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## Newsletter and Minutes of the February 15, 2018 meeting



## Sawdust & Shavings:

*Gene Amaral*



Gene Amaral

OWT Vice Pres Opens the February meeting.

## UPCOMING EVENTS:

### **March Meeting**

Thursday, March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018, 7:00 PM

Studio Dunn

310 Bourne Ave, Rumford, RI

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## Secretary's Notes

*Alex Amoruso*

The meeting was attended by 20 members. We had an excellent show and tell. We also voted to allow the club to have a woodturning training program at the South County Guild. This program will begin in the Fall and we will supply 2 wood lathes for the program. Alex Amoruso will organize the beginner program and additional club members help with the group training.

## Treasurer's Report

*Bob Hopkins*

We have a balance of \$2111.20, of which \$429.49 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,  
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## Meeting Minutes

**Roland opened the meeting with 20 members**

**Treasurer's Report** – Bob's report was read. We have \$2111.20 in the club account and \$429.49 in the camera fund. Gene A. moved to accept and Alex A. seconded, accepted unanimously

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

<b>Program Committee:</b>	No report
<b>Outreach Committee:</b>	No report
<b>Fundraising Committee:</b>	No report

**Turn and Learn –**

We discussed a woodturning training program at the South County Guild. This program would begin in the Fall and we will supply 2 wood lathes for the program. Alex Amoruso will organize and be the instructor in charge of the beginner program and additional club members help with the group training. The program question was seconded by Garet Holcomb and vote was unanimous to allow the training.

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Alex  
Amoruso  
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Mike  
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Charlie  
Hockenson  
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Kellie Von  
Sharp  
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Members setup club experience at the February Meeting

**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](mailto: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/>

### **NEXT MEETING:**

Thursday, March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018, 6:30 PM  
Studio Dunn, 310 Bourne Ave, Rumford, RI

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