded box, cherry box,



4 legged mahogany base and maple box, turned pear

Ken Deaner- 6 dyed, carved small boxes, 2 natural edge bowls w/ natural edge flared bases

Jim Macallum- butternut box, maple box, 5 small (1") boxes

Bill Holland-spiral hollow vase made from plum wood, condescending hollow form from cedar, Large horse chestnut vessel carved, burned

Jim Cleary-English Hawthorne gavel, 2 Eng. Hawthorne bowls w/ polyurethane finish

Ed Kelle- carved winged platter

Martin Rost-hand held mirror w/ handle, spalted mulberry box, 2 wooden eggs, conical mahogany box, lidded birch box, small oak vase

Doug Ruggiero-boxes of maple, mahogany, and beech, 2 mahogany bowls

Robin Chase-maple box w/cocobolo finial

Carl Saenger-shallow dishes of walnut & cherry, ebonized and burned triangular walnut dish w/eccentric lid

Norm Abrams-spalted maple box

## Demonstration-March 24, 2007

### Your Turn To Turn

Five lathes were available for club members to use during the meeting. Members worked on various projects from hollowing to spindle turning.

This time provided many members with the opportunity to ask questions, offer advice and techniques necessary to improve members' turning skills and confidence at the lathe.



**Attendees: 24**

John Kowalchuk  
Joe DeMaio  
Sandee Larsen  
Jim Macallum  
Bob Kaplan  
Tiberio Yepes  
GordonThomsen  
Len Mulqueen  
Pete Schultheiss  
Wm. Holland  
Bob Brady  
Bob Fentress  
John Hechinger  
RobinChase  
Ken Deaner  
Ed Kelle  
Steve Fulgoni  
Carl Saenger  
Marin Rost  
Frank Gaizo  
Richard Barth  
Norm Abrams  
Jim Cleary  
Joseph Kopian