

August Virtual & Live Meeting

Brian Evans



A former officer and instructor for Dallas Area Woodturners, I have demonstrated for a number of clubs in North and Central Texas. I have been lucky enough to take classes with Jean Francois Escoulen, Michael Hosaluk, Stuart Batty, Nick Cook, Betty Scarpino, Jimmy Clews and Windsor chair maker, Dave Sawyer.

I love to make gifts for people. Over the years I have made and given away nearly two thousand bowls, boxes, tops, ornaments and other turnings. I also turn furniture and architectural pieces.

Trying to make duplicate pieces is stressful for most woodturners. My demo will show how to make multiples using a process for turning the basic shapes of woodturning, measuring properly, making and using a storyboard and dealing with vibration.



Osage Orange

Osage Orange, Bois D'arc, or Horse Apple, no matter what you prefer to call it, this wood is definitely unique. The first thing you may notice is the bright yellow color which is really stunning and has some nice natural luster. When you go to pick it up, you might be shocked to find how heavy it is! It is very dense and on the Janka Hardness scale, is 2,620lb/f. It is typically straight grained and turns very well. It dulls saws and other instruments very quickly but the result is usually worth it! Be aware that it will change to a medium brown especially when exposed to sunlight.

Fun fact, it is a popular wood to use in making archery bows which is how it got one of its names. Bois D'arc translates to bow wood in French. It is also used to make musical instruments. It is very stable with little movement making it a perfect wood for those specialty items. If you aren't sure if the wood you have is Osage Orange, take some shavings and put it into some water. The wood contains a water soluble yellow dye.





News

Events

July 30th — Open Shop at Sams

Aug 26-28th — SWAT in Waco

Sept 10th—Arts and Autos, Denton— Cars for Kids

Oct 8th— Roanoke Festival—Cars for Kids

Oct 22nd—Empty Bowls

President’s Message

Hope most of you have A’C in your shops. Its been a hot one. For this month’s challenge I would like you to make a piece with color added. You could make a “Humming Bird” house like Ron Howe demonstrated at our last meeting or something else. If you missed his demo, you can YouTube Denton Turners and see how to make one.

We need donations for the Empty Bowls Charity that is coming up soon. Take some time to make a bowl before the meeting as well.

Don’t forget the SWAT convention August 26-28th.

Joel Rubin

GTW President

Upcoming Demos

Sept— TBD

Oct—Steve Thomason—Christmas Ornaments

Nov—Kevin Felderhoff—Acorn Box

Bring Backs—If you win a raffle, please bring something for the next meeting raffle.

Steve Thompson x2

Allen Hess x2

Neal Brand

Monica Braxton

John Solberg

Gary B x2

Sam Slovak



GTW Mentoring Program

If you need help with a project, contact one of us!

These members have offered their time and expertise to mentor other members.

Please contact them directly.

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Thank You for Volunteering your Time and Expertise!!

If you are interested in becoming a mentor please let one of the board members know.

Additional club information can be found on the website:

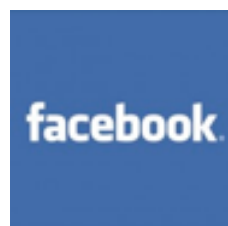
[Www.goldentrainglewoodturners.org](http://www.goldentrainglewoodturners.org)

Our monthly pictures, handouts, and up coming activities are posted on the site. You can even see yourself and others in the club!

GTW is on Facebook

Find us at: **Golden Triangle Woodturner Groups**

Follow us for up to date club information





Golden Triangle Woodturners

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Our thanks for all the hard work and time they put into making this a great club.

Look for our current and past demo's on YouTube. They really are great.

<https://www.youtube.com/user/DentonTurners>





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Are you a member of AAW? Yes () No ()

How long have you been turning? _____

What kind of lathe do you have? _____

What is your skill level? Beginner () Intermediate () Advanced ()

What would you like to see at our club meetings? _____

Can you suggest a demonstrator? _____

Can we contact you to help with special events? Yes () No ()

Check the box if you do NOT want to be listed in the online roster ()

Would you be willing to be a Mentor? Yes () No ()

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Make checks payable to: Golden Triangle Woodturners

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