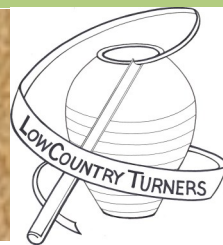


Lowcountry Turners

A chapter of the American Association of Woodturners



LCT Newsletter — January 2018

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Message From The Board

Welcome to the new year. We have a lot of exciting events planned for the first few months of 2018. Please note that we have changed a couple of the meeting days and their location. Here we go:

Next Demo Meeting

Our next demonstration meeting will be FRIDAY, January 26th, 6:00 p.m. at the White Bluff Campus of SAVANNAH TECHNICAL COLLEGE, 5717 White Bluff Road, Savannah 31405. Enter the Campus from White Bluff Road then take the circle to the back side of the Campus. Park in the middle of the lot and walk across a wooden bridge that will lead you into the building where we will be meeting. The demo will be in the woodshop studio of the Historic Preservation Department which will be about 100 feet down the hallway on your right. Benjamin Curran, director of the Historic Preservation Department is our Savannah Tech contact.

Calendar of Events

Look at the Calendar of events on the next page for upcoming demo's and workshops. Some changes to meeting location are there and a proposed workshop and additional class in April.

Many thanks to Don Rawlins and Steve Cook for the very informative December demonstration of the Chroma-Craft products specifically formulated for the woodturning and wood finishing

industry. You can purchase Chroma-Craft products from Case Woodworking Supply. As you experiment with their dyes, resins and colorants, please share your experiences with the LCT membership.

Dues Are Due

LCT's 2018 annual membership "Dues are Due". \$35 for AAW members, \$45 for non AAW members. No Charge for student memberships. Demonstrations are free and open to the public but we must charge for hands-on workshops.

LCT Board for 2018

If you would like to be on the board of the Lowcountry Turners and help out in any administrative capacity, please let us know. Our current 2018 board members include: Doug McCulloch, Jon Knott, Gary Fleenor, Dan Lee, and Lonnie Bott. Although no longer on the board, Ronnie Burgstiner, Roy Yarger and Steve Cook always provide a helping hand and guidance when needed. Roy is our out-going treasurer. He has been on the board of the LCT or other AAW member chapters for the past 15 years and would like to devote more time to turning and family. We are looking for a new treasurer.

Your LCT Board

Demonstrations, Events, Items of Interest

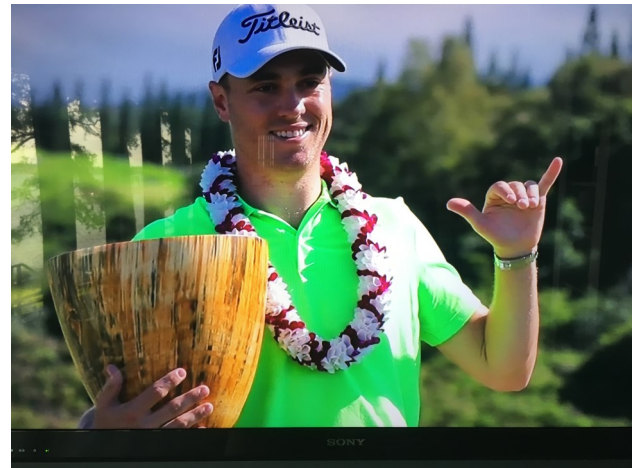
Upcoming LCT Events:

All meetings (**unless otherwise noted**) are the last Thursday of each month at 6:00 pm. See Contact page for location information.

- **Friday January 26th 2018— Savannah Tech— Steve Cook**
- **Thursday February 22nd 2018—Case Wood-working Supply—Fran DiTommaso**
- **Thursday March 29th 2018— Case Wood-working Supply—Al Medlock**
- **Friday April 27th 2018— Savannah Tech—**
- **Saturday April 28th 2018—Savannah Tech— Robert Lyon Workshop [Tentative]**
- **Sunday April 29th—Savannah Tech—Pen Making/Woodturning Intro Class—Lonnie Bott and others**
- **May 31st 2018—Location TBD, Demonstrator TBD**
- **June 28th 2018—Location TBD, Demonstrator TBD**
- **July 26th 2018—Location TBD, Demonstrator TBD**
- **August 30th 2018—Location TBD, Demonstrator TBD**
- **September 27th 2018—Location TBD, Demonstrator TBD**
- **October 25th 2018—Location TBD, Demonstrator TBD**
- **November 29th 2018—Location TBD, Demonstrator TBD**
- **December 14th 2018—Location TBD, Demonstrator TBD**

Woodturning News

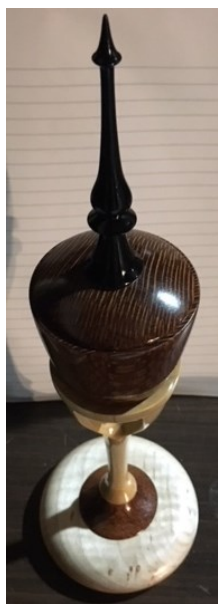
Here is something you don't see every day, and something that should make you proud to be a wood turner. This is professional golfer Justin Thomas after winning the SBS Tournament of Champions in Hawaii in 2017. Notice the trophy...Looks like Norfolk Island Pine to me, but since it is probably a 'local' Hawaii wood species, I doubt it.



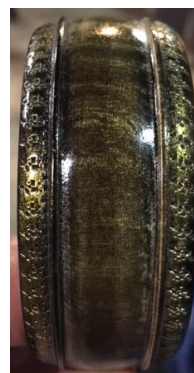
Reminder—2018 Dues are due now. You can pay the \$35 fee at the January meeting.

LCT December Instant Gallery

Here are pictures of the fine pieces brought in by LCT members for the December meeting. I apologize for not getting the information on who made what. DJM.



A variety of pieces done using products from Chroma-Craft. Thanks Don & Steve.



DVD/Video Tape Library

Does anyone in the club have any woodturning DVD's they would like to donate or loan to the club to share with other members?

Do you have a suggestion for a DVD you would like

Take advantage of this valuable and money saving resource.

to see the club make available to members? If so, talk to a board member.

Woodturning Schools

The following schools in the Southeast offer classes in woodturning, as well as other arts and crafts. Check out their websites to see the scheduled course offerings.

John C. Campbell Folk School www.folkschool.org

Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts www.arrowmont.org

Highland Woodworking www.highlandwoodworking.com

Appalachian Center for Crafts www.tntech.edu/craftcenter

Woodcraft of Atlanta www.woodcraft.com

LCT Woodturning Mentors

Take your skills to the next level. Have more fun.

The following club members are offering their time and shops to help others in the club on an informal basis with their turning skills or projects. If you have something you would like help with, or just want to spend some time turning with a fellow turner, give them a call or talk to them at a meeting to set something up.

If you would like to be added to this list, contact Doug McCulloch (see Contacts page).

Roy Yarger—Savannah

Lonnie Bott—Savannah

Doug McCulloch—South Savannah / Skidaway

Frank Anson—Beaufort SC, specializing in segmented turning

Noel Wright—Isle of Hope / Savannah

Contacts

www.lowcountryturners.com

Meeting Location:
Case Woodworking Supply
1725 Grove Point Rd
Savannah GA 31419



The Lowcountry Turners (LCT) is a chapter of the American Association of Woodturners (AAW), dedicated to providing education, information and organization to those interested in woodturning.

The LCT services those in the metro Savannah area. We meet on the last Thursday of each month at 6:00 P.M. at Case Woodworking Supply. Meetings are open to all. Parking is available outside the building.

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Steve Cook, Program Chairman	912-313-2230	
Bridget Harron, Education		
Jeff Amacher, Equipment		
Tanya Malik, Webmaster		

Woodturning Links

American Association of Woodturners

www.woodturner.org
Woodturning Association

Craft Supply

www.woodturnerscatalog.com
800-551-8876
Woodturning Supplies

Packard

www.packardwoodworks.com
800-683-8876
Woodturning Supplies

Klingspor

www.woodworkingshop.com
800-228-0000
Abrasives and woodturning supplies

Highland Woodworking

www.highlandhardware.com
800-241-6748
Woodworking tools, supplies

Peachtree Woodworking Supply Inc.

www.ptreeusa.com
888-512-9069
Turning and carving tools, supplies

Penn State

www.pennstateind.com
800-377-7297
Woodturning tools, supplies

Hut Products

www.hutproducts.com
800-547-5461
Woodturning tools, supplies

Atlanta Wood Products

www.hardwoodweb.com
800-964-7804
Specialty Hardwoods

Woodcraft of Atlanta

www.woodcraft.com
770-587-3372
Woodworking and Hardware

Rockler

www.rockler29.com
800-279-4441
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Wood magazine Forum

www.woodmagazine.com
Q & A on Woodturning

Closing

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Your LCT questions, comments and suggestions are

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