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# The Chip Pile

The Newsletter of the Central Texas Woodturners Association  
Austin, Texas

A Chapter of the American Association of Woodturners

**Meeting**  
**October 15, 7 PM**  
**Demonstrator**  
**Craig Timmerman**

American Youthworks - Austin, Texas  
1901 East SH 71  
1/4 mile East of I-35 South side of 71

**2020 CTWA Officers**  
**Nominations**  
**October 15 Meeting**  
**Elections**  
**November 19 Meeting**

**November 2 First Saturday**  
**Hosted by**  
**Bill Stuewe**

**President's Note**  
**Jason Tunnell**

Don't forget to bring your auction items for American Youthworks to the October 15 meeting.

President's challenge for October is a free hand sphere.

Categories:

Best shape

Smallest

Most unique

Jim Spano's demo multi-axis square bowl turning.

**Sept. Meeting Summary**  
**By Cortland Hunt**

The September 17, 2019 meeting was called to order by President Jason Tunnell at 7:11pm, approximately 54 people were in attendance.

Guests: Don Wells, Austin; Terry Bahney, Austin; Tony & Corrie Todaro, Belton; Bob Racini, Boston, MA

Gary Beers announced that Blair Feller is stepping down from membership chair, we need a volunteer to take over this responsibility.

Please bring all donation pieces for the Youth Works Auction, these donations are part of our way in thanking Youth Works for the use of their facility.

**Membership in CTWA**

We welcome NEW MEMBERS to join our band of merry turners anytime. An interest in woodturning is the only requirement. Dues are \$35/year, prorated \$3/month for new members. \$45/year for a family membership.

With your membership, whether you are experienced or a novice, we will teach you, or learn from you. You will build long-lasting friendships based on a common kinship of matching wood, metal, machine, and man or woman as the case may be.

CTWA members are also encouraged to join the American Association of Woodturners (AAW). AAW provides an extensive

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resource for articles, tips, and videos for all areas related to woodturning. AAW dues are Individual \$60 (\$50 for online); Family \$65 includes up to 3 family members in the same household. Visit the AAW website at [www.woodturner.org](http://www.woodturner.org) for full details and membership form.

### Club News

The club Christmas party will be Saturday December 14 at Clyde and Pat Little's home. It starts at 9AM in the shop and lunch will be served around noon. Clyde and Pat are traveling and will return for the party.

Pat has asked Marcia Tolly to circulate a signup sheet. If you plan to attend sign the list and indicate the number of attendees from your family and what dish you will be bringing. Pat provides the Turkey and ham everyone else brings a dish for the potluck dinner.

**Pat needs an accurate count of attendees to know how many chairs to provide.**

### 2020 Demo Poll

Gary Beers has received few responses to his request for votes. Please review the info in the table on the next page and respond to Gary with your vote. [gbeersjr@hotmail.com](mailto:gbeersjr@hotmail.com)

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Drew and Therese Shelton**

### 2019 Calendar

The calendar listing as an attempt to keep you informed on upcoming CTWA events and other events of interest to wood turners. All 3rd Tuesday CTWA meetings are at American Youthworks (AYW) 7-9 PM.

Check the website <http://CTWA.org> for latest information and map.

All 1st Saturday events are from 9 AM to noon. Events and dates are subject to change. Watch for emails and check the website for updates.

**October 5 - First Saturday  
Hosted by Drew Shelton**

**October 15 - Meeting AYW 7 PM  
Demo - TBD**

**Nov 2 - First Saturday  
Hosted by Bill Stuewe**

**Nov 19 - Meeting AYM 7 PM  
Demo by Jim Brinkman**

**Dec 14 (Saturday) Christmas Party at  
Clyde and Pat Little's home**

### Volunteer Your Shop For First Saturday

- 1. It doesn't need to be big or fancy.**
- 2. We'll bring the lathes.**
- 3. You make the coffee.**
- 4. Drew Shelton brings Round Rock donuts and asks for donations from all who attend to help offset his costs.**
- 5. Have at least enough room for 1-2 turners (easy in the summer).**
- 6. Contact Joseph Schoenfeld to volunteer.**

<b>2020 Outside Demonstrator Options</b>	
<b>Demonstrator(s)</b>	<b>Website URL</b>
Carol Hall	<a href="http://www.thecarolhall.com">http://www.thecarolhall.com</a>
Sally Ault	<a href="http://www.sallyault.com">http://www.sallyault.com</a>
Sam Angelo	<a href="http://www.wyomingwoodturner.com">http://www.wyomingwoodturner.com</a>
Jeff Hornung	<a href="http://www.thewalnutlog.com">http://www.thewalnutlog.com</a>
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Joanne Sauvageau	<a href="https://joannesauvageau.com/home.html">https://joannesauvageau.com/home.html</a>
Ronald Campbell	<a href="https://azcarbide.com">https://azcarbide.com</a>
Dennis Fuge	<a href="http://www.timeforyou.net">http://www.timeforyou.net</a>
Keith Gotschall	<a href="http://www.keithgotschall.com">http://www.keithgotschall.com</a>
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Matt Monaco	<a href="https://www.monacobowls.com">https://www.monacobowls.com</a>
Willie Simmons	<a href="https://www.wpswoodturning.com">https://www.wpswoodturning.com</a>
Nick Agar	<a href="http://www.turningintoart.com">http://www.turningintoart.com</a>
Graem Priddle w/ Melissa Engler	<a href="http://graempriddle.com">http://graempriddle.com</a> <a href="http://www.melissaengler.com">http://www.melissaengler.com</a>

### September Instant Gallery

<b>Maker</b>	<b>Turning</b>	<b>Wood</b>	<b>Finish</b>
Jimmy Tolly	10" Platter	Escarpment Cherry	Paint Mahoneys Oil/ Lacquer
Jimmy Tolly	10.5" Platter	Escarpment Cherry	"
Jimmy Tolly	10.5" Platter	Escarpment Cherry	"
Jimmy Tolly	8.5" Bowl	Escarpment Cherry	Walnut Oil
Jim Howe	Spin Art Platter	??	Lacquer/Renaissance Wax
Jim Howe	Pig	??	HowardsOrange Oil/ Wax
Johnny Tolly	(4) Bowls	Cedar Elm	Walnut Oil
Suzi Parker	Harry Potter Wands	Oak/Walnut/Yew/ Scraps	Friction Polish
Saleem Shafi	Platter	Sycamore	Natural
Saleem Shafi	Tea Canisters	Elm & Ash	Walnut Oil
Saleem Shafi	Spoon	Walnut	Walnut Oil
Phil Freeburg	Bowl	Splated Pecan	Walnut Oil/WO Poly
Phil Freeburg	(3) Christmas Trees	Walnut/Texas Ebony/ Golden Rain Tree	Wax
Ron Skipper	Bowl	Hackberry/Mistletoe Scar	Briwax
Ron Skipper	Rose Bowl	Golden Rain Tree	Briwax
Pat Jenkins	Bowl	Ash & Cherry	Wax

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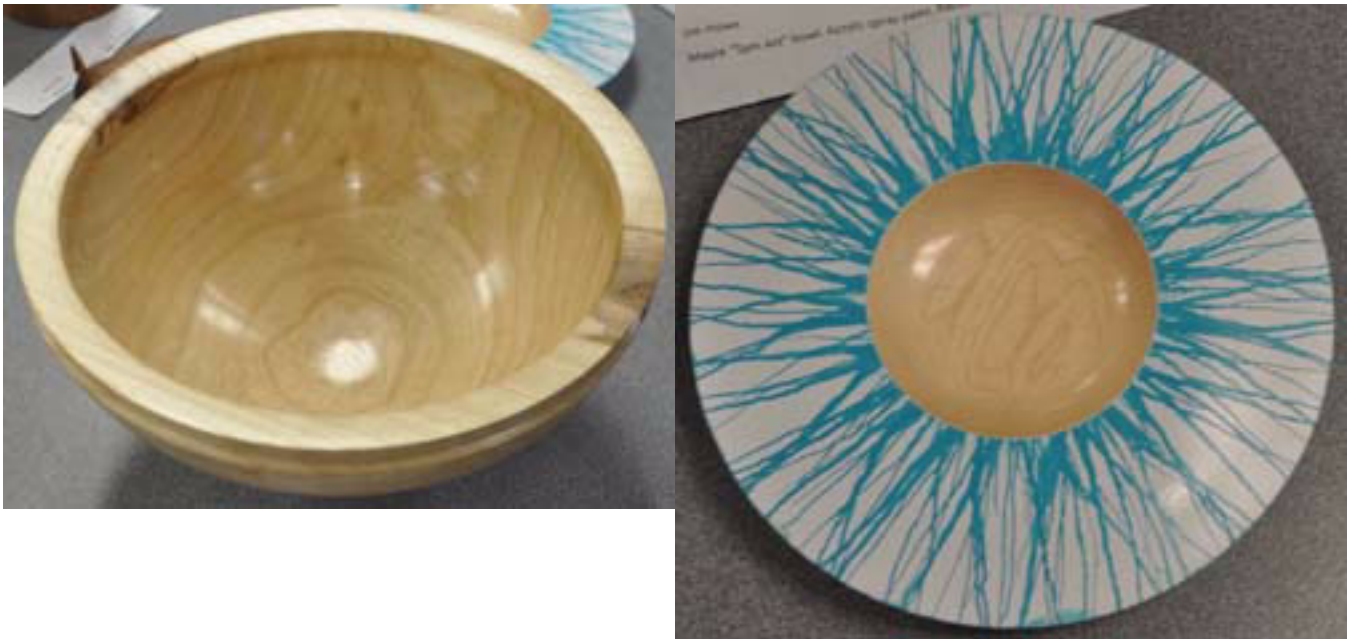
**Bring Back Donations and Winners**

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<b>Maker</b>	<b>Donation</b>	<b>Winner</b>
Suzi Parker	Harry Potter Wand	Pat Jenkins
Jason Tunnell	Texas Ebony Pen	Ron Skipper
Jason Tunnell	Cherry Sphere	Cortland Hunt
Jimmy Tolly	Black Cherry Plate	Ron Skipper
Charlie Kay	Lidded Hackberry Box w/ pyro	Greg Stowers
Charlie Kay	Lidded Boxw/pyro	Suzi Parker
Gary Beers	Mesquite/Blackwood Hol- low Form	Pat Jenkins
Jim Spano	Multi Axis Bowl	Craig Timmerman
Jim Spano	Mutli axis Bowl	Jason Tunnell
Gary Roberts	Christmas Ornament	Pat Jenkins

September Meeting Gallery













**What is it?**

September Demonstration - Square Bowl  
By Jim Spano

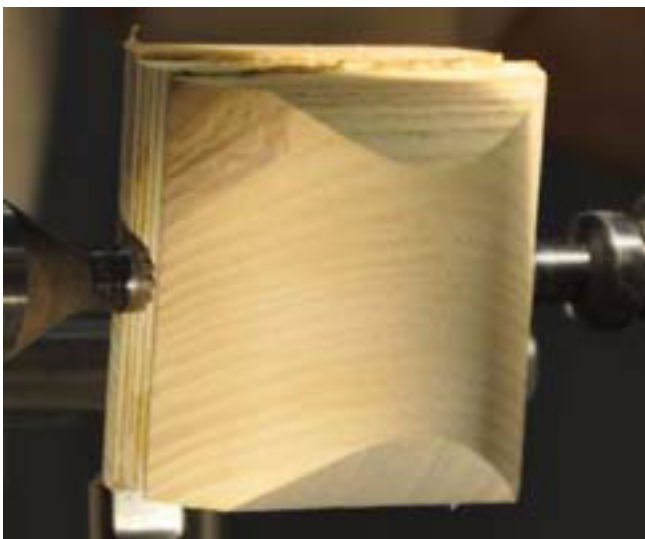


**Two bowl blanks glued  
to waste block in center**



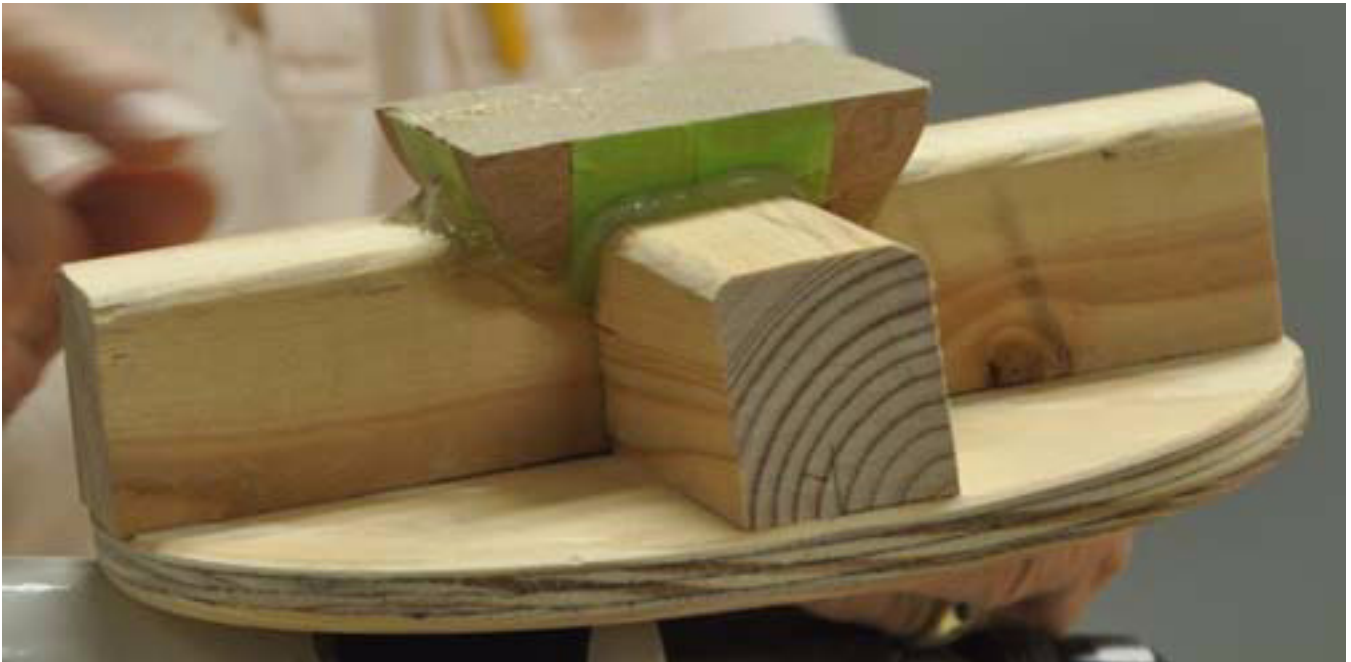


**One axis round**

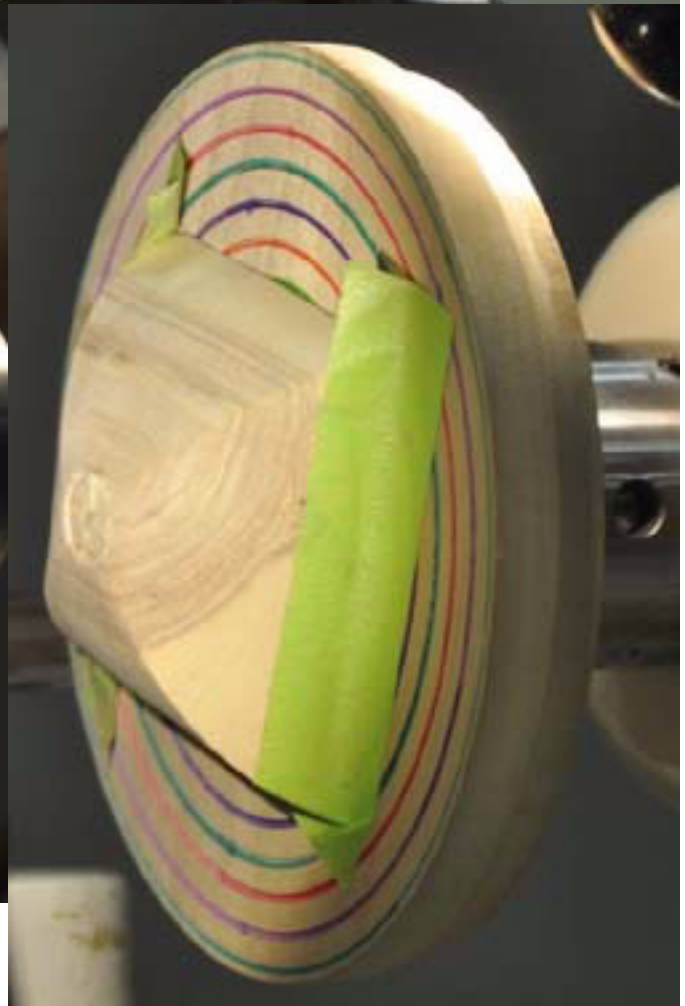


**Start rounding on second axis**





**Mounted for bowl hollowing**



**Reverse mounted with tape  
to finish the bowl bottom  
(Notice concentric circles  
on faceplate to help with centering)**



**Finished bowl**

September First Saturday - Hosted by Chris Van Peski  
Thanks for hosting Chris







Examples of Chris's work



**Wine Gift Boxes**



October First Saturday - Hosted by Drew Shelton  
Thanks for hosting Drew Photo credits: Therese Shelton





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