



MID WALES WOODTURNERS

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The Association of Woodturners of Great Britain

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JULY MEETING

Firstly, please note the revised meeting times - we will be starting at 10:30am and finishing at 3:30pm, with a shorter break for lunch and no formal afternoon break. The raffle will be called at the end of the lunch break. This is to accommodate those who want to get home in time for the World Cup final. We hope that members with no interest in this event will be happy to stay a little longer at the end to help us clear up and load the van!

We have Mick Hanbury demonstrating - he's come back after his previous visit was cancelled due to the snow. Mick has visited the club before, - but not since 2010 according to my records. Mick has been turning for over 20 years and has demonstrated internationally. You can check out examples of Mick's work on his website www.mickhanbury.com.

Beth will be providing the catering - with bacon butties available from 10am as usual, and a range of sandwiches and baps at lunchtime. There will also be the usual choice of cakes at lunchtime and in the afternoon.

DONATION

At the last meeting we had an unexpected donation of woodturning tools and wood blanks to the club from Micheal Wilson. These will be offered for sale to club members at the July meeting. All the income from their sale will stay in club funds, as this will help to balance regular losses of £50 to £60 pounds at recent meetings. The items for sale are listed below:

- * range of Sorby tools, almost new and sharpened

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PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

Carno Community Centre

July 15th : 10:30 - 3:30

Mick Hanbury

August 12th : 1:30 - 4:30

"Hands On"

September 16th : 11:00 - 4:30

T.B.C

October 21st : 11:00 - 4:30

Mark Sanger

November 18th : 1:30 - 4:30

"Hands On"

- * a quantity of wood, all dry
- * selection of tiles
- * Callipers
- * Sand timer
- * Craft Supplies Chuck
- * Jacobs Chuck (MT1)

DATA PROTECTION

With this newsletter, you'll find a revised version of the club's constitution containing the new clause (*n: in the Constitution section*) that was unanimously agreed at the EGM. Please remember to let us know if you are happy for us to keep your details on file so you can continue to receive this newsletter.

MEETING COSTS

Members : £9 each, Family Members : £15 per family
Guests of members : £10 each, Non-members : £15 each

CLUB CONTACTS

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ANDREW HALL



Andrew spent most of the day demonstrating woodturning, but he finished off by playing some of the instruments he's made - this one was a shovel guitar!

His warm-up project was "Gilbert the Glasses holder" with built in pencil holder, made from old oak and thuya burr, (*shown in the photo below*).



His second project was a simple plate quickly turned from a kiln-dried beech blank - and left unsanded and unfinished so we could see the finish straight from the tool.

He next made a lidded goblet from ash, (*shown in the photo below*), and finished his demonstration by making a slide and pick bowl from sapele, and a guitar slide from mahogany.



WANTED RAFFLE PRIZES

Please remember to bring something for the raffle table at the next club meeting on 15th June.

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