

OREGON COAST WOODTURNERS MINUTES OF THE SEPTEMBER 21ST 2019 MEETING AT SOUTH BEACH



Dennis Van Loo opened the meeting with 16 members and 3 guests present. Our guests were Dale Johnson, Aaron Collett and Chuck Chisolm. We welcome Barney Craig as our 42nd member.

Dave Maguire gave the financial report. We had \$4317.76 safely in the bank.

Dennis reported on the 9-20-19 Executive Committee meeting. Paul R. got several bright, shiny genuine imitation wood name tags for persons who ordered them at \$7.50 each. They can be exchanged for that astounding sum at Hasting Coastal Woodwork.

Paul R. mentioned our desire to have members please vote for the President's challenge. Our turners produce exceptional entries and would like to see if they can be a WINNER. It's a disappointment if only a few votes are cast. Forms will be provided for signing in both Show and Tell and President's challenge entries so please use them. Then my maturing brain won't be taxed beyond the so- what-point, and member conversation can continue uninterrupted.

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

The prize-in-the-bag was present but held over because we had only two interested members. The rather special turning will be offered again on our October 19th meeting. If there aren't at least six willing participants we may want to discontinue the event. I'm sure we all realize that getting the winning ticket involves a prize by turners of varied talents and might seem a bit daunting, but encourages picking up your tools, firing up the lathe and getting valuable experience. It's free, it's fun, you may get pointers tactfully offered, but no one will throw tomatoes. We are blessed with a congenial group of turners. Come join the fun.

PRESIDENT'S CHALLENGE

The coveted challenge was captured by our secretary Paul. Okay, okay, okay. So his was the only entry. It was a stunning set of a pepper and a salt mill crafted in the mode of Shaker styling.

SHOW AND TELL

Alan Leach brought a 9" colored bowl with a natural-edge. Dave Maguire had a 12" natural-edge maple bowl. Both turnings were very nicely done.

DEMONSTRATION

Tom did a demo on basket illusions. He covered development of the art, design, methods, tools and styles on which illusions can be applied. He has a professional approach to teaching. Thank you Tom for another excellent program.

IMPORTANT DATES

- Our Tillamook group will meet on 10-12-19
- The South Beach group will meet on 10-19-19

Paul Reed, Secretary



Top, Tom's illusion boxes. Bottom, Paul's salt/pepper grinders.



Tom's basket illusion hollow form.

Photos by Paul R.

Extra space here so happy Halloween

BOO !