



# Rocky Mountain Woodturners

## SEPTEMBER 1995 NEWSLETTER

### Officers and Committees

#### **President**

David Nittman 482-0222

#### **Treasurer**

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#### **Newsletter**

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#### **Club Library**

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#### **Program**

Trent Bosch 493-6476

#### **Wood Aquisition**

Dale Mikkelson 356-4514

#### **Member Book & Video Resource List**

Ray Kowrach  
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#### **Fundraising**

Linda Fellion 484-4628  
Trent Bosch 493-6476

If you are interested in helping with one of the above committees, please contact the name listed.

## Coming Attractions

### Planned Demonstrations

Please note change  
in Sept meeting date

September 14	Natural top Bowls Vases Boxes Safety on the Lathe Ways to support long turnings	Dale Nish
October 19	Turning pens with a router One Piece Pens	Dick Anderson Linda Fellion
November 16	Mini Bird Houses Stave Construction	Peter Holtis Russ Oliver
December 21	Christmas Party	
January 18	Alabaster/ Exotic Wood	Max Krimmel
February 15	Sharpening	Dave Nittman
March 21	Turning Goblets Chip Carving	Earl Ellis
April 18	Natural Top Bowls "mini"	Lee Carter

### Other Dates of Interest

October 10 David Ellsworth - presented by FRWT  
No charge 3:00pm - 9:00pm Red Rocks Community College

December 5 Chris Stock Date is tentative at this time

## MONTHLY MEETING

*Thursday, September 14*  
*Colorado State University*  
*Guggenheim Building*  
*Room 107*

*Business Meeting 7:00pm*  
*Demonstration 7:30pm*

Dale Nish will be our guest demonstrator this month. He asked for a list of topics. Suggestions from the membership included vases, natural edge bowls, lathe safety, lathe speeds, and a special jig for supporting long turnings.

To cover cost of the demonstration, CSU students, members of RMWT, FRWT, and Pikes Peak Woodturners will be charged \$3

to attend. All others will be charged \$5. The room was changed to accommodate the anticipated increase in attendance.

To allow maximum time for Dale's demonstration, there will be no show and tell. Raffle tickets will be sold at the door, winning tickets will be placed on the item and winners will pick up their items after the demonstration.

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## NUTS & BOLTS

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### *Notes from August Meeting*

#### *New Members*

Rocky Mountain Woodturners welcome the following new member

Ken Taylor 226-4491

#### *Committee information*

**Treasurer's Report** - Trent Bosch was not in attendance. Current checkbook balance was unavailable. As of the June meeting, the checkbook balance was \$917. Cost of the June and July newsletters had not been deducted. Dale Nish will be paid \$250 for his presentation. If attendance fees do not cover this cost, the remainder will be taken from the treasury.

**Club Library** - Several new books were added to the library this month. Cards need to be made before the new books will be available for check out. The Wood Emporium sold the club these books at cost. Thanks Loren.

If members have magazine articles on turning that would make good additions to the library, John volunteered to allow club members copy them at B.J. Custom cabinets.

**Program** - We are looking forward to Dale Nish's

presentation on September 14. To advertise this event, press releases were sent to newspapers, radio and TV stations. Flyers were sent to all non-members on the mailing list and placed at Sears Trostel and Wood Emporium.

Chris Stott is tentatively scheduled to demo for the club December 5th. This will be in addition to our Christmas party meeting.

**Wood Exchange** - Dale has been busy collecting wood for the raffle. This fall he will devote more time to finding other clubs with which to exchange wood.

**Member Book and Video Resource List**-The club felt that this project should be put on hold until the club library is fairly well established. Then members who would be willing to lend items not in the library could get the information to Ray.

**Fundraising** - The raffle continues to be the clubs primary source of revenue. To allow maximum time for Dale's demonstration, for the September 14 meeting, raffle tickets will be sold at the door and winning tickets placed on the items. Winners can find their items after the demonstration.

To stimulate more participation in the "Show and Tell" portion of the meeting, members who win wood in the raffle will be given another raffle ticket if they bring back what they made from the wood.