

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 2008 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".

2008 Club Officers

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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. Our site is maintained by **Marty Mandelbaum** who you can e-mail at martymande@gmail.com.

Club Calendar

2008-09 Club Meeting Dates

Please mark these dates on your calendar

2008

September	27
October	25
November	22
December	13

2009

January	31
February	28
March	28
April	25
May	30
June	13

All LIWA Saturday meetings will begin at 9:00 am. Please arrive early so the meeting can begin promptly and you can have some time to shop at Bob Urso's storehouse of woodturning tools and accessories.

Tuesday Morning Meeting September 2, 2008

The first Tuesday morning meeting will be held on September 2, 2008.

The meeting will be held at **John Kowalchuk's** shop in Hauppauge beginning at 9:00 am.

We will be discussing and applying various techniques for turning a lidded box. Please bring along some dry blanks for making a box plus some of your favorite tools for hollowing and shaping.

Three lathes will be available for use.

Please call John for directions to his house.
631-234-1999

CLUB MEETING NOTES

Bob Brady will provide a statement to be sent to the AAW for their 25th Anniversary book. If you would like to assist Bob please contact him directly.

631 423-1490 flobrady@att.net. It would be very nice if our Club is represented in the book which will be published in 2009.

Discount Band Saw Blades

Bill Holland will be the contact person for an order that will be placed for Timber Wolf band saw blades from Suffolk Machinery. He will have to know the length, width, tpi and thickness.

(FYI) Suffolk Machinery recommends their 3/8 3tpi by .032 for cutting green wood. You will have until September or at the very latest October meeting to place your order. We expect a discount from the company.

Hartsville Tools

Les Hoffman will be the contact person for Hartsville Tool Catalog order. They are offering our club a 20% discount. Visit their website or catalog. Any questions, contact Les @516-431-2280 hoffmanclaims@optonline.net.

Club Meeting August 16, 2008 Host and Demonstrator Steve Fulgoni

Steve Fulgoni hosted the meeting and did a wonderful demonstration that included a discussion of bowl gouge shapes and how to achieve the shapes using the OneWay Wolverine jig. Steve is an engineer and applies simple explanations to complex questions about which angle is best and which grind is most effective when turning a bowl.





Thanks to **Joel Rakower** for bring the hero and salad. Everyone enjoyed the festive summer atmosphere and the social aspects of meeting at a member's house.

We wish **Steve's wife** well as she came home from a hospital stay to find the members in her driveway and garage.

Huntington Library Show **October-2008**

If you would like your work to be displayed at the Huntington Library in October bring your work to the September meeting and see **Carl Saenger**.

The **LIWA** will have a turning display at the **Rockville Center Library** in September beginning September 2, 2008.