



# WEST PENNINE WOODTURNERS

## SEPTEMBER 2013 NEWSLETTER

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### Club Officers

#### President

Martin Payne

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Keith Goodchild

#### Treasurer

Steve Hall

#### Secretary

Jesse Butterworth

#### Librarian

David Mackin

#### Newsletter Editor

Martin Payne

#### Committee Members

Adrian Carter

Ben Pearson

Gary Brown

#### Co-opted

Trevor Butterworth

Trevor Holt

### July Meeting

Competition result

Subject – A Platter  
Judges – Granville Howarth  
and Colin Ellison.

#### A Class

1<sup>st</sup> Stewart Forbes  
2<sup>nd</sup> Dennis Moseley  
3<sup>rd</sup> Norman Sales

#### B Class

1<sup>st</sup> Mike Crossley  
2<sup>nd</sup> Michael Proops  
3<sup>rd</sup> Bill Kitchin  
3<sup>rd</sup> Bryan Greenwood

Our Chairman, Keith, gave us a demonstration on his method of making a box. To make sure that you were all taking note he will be judging

your efforts at the next meeting.

### October Meeting

This will be an open night although David Mackin has hinted that he was disappointed with his demo at the July meeting and will provide the entertainment. The competition is for a box and will be judged by Keith Goodchild.

### Monthly Meetings

#### November

Steve Hall and Xmas decoration

#### December

A.G.M. with pie and pea supper.

### Monthly Competitions

**November** – A Kitchen Utensil to be judged by the President (unless somebody volunteers)

**December** – A Christmas Decoration (To be donated to a local Hospice) to be judged by any member too miserable to enter the competition.

The poor entries we have had in many of our competitions recently would indicate that either we are picking the wrong subjects or our members aren't interested. The Committee would like your opinions or suggestions.

### Saturday Demonstrations

Our last demonstrator booked for this year is **Margaret Garrard** on Saturday October 19<sup>th</sup>. As usual the cost is £12 which includes refreshments and a buffet lunch.

See the list of demonstrators at local clubs at the end of this newsletter. Attendance at some of these demos by our members would help these clubs in the same way that we rely on visitors at our demos.

### Club Facilities

New members should be aware that the Club has a good selection of books and DVDs in the library and these can be borrowed for a nominal fee. The Library is run by Dave Mackin.

The Club shop offers a wide range of pen blanks, abrasives and finishes at very competitive prices. The shop is run by Trevor Butterworth.

An offshoot of the Club is the WPWT Craft Group. Members attend various craft fairs and markets to sell their turnings. For more details contact Trevor Holt on 0161 764 7765.

### Committee

It's getting near to that time again when we have to fight

off the volunteers wanting to help run YOUR club.

Seriously though, it would make a change for some new names to appear on our committee. The lists are now out so how about it?

The Committee will be meeting on Thursday to make plans for the early part of next year.

### Tea Brewers

Here are the tea brewers for this year:

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October

Alan Pywell, Jeff Holloway

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November

**Volunteers required**

Please remember that if any member cannot attend on the night they are 'on duty' they must make arrangements with the next members on the list to exchange nights. Each group must make their own arrangements regarding milk. Tea and coffee will always be in the Club box.

### He's Not Joining Our Club

If you want to see how not to be a woodturner watch the video on:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P4qB6n1cm04>

### Joke of the Month

A motorcycle mechanic was removing a cylinder head from the engine of a BMW motorcycle when he spotted a famous cardiologist in the workshop. The cardiologist was there waiting for the service manager to come and take a look at his car when the mechanic shouted across the garage, "Hey Doc, want to take a look at this?"

The cardiologist, a bit surprised, walked over to

where the mechanic was working on the motorcycle. The mechanic straightened up, wiped his hands on a rag and asked, "So Doc, look at this engine. I opened it's heart, took out the valves, repaired or replaced anything damaged, and then put everything back in and when I finished it worked just like new. So how is it that I make £24,000 a year and you make more than ten times as much when we are basically doing the same work?"

The cardiologist paused, leaned over and the whispered to the mechanic, "Try doing it with the engine running."

### Raffle

A joke's a joke but I draw the line at a pantomime. Even Gary looked embarrassed when his daughter Chloe drew his number AGAIN. Gary declined the prize.

### BACUP CAMERA CLUB September Exhibition

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> September  
10.30 a.m. to 3.00 p.m.

REAL Building  
Bacup Town Centre  
OL13 9AA

Free admission  
Free advice

**FREE**  
Any members wishing  
to sell any  
woodturning or  
woodworking items  
can advertise them on  
this Newsletter by  
contacting the Editor.  
The Club Website  
also offers this  
service

### FOR SALE

**KITY BESTCOMBI  
Combination Woodworking  
Machine**

**Saw, Planer/Thicknesser and  
Spindle Moulder**

**Includes Moulder Head with Cutters  
and Morticing Table with Cutters.**

**Contact David Mackin  
On 0161 764 7718**

**WOODTURNING DEMONSTRATION**

**DAVID LOWE**

**AT**

**GLOSSOPDALE WOODTURNERS**

**Charlesworth Conservative Club**

**SK13 5DA**

**SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 21<sup>ST</sup> 2013**

**10.30am – 4.30pm**

**Cost £12.50**

**(Includes Tea/coffee and sandwiches)**

**To book a place ring**

**K.Howard on 0161 355 6933**

**WOODTURNING DEMONSTRATION**

**PAUL JONES**

**AT**

**PENDLE WOODTURNERS AND CARVERS**

**St Cuthbert's Church Hall**

**Sharp Street Burnley BB10 1SL**

**SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 21<sup>ST</sup> 2013**

**10.00am – 4.00pm**

**Cost £12**

**(Includes Refreshments and Lunch)**

**To book a place ring**

**Howard Jones on 01706 229125**

**WOODTURNING DEMONSTRATION**

**TRACY OWEN**

**AT**

**BLACKBURN WITH DARWEN**

**WOODTURNING CLUB**

**SATURDAY OCTOBER 26<sup>TH</sup> 2013**

**10.00am – 4.00pm**

**Cost £12**

**(Includes Refreshments and lunch)**

**Venue: Hollins Grove Congregational Church,**

**Hawkshaw Avenue, Darwen BB3 1QZ**

**Contact: Secretary, Jennifer Kenyon,**

**[secretary@bwdwoodturners.com](mailto:secretary@bwdwoodturners.com)**

**WOODTURNING DEMONSTRATION**

**MICK HANBURY**

**AT**

**RED ROSE WOODTURNING CLUB**

**Bilsborrow Village Hall PR3 0RE**

**SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 26<sup>TH</sup> 2013**

**10.00am – 4.00pm**

**Cost £15**

**(Includes Refreshments and Hot Lunch)**

**Booking in advance required**

**After 16<sup>th</sup> September contact**

**Tony Rowlandson 01772 732470**