



# WEST PENNINE WOODTURNERS NEWSLETTER

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## April 2019

### Club Officers

**President**  
David Mackin  
**Chairman**  
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**Committee Members**  
Gary Brown  
Stewart Forbes  
**Co-opted**  
Alan Pywell  
Keith Goodchild  
Martin Payne  
Stanley Tyrer

### Name Badges

In order for members to be able to identify each other, especially newer members, a clip badge has been provided to be worn during meetings. It would be helpful if each member could collect their badge when paying monthly sub and return at end of meeting.

At the April meeting Martin Payne demonstrated his way of turning a simple egg cup. He also turned an egg and showed how to use a quickly made jam chuck to complete the egg shape. Due to unforeseen circumstances the anticipated "egg cup race" was unable to go ahead. Thanks to Martin for an entertaining demo.



### Tea Brewers

#### Friday 4th. January

Peter Edwards George Ostafijczuk

#### Friday 1st. February

Frank Ashworth Brian Keating

#### Friday 1st. March

Trevor Butterworth John Kitching

#### Friday 5th. April

Martin Cronshaw Robert Robison

#### Friday 3rd. May

Mike Crossley Peter Schofield

#### Friday 7th. June

Arnie Gray George Gledhill

#### Friday 5th July

John Gray Albert Crossley

#### Friday 2nd. August

Bryan Greenwood Norman Forrest

#### Friday 6th September

Paul & Jean Lythgoe

#### Friday 4th October

Ian & Linda Longley

#### Friday 1st. November

Peter Hudson Terry Spruce

#### Friday 7th December

The committee

Reserve Graham Hobson

George Ostafijczuk

*If anyone cannot attend on the night they are on duty will they please make arrangements with the next people on the list to exchange nights with them. Will each group make arrangements regarding milk? Tea and coffee will always be in the club box in the*

## Meeting and competition schedule for coming year.

### January

Sharpening with Dave Mackin and Gary Brown  
Comp. Open

### February

"A different approach" Norman Sales  
Comp. Open

### March

Pen turning with Dave Mackin  
TBA

### April

Egg cup race with Michael Proops  
Comp. A Pen

### May

**Bowl turning with emphasis on foot or base with  
Les Deegan**  
Comp. Egg and Eggcup.

### June

Bowl finishing and decorating with Gary Brown  
and Michael Proops  
Comp. A plain bowl.

### July

Turning boxes with Stewart Forbes  
Comp. A decorated bowl

### August

Hands on and problem solving The committee  
Comp. A box

### September

Off centre and multi-centre turning with Jesse  
Butterworth  
Comp. Open

### October

Spindle turning with Keith Goodchild  
Comp. Off centre item

### November

Ball turning with Martin Payne and Stewart  
Forbes  
Comp, spindle turned item

### December

Annual General Meeting.  
No Competition

On nights when hands on involvement is required chairs will not be put out.

The front page shows the entries for the April competition which featured an array of pens. The entries from left to right are:-

Albert Crossley, Mike Crossley, Brian Greenwood, Bill Kitchin, John Gray and Gary Brown.

Gary took first prize with John second and Bill third. Well done to all entries.

The May comp will be for an egg and eggcup.

The May demo will be mainly based on bowl turning but with an emphasis on features other than colour and texturing. The finishing off the bottom of bowls will be given some attention and if any member has a favourite way of personalising the bottom of a bowl it would be appreciated if they could bring in an example.

The meeting may have an additional element as yet to be decided

## Craft Fair Group

Members may wish to know that within West Penine Woodturners Club we have a craft fair section. This is a sub group of the club set up several years ago so members could attend local craft fairs and sell their hand made articles as a separate group within the club.

Over the years the number of participating members has fallen so we would welcome any "new" members from the club.

If anyone is interested in joining please contact Peter Edwards the co-ordinator of the group for further details.

## Remember

Dave Mackin has a good range of turning accessories at discounted prices. Most of these are from reputed manufacturer CHESTNUT and the range is being extended continually. If anyone has suggestions for additions to his range I am sure he would be pleased to hear from them.