



# THE CHIP PILE

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CTWA Meetings

## JANUARY MEETING

Tuesday, January 17, 2005  
7:00 - 9:00 PM  
American YouthWorks - Austin, Texas  
1901 East SH 71  
(about 1/4 mile east of I-35 on south side of  
SH 71)

## FIRST SATURDAY TURNOUT

The First Saturday Turnout for  
February will be held on February  
4, at Steve Gottlieb's shop, 14421  
Agarita Road, Austin.

Suddenly, a loud "BANG," the screech of brakes and a quick trip onto the median ended my musing and kind of got the adrenaline flowing. A two-foot section of steel pipe made quick work on the undercarriage of my van, necessitating a Christmas week to repair or replace our vehicle. But when all was said and done, I could not help but come back to the same conclusion. No one was hurt, the vehicle was repaired, all this happened about 25 miles from our final destination and the cell phone was

managed to set a pretty good example of how our club should be administered. I can only hope to maintain the momentum in the areas of member participation and fulfilling our charter through various outreach programs.

I am very pleased that we have managed to entice some new players to become officers in the club for 2006 and hope to continue in that vein with the opportunities available both with the upcoming Cindy Drozda demos and this year's SWAT Symposium. As you all know by now, Stacy Hager has done a lot of legwork to get Cindy Drozda committed to spend a week with us in the Spring. We should all thank him for his efforts. But don't think that we are out of the woods yet. It is surprising how many details need to be coordinated even after booking the demonstrator. So, we are still seeking volunteers to coordinate such details as ticket sales, refreshments and advertising.

From the President's Shop

## Thoughts on a New Year

2005 was an eventful year for me. Driving out to west Texas to spend Christmas with relatives, I was musing about how fortunate I am. Having enjoyed a couple of years of "active retirement," Jan and I have taken a couple of fun road trips, still enjoy good health, have lots of interests and never enough time to fully explore them - how lucky could we be! Yes, we still have all of the challenges of life, like everyone else. We both have aging parents to worry about, normal aches and pains and the ever-present rising fuel prices to contend with. But still ...

charged. Despite all the little bumps along the road, life goes on.

Like the rest of life, CTWA was a very positive experience last year as well. We had some great demos, I got to go to the SWAT Symposium in Wichita Falls, participated in the Lyle Jamieson workshop in the spring, made some more good friends and found a way to give something back to the club by being an officer. Thanks to the able tutelage of Fred Stidman, I feel like I have a pretty good grasp on what needs to be done this year. Along with the rest of last year's board, Fred

SWAT is an area in which I got a bit aggressive. The Symposium is returning to Temple again this year. Despite the fact that we hosted it two years ago, I felt that it would be an opportunity to get more folks involved in the club. So I signed us up to lead the effort. By sharing the responsibility with nearby clubs, we can reduce the effort required by any given individual. In addition, we do have the experience of the last SWAT committee to build on. But, again, there are many details to be worked out. Positions on the SWAT committee should provide ample opportunity for contributing to your club in the coming months. The chairman for this committee still remains to be identified but I feel confident that person will have lots of support from the rest of the club.

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One final thought regarding our club's upcoming year deals with our charter to educate and promote the art of woodturning. In the past year, the club participated in classes at the

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This newsletter is by and for members. The Editor welcomes any written materials and will provide assistance with getting your information into publishable form if you want. **DEADLINE IS THE FIRST MONDAY OF THE MONTH.** Contact me with your ideas and drafts by phone at 512.295.2144, by E-mail at [ckay@austin.rr.com](mailto:ckay@austin.rr.com) or mail them to:

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Settlement House, donated art pieces to the YouthWorks silent auction and participated in the Freedom Pen turning event at Woodcraft. Please feel free to suggest similar activities, which you think we might pursue in these areas.

So, it looks like it will be a fun and challenging year for CTWA. I'm definitely looking forward to the many diverse opportunities our club offers us.

Now, if I can just find time to delve into that stack of woodturning ideas I have developed (or plagiarized) during the last twelve months. At least we are past the Christmas craft show and gift-giving season so I can concentrate more on blissful experimentation.

Len

He uses the tool free hand in a U-shaped holder of his own design. He surely got some long thin shavings!

As part of his discussion, Stacey also discussed some of his favorite safety equipment, including a pair of thin computer assembly gloves (Hagermeir) and a full face shield (UVEX 4RB55) - available from Grainger.



Thanks to Stacey for an enlightening evening.

## November Demo

### Miscellany

Our November 2005 meeting saw CTWA stalwart and our favorite professor, **Stacey Hager**, enlightening us on a number of matters.

Stacey began his presentation by expounding on use of the Golden Mean in design. This included a discussion of the Fibonacci

Series, its derivation (each number in the Series is the sum of the two previous numbers) and its ubiquity in nature. Fibonacci was a mathematical genius who also introduced Arabic numerals



to the west in the twelfth century. Stacey illustrated his design discussion with examples of the Golden Mean from nature, as well as with design examples that comply with the Golden Mean as well as others that do not. He then discussed the specifics of how to apply the principle to the design of turning projects.

When he was done with the Golden Mean discussion, Stacey proceeded to demonstrate how he hollows vessels using the Hamlet shield hollowing tool.

## Bring Back Raffle

**Jim Brinkman** was the

winner of a mesquite bowl turned by

**Jimmy Tolly.**

**Joe Kirk**

took home a Pregnant

Goblet turned from mahogany

any by **Bill Hammack.**

**Sherry Spell**

had the lucky ticket for a

walnut toothpick holder

turned by **Frank Miller.**



**Clyde Little** took home a Christmas ornament turned from spalted elm and mesquite by **Gary Roberts.**

All of the winners will bring back a turned item to the next meeting. These items should be



representative of each person's best work.



It should be noted that the Bring Back Raffle is meant to be a fun event. No one is grading you on the quality of your work. Just bring a piece that represents the best that YOU can do. If you don't have a lathe or feel like you have enough experience, contact one of our Volunteer

Instructors to help you prepare a Bring Back piece. So buy a ticket and get involved and have fun.



**Bob Elfant** showed two bowls.



**Stacey Hager** brought two pieces, a candle holder turned from cherry and



finished with shellac and wax as well as a vase turned from sycamore and finished with tung oil.

**H. O. Evans** shared two pieces, a 22 layer urn made up of 484 pieces of beech and maple, as well as a maple Christmas Thing.



**Jimmy Tolly** brought along a number of pieces: a lifted



square plate turned from lyptus and finished with lacquer, a mesquite bowl finished with lacquer, a keepsake box and bottle stoppers turned from mescal bean wood and finished with friction polish,

a mesquite and Japan stone-ware bowl finished with spray lacquer and mesquite bottle stoppers finished with friction polish.



Photos for this month were provided by **Drew Shelton** and **Jimmy Tolly**.

## Business Meeting

There were 49 attendees at our November 15, 2005, meeting, including four visitors.

Betty Hager was elected as Librarian and Gene Stokes as Program Chairman for 2006, completing our Officer corps for next year. Thanks to Betty and Gene for agreeing to serve.

Charlie Kay reminded members that the club Christmas Party would be at his house and shop on Saturday, December 10.

This get-together will be in lieu of the December First Saturday event. A sign-up sheet was passed for covered dishes for the meal. The club is to provide the meet and drinks. Members were reminded to bring a nice item handmade of wood for the gift exchange.

Len Brisette made an appeal for volunteers to host monthly First Saturday events for 2006, now that we no longer have a fixed place to meet.

A show of hands was called for regarding interest in demos and hands-on sessions by Cindy Drozda for next spring. There being enough interest, Stacey Hager agreed to try to make the necessary arrangements

Johnny and Marcia Tolly have ordered more Anchor Seal, and it is available for \$8.00 per gallon. Contact them directly to make arrangements. If you have one of the industrial plastic bottles from last time, be sure to bring it along.

## Show and Tell

**Drew Shelton** brought three pieces, a manzanita burl bowl finished with walnut oil and Beall, an olive burl bowl that had not yet had a finish applied and a Mark Sfirri style candlestick finished with walnut oil.



ful bowls, this one of blackened and bleached cedar elm, finished with lacquer.



**Jack Besperka** showed off another of his beautiful



ful bowls, this one of blackened and bleached cedar elm, finished with lacquer.



**Jerry Whiteaker** displayed a nice little Chinese Hat box, turned from Arizona ash and finished with

Shellwax.

## Gilding the lily

Incoming President **Len Brissette** will set an example for all of us by providing the demonstration for our January meeting.

Len will be showing various inlay techniques and their application to enhancing turnings. He will focus primarily on rim treatments using various materials, including metal, Inlace, turquoise and eggshell. His demo is intended to cover

the basics, show the use of a variety of materials and stimulate some creative ideas in the audience.

He expects to offer something for everyone from the raw beginner to advanced turners. We look forward to seeing what Len has to offer us.

As you all know, since Charlie Collins has retired and had to close his shop, we no longer have a fixed place for our monthly First Saturday get-together. As an alternative, we are moving to a rotating Shop Crawl schedule. Ideally, we would like to alternate between north Austin and south Austin locations. Things got off to a good start in January at Mack Peterson's shop in Wimberley (see related article and photos). We have a number of volunteers already lined up for 2006, but we still have

some vacancies. If you would like to host one of these events, let Len Brissette or Drew Shelton know.

If you are interested in hosting, you might want to know what is expected of you. These are very informal meetings, intended for sharing tips and techniques. Basically, people bring small projects and a few folks bring mini-lathes. If you have some small blanks for folks to demo on, that might be helpful. But usually the turning that goes on involves either projects that people bring with them or demonstrations of techniques for new members.

These First Saturdays usually last from about 9:00 AM until noon or 1:00 PM, so you do not need play host all day. Space requirements include room for two or three mini-lathes plus the host's lathe, as well as room for fifteen or twenty folks to wander around, eat

donuts and swap tales.

Since this is a "shop crawl," expect that folks will be interested in your shop set-up and any special provisions you have made for the way you work in your

## 2006 First Saturday Shop Crawl Schedule

January 7  
 February 4  
 March 4  
 April 1  
 May 6  
 June 3  
 July 1  
 August 5  
 September 2  
 October 7  
 November 4  
 December 9 (Christmas Party)

Mack Peterson  
 Steve Gottlieb  
**Volunteer Needed**  
 Len Brissette  
 Bill Hammack  
 Stacey Hager  
**Volunteer Needed**  
 Craig Timmerman  
**Volunteer Needed**  
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shop. It is also a chance for you to show off your toys as well. I think everyone that has hosted or been to one of these has enjoyed it.

If you are interested in hosting one of these events, here is a schedule for the rest of the year, indicating the vacant dates.

If you haven't already paid your CTWA dues for 2006, now is the time to do so. We need your help to keep providing you with a newsletter, our web site, to finish paying for our demonstration lathe and to pay for demonstrators from outside our club. Your dues also help subsidize, to a limited extent, the world class turners who come to demonstrate for us from time to time, such as Cindy Drozda this coming spring.

By now, you have received your ballot and 2006 dues notice from the AAW. You have also received a renewal registration form for your CTWA dues by E-mail from Membership Chairman Drew Shelton. **DO NOT SEND YOUR AAW DUES TO AAW.** We are a 100 per cent AAW affiliate, and your AAW dues will be collected along with your 2006 CTWA dues and the club will send a check and list of members to the AAW.

Please fill out the CTWA renewal registration form and either send it to Drew or bring it to the meeting, along with your check made out to CTWA for either \$65 (single) or \$70 (family). Filling out the registration form will assure that we have up-to-date information on your mailing and E-mail addresses as well as the best phone number to contact you.

The continued vitality and success of CTWA depends on your participation and your financial support. Thanks for your help.

The Alamo Woodturners have arranged for Australian woodturner **George Hatfield** to visit Texas for the month of May. He will be doing a demonstration and two Hands-On days the weekend of May 13 and 14. George will be at the Hill Country Woodturners the weekend of May 20 and 21.

Expect more details soon. If you are interested in taking in these sessions, you will probably be able to get more details on the Alamo

Woodturners and Hill Country Turners web sites.

You may want to check out the CTWA Web Site at [www.CTWA.org](http://www.CTWA.org). If you have comments, suggestions or something for the gallery, get in touch with **Webmaster Larry Walrath** at [larry@larrywalrath.com](mailto:larry@larrywalrath.com).

## Cindy Drozda

Through the efforts of **Stacey Hager**, we have arranged for renowned turner **Cindy Drozda** to come to Austin in April for a weekend of demonstrations followed by Hands-On sessions.

Cindy is an outstanding demonstrator, and her tiny, ornate boxes are truly works of art. If you are not familiar with Cindy and her work, you can check it out at [www.cindydrozda.com](http://www.cindydrozda.com).

There will be four half-day demonstrations on Saturday, April 8 and Sunday, April 9. These demonstrations will be followed by a one-day Hands-On session on Monday, April 10, then a three-day workshop (April 11, 12 and 13). If there is enough demand, it might also be possible to add another one-day session on Friday, April 14.

Although pricing has not been set yet, but we expect to price the four half-day demonstration sessions individually (in the past, about \$15 per session), with a price break for signing up for all four sessions. Workshops are usually limited to 6 participants and in the past have run about \$120 per day.

We will be getting more details and final pricing out soon, so make your plans to attend as many of these events as you can. We will be promoting these events with neighboring clubs as well, so you will want to plan to sign up early.

year. It was a great fun, and few of the gifts escaped being "stolen," a number of



there at 9:00 to kick things off, and we had seven lathes cranking away, dirtying up my freshly cleaned shop. **Jim Spano** intrigued everyone by turning his "Whatzit."



The **Tolly twins** shamed **Stacey Hager** into turning a handwheel for my Oneway out of mesquite, for which I am grateful. **Dave Dick** was there turning pens and a good many more folks trying their hand on one of the lathes from time to time.

them more than once, despite the best efforts of their possessors to keep them hidden.

Of course, there was turning and fellowship as well. **Jimmy Tolly** and **Drew Shelton** were



If you didn't make the Party, you missed a really enjoyable day, so plan to put it on your list for next year.



## Christmas Party

Saturday, December 10 found some 35 or so CTWA members and spouses gathering at the Kay's home for the annual Christmas Party. There was smoked turkey, ham, lots of covered side dishes and lots of



good desserts, including a beautiful and tasty yule log cake baked by **Susan Gardner**. Thanks to **Janie Kay** for all her effort in getting ready for this annual event.

Following the luncheon, our usual Christmas Emcee, Betty Hager, again presided over the gift exchange. It is always interesting to see just what variations her rules will contain this





Thanks to Frank Miller and Drew Shelton for the Christmas Party photographs.

## CTWA Supporters

We don't recognize often enough those businesses that support our club. If you don't already do so, be sure to support those folks that support us, either through discounts or gift certificates.

Hogan Hardwoods  
Woodcraft  
Craft Supplies USA  
The Cutting Edge  
Woodline USA

## Photos

Photographs for this month's **CHIP PILE** were provided by **Drew Shelton, Frank Miller and Jimmy Tolly**. If you have digital photos that you would like to have considered for use in the newsletter. Send them to the Editor at [ckay@austin.rr.com](mailto:ckay@austin.rr.com).

## Calendar

The calendar listings are an attempt to keep you up to date on upcoming CTWA events, as well as other events of particular interest to woodturners.

Jan 17, 2006 - 7:00 to 9:00 PM

*CTWA Meeting - American YouthWorks*

Feb 4, 2006 - 9:00 AM to Noon

*First Saturday - Steve Gottlieb's Shop*

Feb 21, 2006 - 7:00 to 9:00 AM

*CTWA Meeting - American YouthWorks*

Mar 4, 2006 - 9:00 AM to Noon

*First Saturday - Location to be Announced*

March 21 - 7:00 to 9:00 AM

*CTWA Meeting - American YouthWorks*

April 1, 2006 - 9:00 AM to Noon

*First Saturday - Len Brissette's Shop*

## First Saturday

About 15 folks journeyed south to Wimberley and **Mack Peterson's** shop for the first First Saturday of 2006. Now the north siders know how we southerners felt when heading up to **Charlie Collin's** shop. It's a looong way.

Mack has a really nice shop with probably as many tools as **Stacey**

**Hager**. That includes a brand new Oneway 2436. Thanks to recent surgery, he really hasn't had a chance to break it in yet, so **Craig Timmerman** did the honors for him, trying out the Oneway hollowing rig.

We had four mini-lathes going as well. **Frank Miller** was off on a new toothpick holder design, using his newly shop built expanding mandrel. **Stacey** was giving skew lessons and **Charlie Kay** was turning bottle stoppers, while **Drew Shelton** was working on a Jim Spano Whatzit until the glue joint failed.

Lots of coffee, conversation and Round Rock donuts (thanks, Drew), and it

was nearly 1:00 before we finally got out of Mack's way and headed home. Of course the being the CTWA Liar's Club, nine or ten of us stopped by the Salt Lick for barbecue on the way home.

Plan now to attend next month's First Saturday at

**Steve Gottlieb's** shop. It is a little more centrally located, on Lake Travis.

See you there.

Thanks to Drew for the photos.



## Good Advice

At the first week of January, 2006, all CELL PHONE numbers are being released to telemarketing companies and you will start to receive sale calls. YOU WILL BE CHARGED MINUTES FOR THOSE CALLS !

To prevent this, call the following number from your cell phone:

1.888.382.1222. This is the national "do not call list." It only takes a minute and blocks your number for five years. You can also go to [www.donotcall.gov](http://www.donotcall.gov), and register up to three numbers, also for five years. This site was VERY efficient.

Jim Spano

## E-mail

It is your responsibility to see that Membership Chairman **Drew Shelton** has your correct E-mail address. You can contact him at [drew.shelton@sematech.org](mailto:drew.shelton@sematech.org).

We regularly use E-mail to advise members of important announcements on short notice. If Drew doesn't have your current E-mail address, we can't contact you.

## Volunteer Instructors

The following turners have generously offered to open their shops and give their time to any member who wants to learn how to sharpen their tools, sharpen their skills, learn how to make a bowl or "test" the newest tool. Check out the people who bring items to Show and Tell. One trait common to all woodturners is that we all like to share, so just ask!

### SOUTH

Odie Bull	512.442.2687
Bill Hammack	512.282.0832
Stacey Hager	512.282.1036
Johnny Tolly	512.858.4471
Jimmy Tolly	512.894.0686

**NOTE: The Tolly brothers work strange shifts, so they may be available on times other than weekends.**

H. O. Evans	512.282.2830
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**NOTE: Ho would like to confine his assistance to his specialty, segmented turnings.**

### NORTH

Rusty Myers	512.218.1606
Frank Miller	512.335.4768
Judy Williams	512.836.7897

### ROUND ROCK

Larry Walrath	512.255.5379
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### LOCKHART/SAN MARCOS

David Dick	512.357.6517
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## From the Editor's Desk

I've been turning some pieces out of some pecan that I have had blocked up for a couple of years, so that it is dry enough to not move. I enjoy the pecan because of all of the colors that you encounter in the same log. This particular stuff really intrigues me, because you can see the 1950s in it. For those of you that didn't live in Texas in the '50s, those were the years of the most severe drought since records have been kept here. Some eight or nine years of rainfall some 50 to 60 per cent of normal, throughout the state. You can see those years in a set of very, very thin growth rings in this wood. Water was a major issue everywhere, when the state's population was perhaps a third of what it is now.

Similar conditions occurred in Texas during the Dust Bowl days of the 1930s, as well. With the unseasonably warm winter and the lack of rainfall in the last five months (just 24 inches at my house, compared to the 30 inches or so that would be average last year) you have to wonder if we are headed into another siege of long-term drought. That wouldn't be fun for anyone.

Enough of that gloomy stuff.

I trust that all of you had a great holiday season. Ours was a great deal of fun this year, with the CTWA Christmas party kicking the season off for us. We enjoyed having everyone out for the day and sharing the food and fellowship. Thanks to all who contributed.

Our granddaughter was here for a week, and helped Janie and me prepare Christmas dinner. I smoked another turkey and made the corn-bread stuffing while Janie and Katie took care of the sides and the deserts. Our kids were here, as well as our youngest son's in-laws. How luck we are to be in good health, well enough off to have an active retirement and do the things we want to do and have our sons living in the same town.

I've now been turning for five years, and think I am beginning to learn how to do a few things fairly well. What is interesting is that I am just now beginning to "get" some of the things that I have been told by instructors and demonstrators over the years. I was doing some of the things, but hadn't really connected the terms and

descriptions they used with what I was doing. I am still a beginner, but I now think there is hope for me. I do know that I am so enthralled with wood turning that my other woodworking interests have kind of gone begging. My table saw, planer and jointer have pretty much turned into horizontal storage spaces.

I am looking forward to 2006. Gene already has several demonstrators lined up that look interesting, and having Cindy Drozda here in April should be quite a treat. I have watched her demonstrate several times at Symposia, and she does a terrific job. She is also one of our most talented turners these days. Her tiny finial boxes are always a delight.

Then there will be the AAW Symposium and SWAT in the fall. Being the host club again will be a lot of work, but we have a lot of folks, and everyone always pitches in to get the job done.

Well, I'd best put this issue to bed and get it on it's way to Larry to post on the web site. Then I'm gonna go do my rain dance.

Keep on turning,

Charlie

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## Membership in CTWA

New members are welcome to join CTWA at any time. All you need is an interest in woodturning. CTWA membership also requires membership in the American Association of Woodturners (AAW). Local dues are \$25.00 per year, or \$2.10 per month prorated for new members joining during the year. AAW dues are \$40.00 per year for individuals and \$45.00 for families. For that you get a first class quarterly magazine, **American Woodturner**, with excellent articles on woodturning and woodturners, amply illustrated with photographs.

If you are interested in learning more about membership or want to join CTWA, contact our Membership Chairman:

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## CLASSIFIED ADS

*Free personal classified ads are available to all members of CTWA to sell, buy or trade woodworking related items. To place an ad, contact Charlie Kay at 512.295.2144 or via E-mail at [ckay@austin.rr.com](mailto:ckay@austin.rr.com). Ads will be run for two months and then dropped.*

**FOR SALE:** Powermatic Model 45. Old, but in good working order. Variable speed, one HP, 12x36, heavy (about 400 lb.). Comes with faceplates, drive center, live center, etc. Will help you deliver. \$700.

Contact Len Brissette at 512.423.3625, or E-mail at [mesquite@austin.rr.net](mailto:mesquite@austin.rr.net).

**FOR SALE:** Shop-Vac 16 gallon wet/dry vacuum, 4 peak HP with hose, wand and floor nozzle. 35 OBO.

Contact Jim Spano at 512.835.5023 or by E-mail at [jimjoy@austin.rr.com](mailto:jimjoy@austin.rr.com).

**FOR SALE:** TURN BIG STUFF!  
Tripod style outboard stand for Powermatic lathe. Really heavy duty, tool rest adjusts to work with

most large lathes. (I have turned a 6-1/2 foot diameter table top with this stand.) Probably weighs 150 pounds. Like new. First \$250.00 at my shop.

Contact S. Gary Roberts at 512-345-1521 or by E-mail at [Sgicr71@cs.com](mailto:Sgicr71@cs.com).

**FOR SALE:** Now you can turn those big bowls that you've always wanted to. Woodfast shortbed lathe, 20" throw, 16" centers, 1.5 HP variable speed with reverse. Includes face plate, wrenches, tool rest, spur drive,



live center. This lathe is in excellent condition and both motor and controller are brand new. Listed at \$3,400 in last year's Craft Supplies catalog. Will sell for \$1,650 and help you deliver.

Contact Charlie Kay at 512.295.2144 or E-mail at [ckay@austin.rr.com](mailto:ckay@austin.rr.com).

**FOR SALE:** Johnny Tolly has a pickup topper for sale. It is a white aluminum topper for trucks such as Ford Rangers and other small trucks. It is 87 inches long and 50 inches wide and has three doors one on each side and the back, all with locks. Since it is white, it should go with any color pickup. Price is \$100.00; cost almost \$500.00 new.

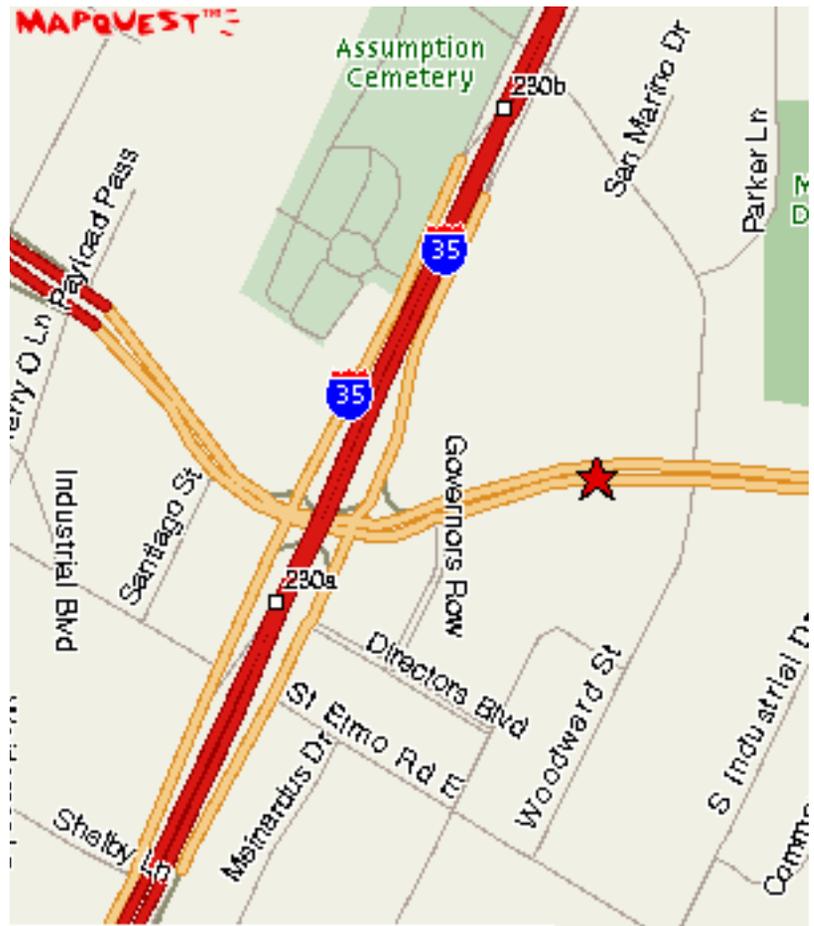
Contact Johnny at 512.858.4471 (home) or 512.922.1241 (cell), or by E-mail at [johntolly@austin.rr.com](mailto:johntolly@austin.rr.com).

**FREE:** I have just acquired a new lathe, my old one was an ancient Rockwell with a 3/4 inch thread on the head. I have a 3 in inboard plate and an 8 inch outboard plate (wrong way threads), a spur center, the tool rest and even the lathe bed. These are free for the asking. The rest of the lathe was becoming dangerous and has been ditched.

Contact Peter Clarke at 512.249.2156 or [cclarke4@austin.rr.com](mailto:cclarke4@austin.rr.com).

## Meeting Location

The CTWA meets at American Youth-Works, 1901 East Ben White Boulevard (Texas 71) in south Austin. The building is on the south side of Ben White, just east of Interstate 35. The best entry is off Woodward Street, just south of a little strip center. You enter an alleyway into a lighted parking lot. We will enter through the back door. As you drive in, you will see a truck dock in the back of the building with a big roll-up white door. The entryway is just to the right of the truck dock. Because of the construction at Ben White and I-35, folks from the north may want to exit I-35 at Woodward and proceed south on Woodward across Ben White. Folks from the south might do better to go east on St. Elmo, then north on Woodward. Those coming from the west on Ben White will just have to fight their way through until the construction is finished. See you at the meeting.



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