



NORTH WARWICKSHIRE & HINCKLEY WOODTURNING CLUB

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Notes from the Editor



The end of another successful year for the club. Many good demonstrations and well attended hands on sessions. We also helped our local air ambulance through our stands at Hinckley Markets.

Inside you will find pictures from John Bradbury's demo. Many thanks to John for stepping in at very short notice. As usual, he made segmented turning look very easy. Our thoughts go to Steve Heeley who should have been demonstrating but ended up in hospital instead.

Here is a reminder of our demonstrations this year:



Paul
Bellamy



Nick
Adams



Phil
Jones



Stan
Bryan



Shekhar
Shrivastava



John
Bradbury

Merry Christmas and a happy new year
Rob Sheehan

John Bradbury 4/12/2018

By Rob Sheehan



John started with a segmented vase blank that had been glued up earlier. Using a band saw, John cut strips of differently coloured wood and glued them together. He then accurately marked and drilled a hole down the centre. Then John cut the multi coloured blank into thin slices. Using the centre hole, each slice was fed

onto a dowel, rotated a few degrees and glued in place. This produced a spiral pattern. He added a left over segmented piece from a previous project and added a solid top and bottom. The blank (see picture) wasn't much to look at, but once turned, it looked amazing.

John's second project was a segmented platter. Similar construction to the first project, but with larger segments

John's last project was a lidded box. To ensure the fit of the lid doesn't change over time, John always part turns the box, leaving enough material to finish turning after all wood movement, due to stress relief, has ended.



Christmas Jokes

Why does everybody like Frosty the Snowman?

Because he is so cool!

Knock knock.

Who's there?

Snow.

Snow who?

Snow use - I've forgotten my name!

Why did Santa go to the doctor?

Because of his bad elf!

Who is Santa's favourite singer?

Elf-is Presley!

What did Santa say to the smoker?

Please don't smoke, it's bad for my elf!

When is a boat just like snow?

When its adrift!

Why was the snowman sorting through the bag of carrots?

He was picking his nose!

How does Christmas Day end?

With the letter 'Y'!

What carol is heard in the desert?

O camel ye faithful!

What do you call a three legged donkey?

A wonkey!

Knock Knock

Who's there?

Snow

Snow who?

Snow business like show business!

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WOODTURNING CLUB EVENTS 2019

January	1st	No meeting - Bank Holiday	
	15th	Hands On	
February	5th	Hands On	
	19th	Demo	Mick Hanbury
March	5th	Hands On	
	19th	Demo	Paul Bellamy
April	2nd	Hands On	
	16th	Demo	Robin Barlow
May	7th	Hands On	
	10/11th	Tudor Rose Woodworks at Daventry	
	21st	Demo	Brian Cokerill
June	4th	Hands On	
	18th	tbd	
July	2nd	Hands On	
	16th	Demo	Roger Gilbert
August	6th	Hands On	
	20th	Demo	Gary Rance
September	3rd	Hands On	
	17th	tbd	
October	1st	Hands On	
	15th	tbd	
November	5th	AGM followed by Hands On	
	19th	tbd	
December	3rd	Hands On	
	17th	Christmas Social	