



December 2024

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Where: Indian River State College –3209 Virginia Ave. Bldg. Y,
Room Y 112—Southside of Campus

When: 2nd Saturday of every month at 9:00 Am

This month : 14 December

Next month: 11 January 2025



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**An Affiliate Chapter of the American Association
of Woodturners**

TCWG Presidents Letter

December 2024

Fellow woodturners

Hello everyone. Happy New Year. 2024 was a great year. 2025 will be even better. Thank you to all that came out to make the Heathcote Garden of Lights a great success. We have elected new officers. Julie Holzschuh is our new 1st Vice President, and Bruce Wills is the new Recording Secretary. Hats are ordered. 15 dollars apiece. It would be good if you emailed me with your interest and order. rjash2017@outlook.com. The St Lucie County Fair Dates are February 28 through March 09, 2025 Please read closely the secretary notes for both this month's meeting and the board meeting. I'll be demonstrating a platter. Next month's demo is tops. Hopefully we can get more of you up to speed so you can further help us through the year.

Respectfully

Bob Ashley

TCWG General Meeting Minutes

Call to order / Pledge of Allegiance at 4:41PM (Outdoors at Heathcote, no flag available for the Pledge)

MEMBERS PRESENT: 12

Recognition of Visitors/New Members – NTR

MINUTES from November meeting approved as presented (Barbara Best/Bob Haarer)

OFFICERS REPORTS:

Secretary: No Report

Treasurer: \$2,481

OLD BUSINESS: NTR

NEW BUSINESS:

- Bob Ashley reported that Varsity hats are available for \$15 each. Minimum order of 6 single color hats with TCWG logo.
- Bob Ashley is looking into getting materials to build screen for a 3rd lathe for events.
- Bob Haarer reported that we still have plenty of wood for St. Lucie County Fair and beyond.
- By-laws will be amended to make all officer terms 2 years. (Bob Haarer/Abe Laughin)

ELECTION OF OFFICERS:

- The following current officers stated their wish to remain in their current positions:

- o Pres: Bob Ashley
- o 1 st VP: Julie Holzschuh
- o 2 nd VP: Ed
- o Treasurer: Steve Lasher

- The following new officers were elected:

Treasure Coast Woodturners Guild

Board of Directors Meeting – 01/09-2025

Meeting called to order at 9:35am at Jack Shelton's shop

MEMBERS PRESENT: Bob Ashley (Pres), Julie Holzschuh (1VP), Steve Lasher (Treas), Bruce Wills (Sec), Bob Haarer, Jack Shelton

Treasurers Report:

- Current bank balance is \$1387.41. \$921 from Heathcote Garden of Lights to be deposited for a total of \$2,308.41.

- Recently paid:

- o \$631.48 (Hartford insurance.)
- o \$50 (Fed form)
- o \$61.25 (Sun Biz annual registration)
- o \$88.57 (new canopy top)
- o \$264.10 (Varsity hats)

Steve was unsure about IRSC rental payments. Bob A stated that \$600 was paid and accepted for 2025.

Future Obligations: - AAW (\$200ish)

Upcoming events:

- SLC Fair

Jack videoed disabled kids decorating wooden trees. Steve will check with Heathcote. to see if it's ok to use it in our publicity.

Social Media:

Discussion of the importance of social media to inform the public and increase membership.

Julie will initiate a club called Instagram and Meetup.com accounts.

Motion made to donate to Heathcote in the amount of \$150. Motion made – Bob H. Seconded – Julie. Passed unanimously.

Calendar: Bob A. provided copies of the calendar for the year for board members review/input.

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1/11/25 Meeting: Bob A. will demonstrate making a platter.

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Jack expressed the need to contact new members and/or longer-term members to get them to meetings. Board member assigned to contact members by phone. Bob A. will ask Ron. Several board members split up membership list.

Motion made– Bob A. Seconded – Jack unanimous.

Research a new webpage resource.

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Adjourned at 10:35AM. Motion – Bob A. Second – Jack S.

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TCWG Calendar

Treasure Coast Woodturners Guild 2025 Calendar					
Date	Mtg	Time	Demonstration	Other Agenda	Misc
Jan 2025					
11th	Club Meeting	9:00 to 10:00			
11th	Hands On	10:00 to 1:00	Platter		
9 th	Board Mtg	9:00 @ Jacks			
Feb					
8th	Club Mtg	9:00 to 10:00		St Lucie Fair Feb 28th	FL Symposium
8th	Hands On	10:00 to 1:00	Tops		Lakeland
					14th to 16th
March					
8th	Club Meeting	9:00 to 10:00		St Lucie Fair 28 th Mar 9th	
8th	Hands On	10:00 to 1:00	Rolling Pin		
April					
12th	Club Meeting	9:00 to 10:00			
12th	Hands On	10:00 to 1:00	Hollow Form		
			Small opening		
10th	Board Mtg	9:00 @Jacks			
May					
10th	Club Meeting	9:00 to 10:00			AAW
10th	Hands On	10:00 to 1:00	Hollow Form		Symposium
			Remove bottom		23 to 26th
June					
14th	Club Meeting	9:00 to 10:00			
14th	Hands On	10:00 to 1:00	Bowls		
21th		9:00 to 12:00		Turning Class	
28th		9:00 to 12:00		Turning Class	
July					
12th	Club Meeting	9:00 to 10:00			
12th	Hands On	10:00 to 1:00			
10th	Board Mtg	9:00 @ Jacks			
19th		9:00 to 12:00		Turning Class	
26th		9:00 to 12:00		Turning Class	

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TCWG Membership Application

Treasure Coast Woodturners Guild Membership Application

Name _____ Date _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Phone # _____

AAW member # _____

\$30 membership fee Cash, Check, or Credit Card

Show and Tell

Howard Neilsons Lathe



Treasure Coast Woodturners Guild



Don't forget to join the AAW, click on the following link: [AAW Registration](#)

TCWG Elected Officers			TCWG Appointed Officers		
Office	Name	Contact	Event Coordinator	Linda Dorough	events@tcwoodturners.org
President	Bob Ashley	rjash2017@outlook.com	Webmaster	Conrad Stegner	conrad.stegner@gmail.com
1st Vice President	Julie Holzschuh	juliesstufflh@gmail.com	Newsletter	Bob Ashley	rjash2017@outlook.com
2nd Vice President	Ed Stavish	exd691@hotmail.com	Club Email		info@tcwoodturner.org
Secretary	Bruce Wills	bwills@gmail.com	The Treasure Coast Woodturnings Guild mission is to promote woodturning as an art form to all that are interested. For more information on membership e-mail us at: rjash2017@outlook.com or visit our website: https://treasurecoastwoodturners.org		
Treasurer	Steve Lasher	Slasher1313@gmail.com			
Board Member	Bob Harrer	rhaarer@gmail.com			
Board Member	Ron Augustyne	raugust107@aol.com			
Librarian					