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SPECIAL DATES OF INTEREST

- January 9, 2021
9:00 AM Regular Meeting using Zoom
- January 12, 2021 7:00 PM
E-Board meeting using Zoom.

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The Prez Sez

Happy New Year! We sincerely hope that the new year brings health and happiness to you all.

We appreciate those of you who are able to join us for our zoom meetings. Until the virus is closer to being under control we will continue to meet through zoom. If you have not yet joined us for a zoom meeting, we hope you will find a way to join us. We look forward to having every-one meeting as we used to do.

Craig Timmerman did a presentation on a three sided bowl at our December zoom meeting. He sent the following links for his demonstration handouts and products. You can copy and paste the links in your browser so you can read them. The video on the three sided bowl will be under the password protected videos on our website. The video is only for our club members' use. It is not to be shared with the general public.

Craig Timmerman's website, demo handouts, and inlay handout

www.armadillowoodworks.com

http://armadillowoodworks.com/pdfs/three_sided_bowl.pdf (actually the torus vase – was mislabeled)

Heavy duty bowl scraper

<https://www.packardwoodworks.com/100125.html>

Man-made turquoise

www.tuckersturnings.com

Real Turquoise (and other stone) - Dennis Liggett

www.dennisliggett.com

Sanding discs - Turningwood.com

www.turningwood.com

Sanding mandrels - The Sanding Glove

<https://www.thesandingglove.com/Velcro-Disc-Holder-Sanding-Mandrels.asp> (medium density)

Bond optic epoxy - Agates Anonymous and Rare Earth Trading

<http://agatesanonymous.com/Bond%20Optic.html>

<https://www.rareearthtrading.com/12-ounce-bond-optic-epoxy-kit-3>

Starbond CA glues

<https://www.starbond.com/>

Mahoney's Utility finish

<https://bowlmakerinc.com/product-category/mahoneys-finishes/>

Livos Finishes

<https://www.livosusa.com/collections/interior-wood-finishes/products/livos-kunos-wood-sealer> (white)

Prez Sez continued:

The January meeting will be a zoom meeting on January 9 at 9:00 AM. The zoom meeting will open at 8:30 for visiting. Mark and Ron will be doing a demonstration after the business meeting.

Welcome to our new Board members: Denise Johnson (secretary), Robert Gruman (treasurer), and Mike Orgaard (member at large)

Thank you to our outgoing board members: Dolly Erickson (secretary), Kristi Hulm (secretary), Rebecca Kielpinski (treasurer), Stan Zalumskis (member at large)

Reminder for dues 2021: If you paid your 2020 dues, your 2021 dues are also considered paid. If you have not paid your 2020 dues, please send twenty dollars for your dues to Robert Gruman.

Show and Share Items: If you are sharing items during show and share, please ask someone to take a photo of you with your items and send them to me in an e mail or a text along with a brief description of the item. We will try to get them in the newsletter. Please let me know if you have an issue with the items being placed on the Dakota Woodturner's Facebook page.

Meeting Room: BSC is only allowing 12 people at a time to meet in their room so we will not be able to use it for a while.

Phone Calls: Some members volunteered to call members that we have not seen at our zoom meetings. We are checking to make sure we have their correct contact information and to keep in touch with all of our members. We don't want anyone to feel left out.

"The richness I achieve comes from nature, the source of my inspiration." – **Claude Monet**

Kirk Maize—President

DWT Regular Meeting

December 12, 2020

Dakota Woodturners Zoom Meeting .

President kirk Maize called the meeting to order at 9 AM.

Present were 30 plus members. Election notes: Steve Hamar presented the names of the nominees for the offices of Treasurer, Secretary and Member at Large: Denise Johnson for Secretary, Spud Gruman for Treasurer and Mike Orgaard for Member at Large. No further nominations from the floor. Steve Hamar made the motion for a unanimous vote for the slate of nominees presented. Second by Ron Day. Passed. New positions will be effective January 1, 2021.

Kirk Maize extended a thank you to the officers whose terms end on December 31.

E-Board Meeting will be Monday December 14 at 7 PM by Zoom. New officers are welcome to attend.

Information for the Educational Grant was presented in the last Newsletter. The application was also sent out by email. Applications are due in by December 31, 2020.

President Challenge for December Meeting won by Greg Pollert (Salt and Pepper Mill Kits plus purple heart wood block). Mystery Prize Drawing won by Denise Johnson (Salt and Pepper Mill Kits). The President Challenge Drawing for the year end 2020 was won by Alice Berning (Wood blocks of African Teak, Purple heart, and Zebra wood; Pizza Cutter; and \$200 card to Craft Supplies.)

The Holiday Party scheduled for January has been postponed to a later date due to COVID-19.

Mark Kielpinski and Ron Day will be in charge of the presentation at the January Zoom Meeting.

Spud Gruman reported that St. Joe's in Mandan may be accessible as a meeting place in the future.

Show and Share

Doug Alm showed a bowl turn from Cedar.

Mike Orgaard showed a platter turned for a gift.

Steve Hamar showed a couple of tops of the many he is making as Christmas Tree ornaments as gifts for his Grand-kids. He is using Maple and is also using Gilders Paste Wax.

Dolly Erickson showed two platter that were turned and then wood burned. One with Scales of Justice and one with windmill scene.

Marlene showed a natural edged bowl that her son Kevin had turned.

John Warren showed a platter he had turned from Elm.

Gary Nagel showed a Christmas tree ornament turned from an old, old Cedar post with natural edge at the bottom of the tree.

Larry Zubke showed segmented bowls in which he used Oak and Walnut in two of them and Oak and Maple in the third.

Kleber Hadsell showed an platter he had turned from Elm with a large "W" monogram on it as a house warming gift.

Show and Share continued:

Kirk Maize showed a bowl which is a project in progress. It is turned from Cherry in a cone shape and he is enhancing it with carving.

Dale Sauer showed three bowls turned from Black Cherry.

E-Board Meeting

December 14, 2020 at 7:00 PM

Zoom Meeting

Meeting called to order by President Kirk Maize at 7 PM. Present were Kirk M, John Warren, Becky Warren, Mark Kielpinski, Rebecca Kielpinski, Stan Zalumskis, Kleber Hadsell, Dolly Erickson, Mike Orgaard, Spud Gruman and Denise Johnson.

Board Members are required to be AAW Members. Kirk expressed his thank you to those who are serving their last meeting as board members and a welcome to the new officers who are starting in January 2021.

A card is to be sent to the family of Brice Hill. Our sympathy goes out to them as well as other families because of their loss during this COVID-19 time. Our apologies go to anyone we may have missed.

A correction to the November minutes was made that 72 Freedom Pens were given to National Guard members as they were deployed. It was misprinted as 2 in the Newsletter.

Discussion was held on the need for applications for educational grants to be in by December 31, 2020 and will be awarded in January. Stan Zalumskis will remain on the Education Committee.

The Holiday party scheduled for January 2021 has been postponed until later in 2021.

The ND Council of the Arts is paying \$135 toward the \$275 fee charged by Craig Timmerman for his Zoom presentation on December 12, 2020.

Mark Kielpinski and Ron Day will be doing the January demo by Zoom. Several items were suggested for future demonstrations. It was also noted that anyone receiving an educational grant is responsible for bringing a report back to the club or doing a demonstration relating to the symposium which they attended.

Secretary Dolly Erickson

Zoom Demonstration

Craig Timmerman from Austin, Texas presented a demonstration.

The demonstration showed all the details from beginning to end on preparing the wood for and turning a three-sided bowl. This could be made with or without a lid on it. He explained the use of tools used as well as his use of epoxy for enhancement on his pieces of art.

A great informative demonstration.

He also took time to explain the camera and audio equipment he uses.

November 2020 Demonstration by Steve Hamar

Pen Making



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If any club member has items that they are looking to sell or acquire,
please contact:

Any E-Board member or:
Larry Nelson
701-527-8927 lknelson@bis.midco.net

FOR SALE:

JET Mini lathe. \$350.00 OBO.
Phone Al Prom for more detail. 701-516-7846

