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Newsletter and Minutes of the October 20, 2016 meeting



Sawdust & Shavings:

Gene Amaral

“Woodworking matters.

It's more than a pastime or hobby—being a woodworker means that you know the satisfaction and pride that comes from using your hands and mind to build beautiful, functional objects, and that you're as interested in the process as the outcome. Amid the speed and chaos of the modern world, woodworking gives us a place where we can slow down, pay attention, and take the time to do things right.”

-Gene Amaral

UPCOMING EVENTS:

October Meeting

Thursday, November 17th, 2016, 7:00 PM
Studio Dunn
310 Bourne Ave, Rumford, RI

Secretary's Notes

Garet Holcomb

Now that the US Presidential election is finally over, we have an IMPORTANT one to deal with!

Ocean Woodturners will be having our Officer's election in December. Please come to the November club meeting to hear about the nominations from the Nominating Committee and to make any nominations of your own.

Treasurer's Report

Bob Hopkins

We have a balance of \$1953.24 in the fund, of which \$563 is set aside for the camera fund

You can pay your dues directly from the website at <http://www.oceanwoodturners.com/dues.cfm>

Dues: Club dues are \$25 annually. For members who wish to have a printed Newsletter mailed to them monthly, there is an annual charge of \$5 to cover postage, payable with club dues.

All payments should be mailed to:

***Bob Hopkins
48 Tilbury Drive,
Bristol, RI 02809***

Meeting Minutes

Gene opened the meeting with 28 members and 2 guests present

Welcome –Lenny and Tony

Treasurer's Report – Bob's report was read and accepted by the group

Committee Reports. All committees are looking for help from the membership. Please contact the committee chairs for more info.

Program Committee:	No report
Outreach Committee:	No report
Fundraising Committee:	No report

Cabinet signs – Thanks to Ed Keenan for making the signs for the Club storage cabinet

Collaboration – Please contact fellow Club members to team up with a collaborative project

Elections – Our annual Club election is happening in December. If you're interested in running for office or would like to nominate someone, please contact Alex Amoruso or bring your nomination to the November Meeting

JOHN CHAKUROFF INDUCTED INTO THE SMITHFIELD HERITAGE HALL OF FAME

On October 27, 2016, our own John Chakuroff was inducted into the Smithfield Heritage Hall of Fame, a prestigious local organization honoring those who have contributed to Smithfield's town history and heritage through public service, community service, or business.

Ocean Woodturners would like to congratulate John on his induction, and recognize his long service to his community through his art and craft.



Show and Tell



Charlie Hockenson



Segmented bowl from Cherry cutoffs

Gene Amaral



Ash bowl with U-Pol finish



Alex Amoruso

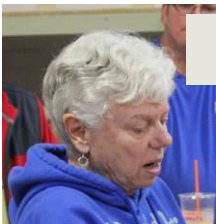
Maple and Peruvian Walnut tangential lidded vessel



Mike Murray



*Bowl and lidded vessel,
both of Box Elder*



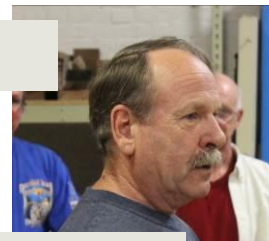
Lorraine Hilton

*Mesquite and grapeseed oil
bowl*

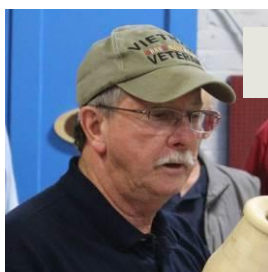




Roland Lavoie



Bowl of unknown species, Cedar heart bowl, American Elm bowl, and large Walnut bowl



Tom Powell

Unfinished segmented vessel



Chris Rowe of the Dare to Dream Ranch would like to thank the members of Ocean Woodturners for the items that were donated to the raffle at their recent motorcycle ride and benefit in support of veterans.

See more Dare to Dream Ranch info at their website: <http://www.daretodreamranch.org/>

Demonstration



Joe Dolan Demonstrates Easy Wood Tools

Joe Dolan gave a presentation and overview of the basic Easy Wood Tools carbide woodturning tool set. Joe covered the three basic cutter arrangements and gave a demonstration of their uses in the woodturning workflow. For more information on Easy Wood Tools' offerings, check out their website:

<http://www.easywoodtools.com/>



IN MEMORIAM:

Richard J. Gadoury, Jr.
1943 - 2016



Ocean Woodturners member Richard Gadoury passed away on October 27th, 2016, at the age of 73. He is survived by four children, seven grandchildren, six great-grandchildren, and his companion and close friend Joyce.

To view the full obituary, please see it on Carpenter-Jenks Funeral Home's website, or follow the direct link here:
<https://goo.gl/xOqXiS>



Ocean Woodturners Group on Yahoo!: Our club has its own Yahoo! Group that we use to exchange information, ask questions, and sometimes to distribute our Newsletter. Membership to the Yahoo! Group is **not** automatic upon joining the club. If you would like to join the Yahoo! Group, please either request membership directly from the group site (<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/OceanWoodturners/>) or send an email to Jeff Mee at jmee@hotmail.com

Check out the new Ocean Woodturners Facebook page! It's brand new so we'll be adding content as time passes. Make sure to Like and Share, and help bring much-needed public exposure to our Club!

<https://www.facebook.com/OceanWoodturners/>

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