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Hill Country Turners
Monthly Newsletter



June 26, 2022

Next Meeting July 14, 2022

Meeting Place

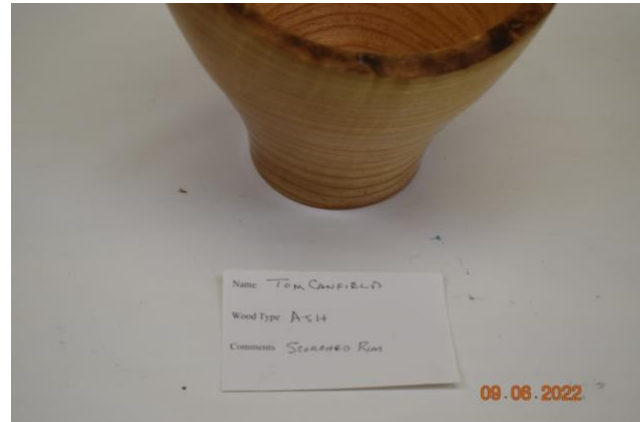
Hill Country Turners meet in the basement of the KACC (Kerr Arts & Cultural Center) at 228 Earl Garrett St., Kerrville, Texas, 78028 at 6:30 pm on the 2nd Thursday of the month.

June Meeting

Announcements: We had a pretty good turnout for the June meeting. It was a good meeting with some great show and tell items were presented; see below.

Thank you, Larry Turley, for the photography





Major points reported

- SWAT Update (see below)
- 2023 Officers (see below)

Treasurers Report

We are in the same condition as reported last month.

Safety

LINE OF FIRE: Be aware of the direction the work piece or tool could fly off in the event of a catch. Stay out of the line of fire.

John Stegall Demo

John Stegall provided the evenings demonstration. He demonstrated a homemade tool for turning large rings. During the demo, he discussed how to make the tool, and demonstrated its use. He credited YouTube contributor "Papa1947" for the idea and referred us to his videos for more information. Thank you John for the informative demonstration. Below are some pictures of the tool in use. Stay tuned for his latest iteration of the ring cutting jig.



Upcoming 2022 Calendar

- **July 14th Roger Arnold Demo** “Improve your shop with organization and storage tips”
- **July 2nd Buckhorn Craft Show** See last page (7) and map (8)

Special Thanks

As always, we thank the **Majestic Ranch Arts Foundation** for their support. Majestic Ranch Arts Foundation makes possible our equipment, upgrades to existing equipment and technological enhancements for “live” internet teaching. The Foundation’s donations helped us weather the COVID-19 crisis.

Drinks and Snacks

Month	Meeting Date	Drinks	Sweets
July	14 th	Tony Adkines	John Stegall
August	11 th	Tim Lutman	Sue Bates
September	8 th	Debbie Walker	Joe Johnson
October	13 th	Loy A. and Kathy R.	Loy A. and Kathy R.
November	10 th	John Stegall	George Taylor

Reminders

- **SWAT Update-** We still need VOLUNTEERS for assistance in the video presentations. The next SWAT meeting for the representatives is July 29th. Roger may have an update after that date.
- **Club Newsletter-** If any of y'all have any input for the newsletter, please send it along.
- **2023 Officers-** Please consider putting your hat in the ring for an officer position, or nominating someone who would work for our club.
- **Craft Supply-** The last order was received and delivered. 'till the next one....
- **Klingspor-** Don't forget that the HCT participates in Klingspor's woodworking/woodturning discount program. This program gives members a 10% discount on most of their catalog items. To qualify for the discount, you must create an online account before placing your order. Additional details were recently sent to all HCT members.
- **Club Membership Information-** Our primary means of communicating with members is by way of e-mails. If your contact information changes, especially your e-mail address, please let Joe Johnson or Marcy Dunn know so you will continue receiving communications from the HCT.

In Memoriam

In the last 9 months, the Hill Country Turners have lost three long-time members, two of which were founding members.

- In August 2021, Uel Clanton passed away at the age of 90 after a short illness. Uel left an indelible imprint on the Hill Country Turners. He was among the founding members of the Club and our first Treasurer. Among other things, he was known for his willingness to share his vast turning knowledge with all those who were interested.
- On May 30, 2022, William (Bill) Hussey passed away at the age of 92. Despite several health issues, he was able to attend our May 2022 HCT meeting. He was also among the founding members of the Club and was our first Secretary. For those who did not know Bill, he was a skilled woodturner, an influential member of our Club, and most of all he was always a perfect gentleman.
- In February 2002, Roger Felps passed away at the age of 88 after a short illness. While not a founding member, he began attending Hill Country Turners meetings shortly after our group was formed in 1996. He faithfully made the trek from Blanco to Kerrville each month to attend our meeting. Roger was a talented woodturner with a big smile and a wry sense of humor.

Our condolences to those they have left behind. Uel, Bill, and Roger will be greatly missed by the Hill Country Turners.



Uel Clanton



Bill Hussey



Roger Felps

HCT Mentoring Program

It has always been a practice to encourage new members to visit in the shops of other members to help them get oriented to turning. Now we are offering for new turners a special list of members eager to help them along with their area of interest. Even some less-than-new members who would like to talk to someone in a special area might take advantage of this program. The following members have volunteered to serve as Club Mentors. If you have a woodturning or tool/equipment question, call one of these individuals. They would be happy to help.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Phone</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Phone</u>	<u>Specialty</u>
Roger Arnold	830-866-3670	Shop Practices	George Taylor	972-824-0550	Bowls
L. A. Cude	901-355-7046	Lacquer Finish	Raul Pena	830-634-2545	General
James Johnson	830-895-4170	All	Joe Johnson	281-961-1209	General
Tom Canfield	903-521-4526	All			

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Hill country turners is a chapter of the American Association of Woodturners dedicated to providing education, information and a place to meet and discuss woodworking and woodturning.

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Buckhorn Craft Show

By Tom Whiting

Woodturners,

Attached is a note from Carolyn Chamberlin about the Buckhorn Craft Show that will be held on Saturday, July 2nd. Details are shown below.

I'll attend and have some items for sale. One sale will more than pay for the \$20 rental space. For more information check the following link:

<https://www.buckhornlake.com/home.html>

**Buckhorn Craft Show
2885 Goat Creek Rd
Kerrville, TX 78028**

Buckhorn Craft Show

Saturday July 2nd 8:00- 3:00 (note - time change)

Set up: Friday July 1st 12:00 to 6:00 p.m.

or Saturday 7:00 – 8:00 a.m.

You are encouraged to set up Friday afternoon. Your booth will be assigned. The building will be locked and secured at 6:00 p.m.

Booth rental is \$20.00 per space payable Saturday A.M. to Buckhorn staff.

Limited amount of tables available for \$10.00 each.

Building will open at 7:00 a.m. Saturday as Buckhorn will be serving breakfast from a prepared menu for a fee.

We are welcome to participate. NO OTHER FOOD AVAILABLE.

Please confirm by calling 830-367-3267 ASAP(as soon as possible.)If no answer please leave a message as there is a waiting list for this show.

Thank you, Carolyn Chamberlin

