

GREY-BRUCE WOODTURNERS GUILD

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hi Club Members,

A number of personnel changes have taken place within your executive in recent weeks. Bert Hogenbirk has stepped down as our club Treasurer, after due consideration, I am pleased to report that this important position has been taken over by Phil Armstrong. Marilyn Campbell has asked me to switch positions with her on the Executive with yours truly becoming the President and Marilyn will assume the role of Past President. I have agreed to this switch on condition it is just for one year, by which time perhaps some other club member will agree to take over the position. I did consult with Jeff Parsons our Vice President, as our constitution states that should the President resign or step down in mid term, then the Presidents position will be assumed by the Vice President. Jeff has indicated to me that he has no desire to become President and is quite happy to continue as Vice President and act as our Program Co-Ordinator. He is quite happy for me to assume the Presidents position.

As soon as I can overcome a nasty flu bug, I will be calling an Executive meeting to discuss and plan events for the coming year. With the recent donations of the mini lathes, Jeff Parsons has volunteered to construct some wooden stands for these new additions based on a design which appeared in a recent edition of "American Woodturner".

EXECUTIVE UPDATE

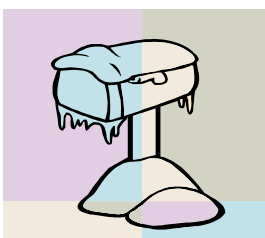
There have been updates to the Executive due to working obligations to some of the executives.

EXECUTIVE 2005

PRESIDENT	Ken Goldspink
V-PRESIDENT	Jeff Parsons
SECRETARY	Lynn Day
TREASURER	Phil Armstrong
PAST PRES.	Marilyn Campbell

OTHER POSITIONS

DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR and	Irwin Seidman
WEBMASTER	Irwin Seidman
LIBRARIAN	David Plowright
PROGRAM	
CO-ORDINATOR	Jeff Parsons
CLUB	
PHOTOGRAPHER	Bert Hogenbirk



MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Please inform Lynn Day, Secretary, at 519-986-2519, or secretary@gbwg.ca if your address, phone number or e-mail address changes. Members who get internet for the first time, don't forget to sign up with e-mail as mail delivery is getting very expensive.

UPCOMING EVENTS

GBWG MEETINGS:

- February 19** Demonstration: Jeff Parsons will demo various methods of holding wood for both faceplate and spindle turning. Jeff advises that if you have any pieces that you are undecided on how to mount . . . bring them along and we'll try and solve the problem.
- March 19** Demonstration: Green bowl turning by Jeff Parsons and Dave Plowright.
- April 16** Demonstration: Hollow turning using the Lyle Jamieson laser guided jig. Steve Smith will demo the jig in action, and Ken Goldspink will share some ideas on how you can build your own jig.

WOODWORKING SHOWS:

February 4,5,6, 2005

11th Annual Chatham-Kent Wood Show

A show and sale of wood and woodworking tools, crafts, and tole painting supplies. Woodturning, Woodcarving, Demos & Workshops. Location: Chatham, Ont. Information: 519-351-8344 john@woodworkingshows.com Location: Kinsmen Auditorium

February 11,12,13, 2005

The London Woodworking Show

Exhibits - Tools - Specials - Demonstrations. Artistry In Wood Carving & Turning Competitions. Information: 519-455-5888 londonshowproductions.com Location: Western Fair Grounds

March 4,5,6, 2005

Canadian Home Workshop Show

See the latest tools the industry has to offer for home improvement projects. Project making areas as well as tips and techniques from the pros. Information: www.canadianhomeworkshop.com/show Location: Exhibition Place, Toronto.

March 18,19,20, 2005

17th Annual Kitchener Waterloo Wood Working Show

Information: Tel/Fax 519-657-8646 www.woodshows.com Location 425 Bingemans Ctr. Dr.

MINI LATHES

Ken unveiled two new mini lathes, with a promise of a third one to come later this month!! Jeff suggested we initiate a mini lathe program. Bring your thoughts and suggestions on this to the next meeting.



WORK BY DAVID PLOWRIGHT

VISIT OUR WEB SITE

www.gbwg.ca

GBWG Tips & Jigs: New tips coming in February

GBWG Gallery Exhibition: February's exhibit is by
David Plowright

Woodturning Educational Links as well as Classifieds and
upcoming events are just some of the interesting items Irwin
Siedman has included for Woodturners to enjoy.