

# The Turning Point

The newsletter of the Siouxland Woodturners Chapter of the American Association of Woodturners

June 2013

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#### **Picnic Details...**

Our annual picnic meeting will be held on June 29<sup>th</sup> at the home and shop of Al Schroeder west of Tea, SD. Al's address is 27122 467<sup>th</sup> Ave. Tea, SD 57064.

The meal will consist of pork sandwiches provided by some of our members. Please bring a salad, side dish or desert to share. You may also wish to bring a chair.

The day will begin about 10:30 AM with demonstrations of various aspects of segmented turning followed by the meal, a brief business meeting and more turning in the afternoon.

If you have trouble finding Al's place call Royce at (605)351-9435.

#### **Woodturning Basics**

Due to the brief nature of this month's newsletter there is no Woodturning Basics column this month.

#### **Upcoming Meeting Notes**

Saturday, June 29, 2013

10:30 AM

Annual Picnic at Al Schroeder's

27122 467th Ave. Tea, SD 57064

Segmented turning prep, glue-up & turning followed by picnic lunch, business meeting and more turning.

## Thanks to Monte's Woodshop!

The June meeting of the Siouxland Woodturners was held at Monte's Woodshop near Sioux Falls. Members were treated to a tour of Monte's shop and his operations there as well as demonstrations of the engraving services they offer.

Thanks to Monte for hosting us!

#### From the President...

June 2013

We are heading in to the heat of summer and hopefully your lathe tools stay cool with all the turning going on. I have started into the wood we cut up on my saw mill in May, local wood that was brought back from Arizona. It is some wild stuff and hopefully as impressive finished as it is rough turned. My family had an awesome time in Green Bay Wisconsin last month when my grandson was invited to a fan club work out with some of the Packer players in their facility. Obviously my packer fan grandson had a great time and his Viking fan brother endured the event and actually came away with a better attitude about appreciating when things are done "well", the Green Bay organization and the Packers leave no doubt about their ability to impress the fans and skeptic's alike.

Every month I am impressed by your ability to also do so may thing on the lathe very "well". Looking back over the few years I have been involved with our club it is obvious there has been growth in technique, project difficulty, finish and inquisitiveness, spurring on creativity and products. The next two meeting will be no different, an opportunity it expand our turning dimension and come away with new ideas and challenges. On June 29<sup>th</sup> we are at Alvin Schroeder's for our summer picnic featuring pork sandwiches provided by a few club members and salads and desert provided by the rest of you. Invite a friend; there will be plenty of food, a chance to see another shop set up and an experience two members showing us the ropes on segmented preparation, glue up and turning. Alvin and Vern Monson have agreed to enlighten us on their segmented work and Vern's process of his signature three dimensional glue up.

On August 3<sup>rd</sup> we head up to Brooking where Dan Humburg will again impress us with his tool making and turning expertice.

My wife had a birthday this month. In the mail she received a package from Greece. Our son from Denver found on line some hand turned "OLIVE WOOD" salt and pepper shakers he had bought to match Carols "BLACK ASH BURL" lazy Susan I had made her this spring. When you see them, I am sure there will be a few turned in South Dakota also.

Bring in those show and tell items. Hopefully we will begin to see some products from the storm salvage we had this spring. If nothing else bring an inquiring mind and a good appetite. See you on the 29<sup>th</sup>.

**Doug Noteboom** 



### At the June Meeting...

Siouxland Woodturners
June 1, 2013 Meeting Minutes

The June meeting was held at "Monte's Woodshop" east of Sioux Falls. No minutes were taken at the June meeting.

#### Pictures from the June meeting...



Jim Sample's Bowls Being Engraved



**Monte from Monte's Woodshop**