



# Rocky Mountain Woodturners

## OCTOBER 1995 NEWSLETTER

### Officers and Committees

#### **President**

David Nittman 482-0222

#### **Treasurer**

Trent Bosch 493-6476

#### **Newsletter**

Linda Fellion 484-4628

#### **Club Library**

Ken Colasuonno 229-9261

#### **Program**

Trent Bosch 493-6476

#### **Wood Aquisition**

Dale Mikkelson 356-4514

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

Ray Kowrach  
(307)634-9882

#### **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

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

December 5 Chris Stock Date is tentative at this time

## MONTHLY MEETING

*Thursday, October 19*  
*Colorado State University*  
*Industrial Sciences Bld*  
*Room 105*  
*Business Meeting 7:00pm*  
*Demonstration 7:30pm*

Two types of ink pens will be demonstrated. Dick Anderson will demonstrate turning pens with a router. Linda Fellion will demonstrate turning one piece pens.

The club will be one year old as of the October meeting. We will have a "birthday" celebration at the October meeting.

***For Sale!!***  
The club received a letter from a gentleman who is selling his lathe and all tools and accessories. If you would like more information contact

**Paul Killinger**  
**4309 Butler Circle**  
**Boulder, CO 80903**

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## NUTS & BOLTS

### *Notes from October Meeting*

The demonstration by Dale Nish was well attended. Although 68 people signed in, all 80 chairs were filled with a few individuals standing. Dale spoke about lathe safety and turned a natural edge bowl. Speaking on safety, Dale said that the primary cause of lathe accidents are high speed and operator error. He gave the following formula for determining safe lathe speed for a given project:

$(\text{speed of the lathe-rpm}) \times (\text{diameter of work in inches}) =$   
a number between 6000 and 9000.

To show our appreciation to the non-members who attended Dale's presentation, this newsletter is being sent to each person who provided a complete name and address on the sign-in sheet. Please forgive any misspelled names. Information on the sign-in sheet was written hastily, and in some cases, was difficult to read.

### *New Members*

Rocky Mountain Woodturners welcomes the following new members:

Larry Wilkey	(307) 745-8478
Hugh McTeague	586-5910
Fran Lipp	495-6915

### *Committee information*

Committee reports were not given at the September meeting to allow more time for the demonstration by Dale Nish. Updates on the activities of the committees will be given at the October meeting.

***One who works with his hands is a laborer***  
***One who works with his hands and mind***  
***is a craftsman***  
***One who works with his hands and mind***  
***and heart is an artist***