



# *Pikes Peak Woodturners*

*A Chapter of the American Association of Woodturners*

**PETE HOLTUS: MULTI-AXIS BOX**

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4TH**

**6:30 P.M.**

**Business of Art Center: 515 MANITOU AVE.**

Join us for the meeting, and join our club! PPW dues are \$20/year  
Dues let us bring in guest demonstrators, purchase club equipment, add to our Lending Library,  
and keep you informed through the website and the newsletter

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## MARCH LINE-UP:

**PETE HOLTUS** will demonstrate steps for making a multi-axis oval box, turned on three centers.

Pete is a popular turner from the Front Range Woodturners. He presented this demonstration at the 2008 Rocky Mtn. Woodturning symposium.

Pete's demo is designed to spark the imagination of intermediate and advanced turners who want to explore more multi-axis turning techniques.

## CLUB SHOW? TURN ON YER LATHE!

The Board of Directors met on February 23rd to continue planning a gallery show for all PPW members. The Board will bring the plan to the membership as soon as there are more answers to your questions.

Larry Fox, Ed Davidson, Dennis Korth, and Tony Bevis are taking the initiative to give all of us plenty of incentive to get in the shop, fire up the lathe, and produce a turning that we are proud to show off.



## AAW now offers Health Insurance

Some of you may have heard about the new AAW sponsored health insurance program for members, and from my personal experience, it looks like a winner. I began the process of getting a quote for my personal health insurance on Monday, 12 January. The entire process took 9 calendar days from initial inquiry to application acceptance. The net results were that my health insurance costs have been cut by more than half, from \$421 per month through Golden Rule (whom I've had a policy with for 8 years), to \$198 per month through the AAW sponsored Humana plan...for essentially the same coverage! Here's a link to the AAW health insurance webpage:

<http://www.woodturner.org/org/mbrship/health.htm>

Disclaimer - I'm 57 years old, over-weight at 216 pounds, but in good health, with no pre-existing "conditions". Your mileage may vary...

Best regards,  
Ed Davidson

<http://yoyospin.com>



### FEBRUARY MEETING:

HERE IS THE DEMONSTRATOR'S VIEW OF OUR GROUP!

BORIS KRUSLIC GOT EVERYONE INVOLVED IN THE BASICS OF HOW WE WORK IN OUR SHOPS.



CORED BOWLS SAVE WOOD AND ENERGY (YOURS).

FIELDING A VARIETY OF TOPICS, BORIS COVERED EVERYTHING FROM SAFETY CONCERNS TO THE PRINCIPLES OF GOOD DESIGN.

BORIS ENCOURAGED US TO WORK TOGETHER IN PURSUIT OF MASTERY.

**CLASSIFIED:**

Billie's Turquoise...\$10/oz  
 Sleeping Beauty....\$15/oz  
 Nacozari.....\$12/oz  
 Elko 8.....\$12/oz  
 Kingman.....\$12/oz  
 Other locally crushed stone:  
 Malachite.....\$8/oz  
 Lapis.....\$15/oz  
 Pipestone ...\$10/oz  
 CA glue for inlay....\$5/ 2oz  
 CA accelerator....\$6/2 oz

CALL DENNIS 481-8754

**Who Ya Gonna Call?**

Dennis Korth--currently teaching at the Denver Rocker store in addition to his work with our club; 634-1260

Tony Bevis--a professional turner who serves as our club's Program Manager; 660-8305

Juergen Schleicher a professional turner and member of the Commonweal Co-op Gallery; 540-9921

Dick Breckon--our Founder! 597-9718

Dennis Liggett-- a twistwork specialist, teacher; 481-8754

Papa Joe Aquila --professional turner and friend to all; 548-9908

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¢10/gal **Bring your own jug and meet Tony at the truck before the meeting!**

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 (Juergen Schleicher)



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**APRIL: DENNIS KORTH** continues our Back-to-Basics series with a session about using the long-forgotten faceplate mounting system....a technical solution for lathes of all sizes.

Internet Links to investigate:

[www.woodturner.org](http://www.woodturner.org)

Our Parent organization, the American Association of Woodturners

[www.ppwoodturners.org](http://www.ppwoodturners.org)

Time to bookmark our club's SITE!



## DESERT WOODTURNING ROUNDUP

This regional symposium comes around every other year in the Phoenix area. This year, it was held at the Mesa Convention Center February 5-7.

Woodturners came from as far away as Alaska to enjoy the demonstrators and the desert weather.

The Instant Gallery was a little different than the one in Loveland. The club's photographer took a photo of each piece, and then pro-



jected a slide show of the entries during the banquet.

They did not critique the instant gallery, choosing instead to give everyone a close look at a professional quality slide of each piece.

Nick Cook demonstrated pepper mills and Billie Harding's upside-down salt shaker. Nick had the deepest pile of shavings, and possibly, the best time of anyone at the event.

Bonnie Klein came with an ingenious workstand for her demonstrations of small-scale turnings in wood and bone.

Jimmy Clewes, Mark St. Leger, Keith Tompkins, Cindy Drozda, Dwight Klaus and Hans Finsterwald completed the roster of demonstrators.

--Kay



