# 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 generally meet on 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 2012 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".

### 2012 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

## July 14, 2012 9:00am

Club Meeting & Picnic at Bob Urso's house in Smithtown. 33 Gardiner Rd. Smithtown, NY 11787. Call Bob if you need directions.

Wives and partners are invited and, if possible, bring a salad or a sweet.

Bob will set up a mini lathe for club use.

Bring a piece of wood and turn a project.

## August 4, 2012 9:00 am-Noon

#### **Club Meeting**

Steve Fulgoni's warehouse 81H East Jefryn Blvd Deer Park, NY Please bring a folding chair. There is

lots of parking. Steve will do the demonstration. Breakfast/lunch will be provided along with Steve's wife, Marissa's famous meatballs.

#### Club Notes

Thanks to Les Hoffman, the "Yellow Submarine" sold for \$750. Also thanks to all who worked on the project and to all of those that helped with its storage. Kudos to the BJ Spoke Gallery for displaying the piece for the past year plus. We did not realize the price we wanted but in this economy, we are happy to see our treasury grow.

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Our club extension cord was found by the Boces shop teacher and will be under the tarp covering the lathe in September. He thought it was the property of the electric shop and apologized for the error.

Thanks to Charlie Panzner for making a backup extension cord. He will bring it to the September meeting.

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The Tuesday Morning meetings will resume on Ken Deaner's birthday, September 4, 2012, at John Kowalchuk's shop in Hauppauge.
9:00 am-Noon Call John for directions.
Tuesday Morning meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month-September-June.

The BOCES principal sent a letter of appreciation to the LIWA for the donated pieces and requested that Norm Abrams contact her in August for the meeting dates for the 2012-13 calendar years.

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Our October meeting will feature renowned woodturner Alan Lacer. It is the first time that we will meet on a Sunday accommodate Alan's schedule. The LIWA will join with the L.I. Woodworkers' club for a full day (9:00 am-5:00 pm). A fee of \$30 will cover the guest's fee as well as lunch. Please bring a folding chair. The meeting is being held at Steve Fulgoni's warehouse, 81 East Jefryn Blvd., Deer Park

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Welcome to our two newest members, **Rob Feingold** of Brooklyn and **Michael Kirshbaum** of West Islip.

## **AAW Symposium**

The AAW Symposium in San Jose, California, was a great success. The thousands of pieces of work shown in the Instant Gallery were outstanding. The AAW has come a long way in the 25 plus years of its existence.

Ken Deaner, John Kowalchuk, Hal Usher, Joel Rakower, Ed Kelle and Peter Schultheiss attended the Symposium. Ed's work was selected for one of the special exhibits, "A Walk in the Woods". Ken's Instant Gallery submission was chosen by a committee of art professors and museum curators and given a wonderful critical review.

Enjoy your vacation and I look forward to seeing all of you at all of our upcoming club events.

Ken Deaner
President, LIWA

## **June Demonstration**

#### **Peter Richichi**

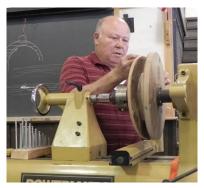
Peter's demonstration focused on some of his homemade jigs that are useful when woodturning.

A detailed description of these ingenious and practical jigs will be included in the August issue of this newsletter.











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