



Turning Chatter



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Newsletter of the Blue Mountains Woodturners Inc.

Mission Statement: "Promote woodturning as a creating skill for all ages"

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To all our members I am inviting you to join our Whats App discussion group by clicking on the link on the right of this page.

Also, a reminder to get in early for our up and coming Mini Symposium so that you don't pay the late fee after 1st March.

Thanks ,
Andy Georgiou



BLUE MOUNTAINS WOODTURNERS MINI SYMPOSIUM

Eight of Australia's best will demonstrate traditional tool techniques, classical forms and creative design.

Date Sunday March 19, 2023 – 8.30am registration – Start 9am – Finish 3.30pm

Venue Nepean High School, Great Western Highway, Emu Plains, NSW

Cost \$25 before March 1 - \$40 after - cash or credit card on the day

Electronic Payment - Account Name - Blue Mountains Woodturners Inc.

- BSB 112-879 - Account No. 495712594 [note your name] - [Email us for a receipt.](#)

Lunch fast food and pub 500 metres away, restaurants 3 kilometres away, or BYO

Morning Tea free


Contact John Mulquin 0407 709 351 jmhbm@bigpond.net.au

Sponsors The Australian Woodworker, U Beaut Polishes, Timberbits, McJing Tools.

Download this brochure - [BMW Mini Symp 2023.pdf](#)



If anyone knows of any members that are unwell or in difficulties please contact Barry Robinson

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Thursday's Progress Report For Toy's and Projects

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>States</u>	<u>Completed</u>
Rocking Horse	Name plates for horse. More photographs reqd.	The rocking horse is not to have a name attached to it. The rocking horse has a new owner	Yes
Finska Skittles	Log toss n' score	A second set has now been made	Yes
Stack on ring	8 rings base, top. Cent.pin	Make two sets..Kit available	
Crochet set	Mallets, hoops, Balls	Hard timber reqd.	
5 piece puzzle	Sawn puzzle	Ok to proceed	
Cube puzzle	Sawn 2 adjacent sides	Ok to proceed	
Secret locking rings	Fully turned	Discuss Members	
Ring throwing	Turn pegs & Throw rope rings	Ok to proceed. Rob, to demo splicing rope rings	

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>States</u>	<u>Completed</u>
Kebab Column	Turned discs	Find Timber	
Segmented Column	Individual turned sections	Use timber ex chess set	
Lucky dip	Make "Lucky" articles	Lucky dip to continue-suggestions reqd.	
Wooden crate	Make Lucky Box	May be?	
Community support	What do we do in 2023	Discuss members	
Hoop Pine	Slab logs	Slabber reqd."Mike"	
Rocking Horse		Discuss members	



Congratulations Phillip

Toy presentation by the club is greatly appreciated

Committee

President - John Mulquin
Vice President - Clive Lyle
Secretary - John Turner
Treasurer - Jan Pennell
Membership Secretary - Barry Robinson, Bill Wooldridge
Publicity Officer - Clive Lyle
Committee Members - Andy Georgiou, Barry Robinson, Bill Wooldridge
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Librarians - John Cossey
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Please supply any Turning Chatter content by midnight Friday 1 week before the 1st Saturday of the next month

WOOD TURNERS EVENT

DIARY

4th February	Demo, Pepper Mill & Clarence Mill
19th March	Mini Symposium
April	Hawesbury Four Station
May	Hawkes wood and scrollsaw show
June	CAC Glenbrook
July	German Rings
August	Pepper Mill
September	Demo, CBN Grind
November	
December	Toy Handover



Woodturning Lessons

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**Covid-19 restrictions
Please contact Ernie
and Alan for available
times and dates of
Lessons**

Club Calendar

Day	Date	Event	Time
Thursday	02/01/23	Open day	9:30am Onwards
Saturday	04/01/23	Meeting/Demo	9.30am Onwards
Thursday	09/01/23	Open day	9:30am Onwards
Thursday	16/01/23	Open day	9.30am Onwards
Thursday	23/01/23	Open day	9.30am Onwards

The next Toy Day will be in 2023