

# Cumberland Woodturners



A Chapter of AAW since 1997

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## CLUB INFORMATION

President: Tom Neckvatal  
 Vice President: Larry Lewis  
 Secretary: Rod Smith  
 Treasurer: Garron Riechers  
 Program Director: Larry Lewis  
 Librarian:  
 Video/Technical: Jon Reiver and  
 John Lucas

Web Master: Rod Smith  
 Gun & Knife: Larry Lewis  
 Ornament Coordinator: Bob Kohle  
 Monthly Raffle: Larry Lewis  
 Safety: Larry Lewis  
 Beads of Courage: Les Black

**For Club Info or directions visit the website:** Or call Rod Smith 931-267-3859 or Les Black: 931-788-3975

### Mentors:

*(Mentors are available to help anyone, any skill level, just call).*

John Lucas: 931-858-2846

Jon Reiver: 931-267-2575

Rod Smith: 931-267-3859

Les Black: 931-267-5184

**Club Meetings: Last Thursday of each month No Meeting in December)**

at: 6 PM CT (Social Hour at 5 PM)

Location: 1432 War Eagle Dr, Crossville, TN Includes a demonstration.

Hands on Training: Les Black's Shop 1432 War Eagle DR, Tansi TN). 2nd Saturday each month 9 AM to 11 AM CT (Training for all skill levels)

### Next Meeting:

**June 27, 2024**

Demonstration: Gordon Sloane and Jake Niedling

Refreshments: Vince Grilley

Mystery Box Winner was Tom Neckvatal. He won a beautiful Pece made by Jon Riever.



The challenge for May was to make a lantern. There were no entries.

The challenge for June is to make something embellished with paint.

We had 30 members present and two guests.

**Meeting Minutes:**

Treasurers report: Our balance is: \$3254.55. At this meeting, we raised \$473.00 from the sale of the mini lathe and wood. Thanks all.

The club has a space for the Art In The Park at Fairfield Glade. We will be in the same space where we sold Christmas ornaments. Volunteers are needed to man the booth. Set up is June 21 and the event is June 22, 9 AM- 5 PM, June-23,2024 from 10 AM -4 PM.

The meeting will be at TCAT in June. If you are a demonstrator and need a lathe for your demo, contact Tom Neckvatal. He will bring the lathe to the meeting.

To use the equipment at Roane State Community College (Makers Space), you need a certificate stating that you have been properly trained. Cumberland WT has certified instructors. Greg Wood is the new instructor at Maker Spaace.

Jake Niedling has pen kits donated by Woodcraft of Knoxville. They are free of charge. You make the pens and return them to Jake. He will return them to Woodcraft before November 2024. Woodcraft will distribute them to the troops.

We will have a booth at the Apple Festival on September 28 & 29, 2024.. Volunteers will be needed to man the booth. More info to follow.

Reminder that every Tuesday at 8:00 AM, we will meet at Country Kitchen on Main Street. Rod Smith will send out an E-Mail each week as a reminder.

Reminder that Housekeeping at TCAT is important. It is nice to have such a nice facility. If everyone would pitch in after the Demo and put chairs away, sweep up the chips, and help put back tables.

Bob Kohle is the ornament sales coordinator for 2024. Bring ornaments to the meeting anytime. You can still bring in ornaments to Les Black's shop or call Bob Kohle. We currently have about 400 ornaments but need more.

Billy Dodd is the Art Festival coordinator Dogwood Exchange will have another event this fall. The date will be in September. More info to follow. See Billy to volunteer to man the booths.

The club picnic will be June 15, 2024 at Cumberland Mountain State Park. Time is noon but you can come early and help set up. Let Bob Kohle know if you are coming so he can have head count. Also, let him know what you are bringing.

The Art Center in Oak Ridge hosts open Art shows that are Judged and Juried. These do not require membership to enter. More info to follow.

There are two articles about Cumberland Woodturners in the AAW Journal this month

We have some new equipment and cabinets for the new meeting space.

There is still a need for Beads Of Courage boxes and Wig Stands. Les Black has Beads for the BOC boxes. Thanks to all those who have contributed.

Larry Lewis said that the Demo list for 2024 needs two more volunteers to do a demonstrations.. September, and October are open for demos.

John Lucas, the President of the Cookeville Club, is looking for demonstrators to do a demo. Anyone interested, Contact John..

The workshop will still be at Les Black's shop. We need people to help clean up Les's shop prior to the workshop and after. Any help is appreciated.

The club needs donations of wood items to sell at the Art festivals and Apple Festival. Bring them in anytime or call Tom.

In the club cabinet, the club has supplies for sale. Items such as CA glue, Epoxy, Debonder, Accelerator, and sandpaper. We now have a supply of the CA glue that Mark Sillay sells. The bottles are \$34.00 and the Accelerator is \$12.00. We have added the small cardinal birds for sale, they are \$1.00 for 3 birds.

No old business was discussed

New Business,

Please visit our club WEB Site [www.cumberlandwoodturners.com](http://www.cumberlandwoodturners.com). There is a list of Up Coming Events and Tips and Projects from our demos and other sources.

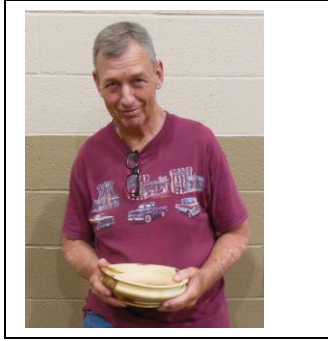
**Safety Note**

**Larry Lewis spoke about being careful to avoid trip and fall.**

Also, our WEB site has a section on safety.

2024	Demonstrations	Refreshments
January	Steve Sullentrup	Les Black
February	Dennis Johnson	Cheryl Iorio Kevin Nisiewicz
March	Tom Neckvatal	Alex Horony
April	Eric Winckler	Paul Holman
May	John Lucas	Garron Riechers
June	Gordon Sloane and Jake Niedling	Vince Grilley
July	Les Black	Robert Kohle
August	Ken Warrick	Eric Winckler
September	Open	Rod Smith
October	Open	Jonnie Franklin
November	Dan Sauer	Dan Sauer
December	Christmas Party Open	Les Black

# SHOW AND TELL





## John Lucas-Using paints to embellish your work

John did an excellent job of demonstrating some of the ways that you can decorate a bowl or platter.

One of John's techniques is to use a sponge and dab paint on the edge of a bowl. The sponge can be turned or twisted to create different designs. The sponge can be cleaned by rinsing in water.

When applying, if you get too much of one color, you can go over it with a different color. If you go over the edge, you can use an Exacto knife to scrape it off when it dries. Putting finish and Wax on, you can just wipe off the paint. When applying, use a very light touch.

Using Jo Sanja paint: put a small dab in a cup and add Flow Medium to get the consistency you desire. Put a drop on the surface and blow it around with a straw or an air brush.

Paints can be purchased at: <https://josanja.com>



