



# CHIPS & Chatter



## THE SILICON VALLEY WOODTURNERS' NEWSLETTER

The October  
Program:  
Don Bonnett  
Top Night

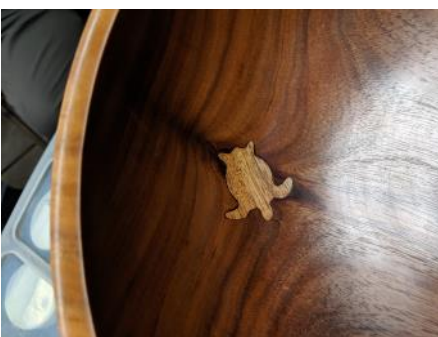
### September Program:

Dennis Lillis gave a comprehensive presentation on several methods of inlaying different materials in turned objects. The materials discussed ranged from crushed stone, wooden shapes of various forms, to powdered metal. His presentation began by showing examples of different turned pieces with inlayed materials.



To the left is a hollow form with turquoise inlayed in the voids. The picture below shows an inlay of Lapis and "cold gold" (fine metal powder) in a small crack in a madrone burl bowl. Another type of inlay used

thin wooden shapes as inlays (see the turtle below). A pattern is routed in the turned piece, usually to hide or accentuate a defect, or stabilize a crack.



Dennis' detailed descriptions of the techniques involved were extremely helpful in providing us with the tools to try inlaying.

Thanks for a great presentation. See page 3 for more photos and information on the techniques shown in this program.

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# The President's Turn

## Unsung Heroes

It's been a little over 2 years since I joined the club. And I remember vividly my first day attending the club meeting. After the ritual introduction of new people, and the staff reports and the president's challenge it was time for the show-n-tell. Though I hadn't planned to show anything I ended up playing my native American flute and gave a little overview of why I was there and what I was hoping to get out of the club. After the show-n-tell during the break many people came and spoke to me and welcomed me warmly to the club. But the 2 people I remember vividly are Thelma & Colin McKenzie. Thelma asked me where I am from. She said they themselves immigrated to the bay area from Canada. After a little chit-chat I walked into the main workshop area. There out of all the things in the room my eyes locked onto a plate that was on the table. It was no ordinary plate. It had chocolates on them. My legs as if pre-programmed walked straight to the table and I don't have to say what happened next. I had no idea where those chocolates came from. But you can guess where a few of them ended up.

After the stop at the plate on the table the smell of freshly brewed coffee just around the corner made me go and pour myself a cup of coffee. A club that offers the 2 main ingredients for a happy life (chocolates and coffee) is a club worth being a part of. At the end of the meeting I dashed back to the table. But only found an empty plate. I drove home a happy man nevertheless.

It didn't take me long to figure out where those chocolates come from. Month after month the McKenzie's made me a happy man. And Johnny Alias never failed to put a cherry on top of that happiness

by having freshly brewed coffee for all the club members at all our meetings.

Thelma and Colin McKenzie have not only provided chocolates for all of us they have donated many boxes of chocolates to be raffled off as school donations during Mother's Day, valentine's day and many special occasions. It is people like the McKenzie's and Johnny Alias who bring happiness and fun to our club. Johnny usually comes early and quietly makes coffee. I feel a little sad when I don't see Thelma and Colin every month. Every time I see Thelma, Colin and Johnny they put a smile on my face. Every meeting I secretly hope that I see Thelma and Colin at the meeting, and I miss them when they don't come.

I want to take this moment to thank and celebrate our unsung heroes Thelma, Colin and Johnny for the happiness they bring to all of us at the club and wish Colin a speedy recovery to his health.

~Hari~

# Monthly Demonstration - Inlay work by Dennis Lillis

## Using sanding dust to fill small voids

For small voids one can use dust from sanding to fill a void. Fill the void with the dust and then use thin CA glue to set dust in place.



## Filling large voids with wood shavings

Dennis covered how to fill large voids on a hollow form (bottom photo) turned from pepperwood burl (photo below left). Not wanting to have to fill the entire depth of the cracks with crushed stone he first packed the voids with wood shavings (photo below right) leaving a small area near the external surface of the hollow form and secured the shavings with thin CA glue. Crushed stone was then placed in the remaining void and soaked with CA glue. Once dry the inside of the hollow form was hollowed out. This technique reduces the amount of crushed stone used and allows the inside to be hollowed without the hollowing tool catching on the stone inlay.



Start with pepperwood burl, turn to shape.



Pack voids with shavings leaving space near surface for crushed stone



Fill remaining void with crushed stone, add CA glue, then hollow out inside.

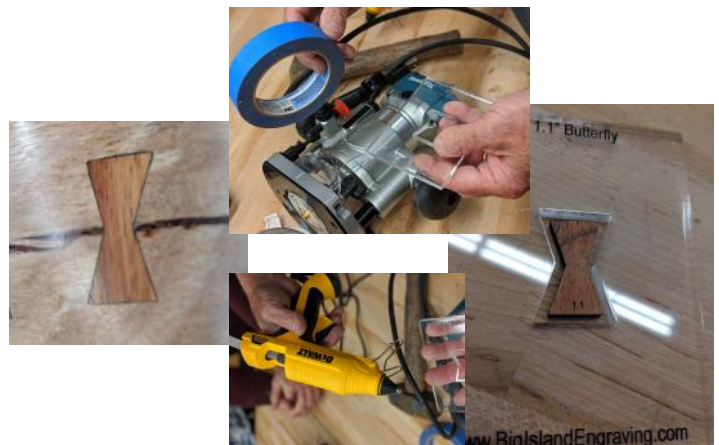
## Crushing Stone

Crushing stone is easily accomplished using a piece of pipe, a solid metal rod, and a flat metal plate. After crushing the stone it is separated into different size grains using different sized sieves.



## Inlaying wooden inserts

The final topic of the night was how to inlay wooden inserts in a turned piece. Dennis showed how a router is used to carve a recess in a bowl. The process begins by attaching a template to the bowl and using a glue gun to secure the template in place. Painters tape applied to the template and bowl allows easy removal of the template. The pattern may need some cleanup using a hand chisel. The wooden insert is then glued in place and the edges beveled to prevent your gouge from tearing the wooden insert out during final turning of the bowl.



## 2019 Calendar of Events

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| <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>January</b></u><br/><b>Wed. the 3rd</b><br/><b>BOD at 4 p.m.</b></p> <p><b>President's Challenge:</b><br/>Spindle Turning<br/><b>Program:</b><br/>Dennis Lillis</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Lathe Maintenance</p>      | <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>February</b></u><br/><b>Wed. the 6th</b></p> <p><b>President's Challenge:</b><br/>Collaborate/Training<br/><b>Program:</b><br/>Charlie Belden</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Beyond Bowls</p>   | <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>March</b></u><br/><b>Wed. the 6th</b></p> <p><b>President's Challenge:</b><br/>Something That Makes Noise<br/><b>Program:</b><br/>Mike Mahoney remote demo</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Turning a Platter</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>April</b></u><br/><b>Wed. the 3rd</b><br/><b>BOD at 4 p.m.</b></p> <p><b>President's Challenge:</b><br/>Platter<br/><b>Program:</b><br/>Bob Gerenser/Mike Lanahan</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Beads of Courage Box</p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>May</b></u><br/><b>Wed. the 1st</b></p> <p><b>President's Challenge:</b><br/>Beads of Courage Box<br/><b>Program:</b><br/>Pete Zavala</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Identical Twins / Complimentary</p>  | <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>June</b></u><br/><b>Wed. the 5th</b></p> <p><b>President's Challenge:</b><br/>Identical Twins/Comp.<br/><b>Program:</b><br/>Don Bonnett</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Turning a Sphere</p>                     |
| <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>July</b></u><br/><b>Wed. the 10th</b><br/><b>BOD at 4 p.m.</b></p> <p><b>President's Challenge:</b><br/>Sphere or Egg<br/><b>Program:</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Turning a Winged Bowl</p>                        | <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>August</b></u><br/><b>Wed. the 7th</b><br/><b>T&amp;L on the 24th</b><br/>Multi-Axis Turning</p> <p><b>President's Challenge:</b><br/>Winged Bowl<br/><b>Program:</b><br/>Mark Koenig</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Multi-Axis Turning</p>             | <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>September</b></u><br/><b>Wed. the 4th</b></p> <p><b>President's Challenge:</b><br/>Multi-Axis Turning<br/><b>Program:</b><br/>Dennis Lillis</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Inlay Work</p>                       |
| <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>October</b></u><br/><b>Wed. the 2nd</b><br/><b>BOD at 4 p.m.</b></p> <p><b>President's Challenge:</b><br/>Top or Wildcard*<br/><b>Program:</b><br/>Don Bonnett</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Top Contest</p>             | <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>November</b></u><br/><b>Wed. the 6th</b><br/><b>T&amp;L on the 16th - tentative</b><br/>Sharpening</p> <p><b>President's Challenge:</b><br/>Inlay or Embellishment<br/><b>Program:</b><br/>Dennis Lillis</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Snowman Box</p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u><b>December</b></u><br/><b>Wed. the 4th</b><br/><b>Holiday Dinner</b></p> <p><b>President's Dinner</b><br/>Snowman Box or Ornament<br/><b>Program:</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Holiday Dinner</p>           |

\* Something not on this year's list

### Demos and Workshops

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| October - David Ellsworth | October 13 - Workshop at Silicon Valley Woodturners woodshop | October 19 - Demo at the Bridges Community Church, Los Altos |
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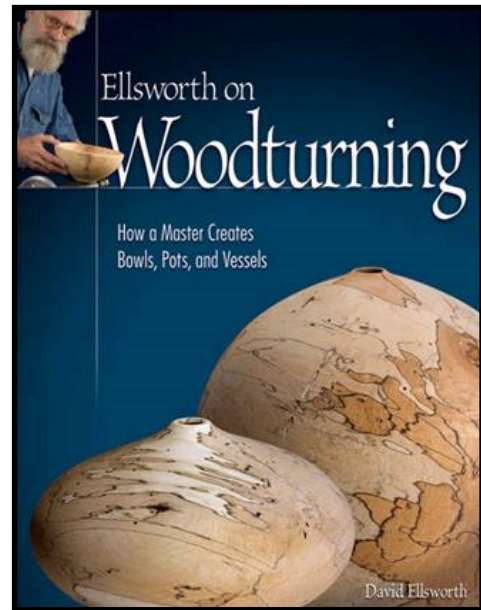


## David Ellsworth

**Saturday October 19, 2019  
9:00 am to 4:00 pm**

Bridges Community Church  
625 Magdalena Ave, Los  
Altos

Admission is \$30 for Members  
and Spouses  
(Includes lunch for those who  
sign up in advance)  
\$40 for Non Members  
All Students are Free!  
Co-Sponsored by WBW and  
SVW



West Bay Woodturners and Silicon Valley Woodturners are pleased to announce a demonstration by world renown wood turner David Ellsworth in Los Altos. David will provide an all-day demonstration at the Bridges Church in Los Altos. The doors will open at 9:00 am. The general public is invited to attend.

Mark your calendars and don't miss this rare opportunity to spend the day with David Ellsworth, often referred to as the "Father of Modern Woodturning". David is unequalled in the turning world, but most turners already know this. If not, just Google "David Ellsworth Wood Turning" and you will likely get more than 21,300 hits, or visit his website at "<http://www.ellsworthstudios.com>" for more information.

David is most famous for his thin walled hollow forms turned thru a small opening, usually from spalted woods or with natural voids. His development of tools and techniques for thin wall "blind" hollowing revolutionized woodturning, and contributed greatly to the explosive growth of woodturning in the 1980's and 1990's. He is a founding member of the American Association of Woodturners (AAW) and served as its first President, nurturing and guiding it thru its early years. Without David's early commitment and unending support it is doubtful that the AAW would be the organization it is today! A heartfelt thanks from all of us, David!!

David's first book "Ellsworth on Woodturning" continues to receive rave reviews from the woodturning community.

For more information on this demonstration, contact Bob Bley, WBAW Program Officer, by email at [rbley90@gmail.com](mailto:rbley90@gmail.com) , or by phone at 650-465-7539

Bring a chair as we may be short on chairs!

# Meeting Minutes - September 11, 2019

**Meeting was called to order by Ray Hari at 7:03 p.m.**



**Visitors:** Doug Ryan returning to the club; Paul Tammaro returning  
**WELCOME! GLAD YOU'RE WITH US TONIGHT!**

## **General announcements:**

- **Ray held a moment of silence for the 9/11 remembrance...**
- **Elections** — Gordon Patnude,
  - ◊ President, Treasurer and Secretary have agreed to run again. Need a Vice President. If interested, let Gordon know. Ray mentioned if anyone wants to run for President, let Gordon know. Suggest all read the SVW bylaws.
- **Pens for the Troops** — Gordon Patnude,
  - ◊ Paul Tammaro has volunteered to do 10 pens. Submit pens by the November meeting.
- **Banquet** — Gordon Patnude,
  - ◊ **Blue Pheasant** in Saratoga. Food list narrowed to 4 items: Prime rib, Pasta with Vegetables, Chicken with Mushrooms and Wine, Salmon with dill sauce.
- Gordon shared—Kreg Tools offers a new K5 Pocket Hole System for \$49 as an upgrade kit if you already have one. No need to prove you have one.
- **CA GLUE** — Tom Kenyon,. Get in touch with Tom now. He will **not** be here October/November.
- **Anchor Seal 2** — John Whittier and Dennis Lillis, Let them know, so can bring to a meeting.

## **Staff Reports:**

- **School Donations** — Ray Hari,
  - ◊ At Back to School Night Silent Auction on September 4th, 47 out of 50 items sold. Over \$1,030 donations made, at \$23/piece average. Money goes to the school shop. Lets do it again. Need 50 items again next year.
- **Demonstrations** — Don Bonnett
  - ◊ September, Inlays (Dennis Lillis); October, thin stemmed goblets (Don Bennett); November, snowman box (Dennis Lillis). **David Ellsworth** — Sunday, October 13, Hands-on-Workshop at High School (\$95). October 19th, Demonstration at Bridges Community Church (\$35).
- **SVW Budget** — Greg Peck for Joe Martinka,
  - ◊ Bottom line dollar balances for SVW and for Donations to SCHS were reported.
  - ◊ SVW spent some money to renew some of the lathes for the classes.
  - ◊ We are experimenting with some new web options for SVW for events, membership and dues.

## **September President's Challenge & make-ups — "Multi-axis/offset turning"**

- *See the Member and their work in the President's Challenge photo section of this Newsletter.*
- Raffle** — Raffle tickets drawn.

## **September Show and Tell —**

- *See the Member and their work in the Show & Tell photo section of this Newsletter.*

## **Break**

## **Presentation — Inlay work by Dennis Lillis**

- **Presentation at Powermatic lathe** — Amazing inlay presentation. Various material types were described and how to inlay them on different types of openings in the wood. See pictures in this month's C&C.

**Meeting adjourned about 9:15 p.m.**

# President's Challenge "Multi-Axis Turning"

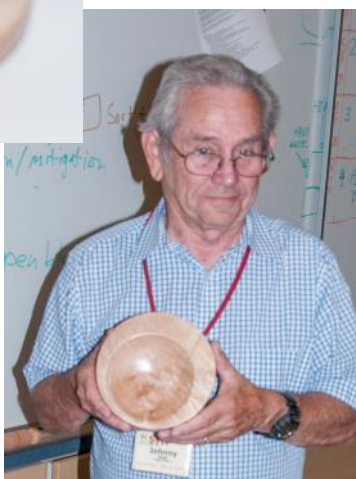
**Johnny Alias**

## Two Axis Bowl

An offset center graces this bowl. Finished with sanding sealer and wipe-on poly.



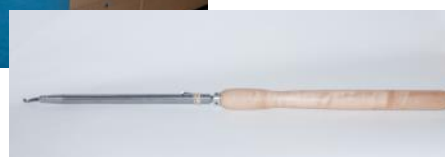
**School Donation**



**Bob Gerenser**

## Tool Handle

Maple multi-axis tool handle provides comfortable shape for hand and doesn't roll off table.



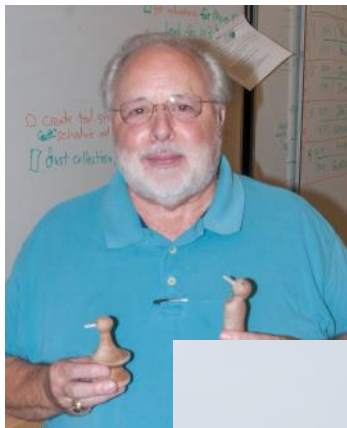
**Gordon Patnude**

## Cabriole Legs

First attempt at turning cabriole legs.

# President's Challenge

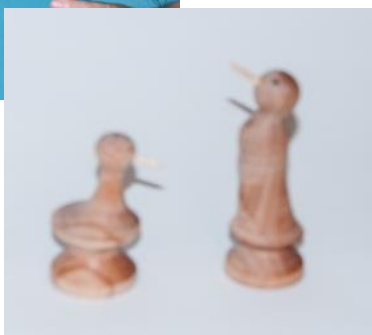
## "Multi-Axis Turning"



**Jim Loney**

### Birds

Multi-axis turnings create bird like creatures.



**Kevin Lee**

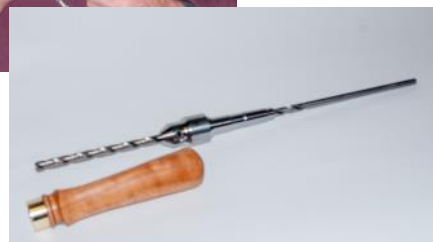
### Two Axis Candlestick

One piece candlestick, unknown wood, no finish yet.

**Steve Dahout**

### Four Axis Handle

Maple with oil finish, used with drill bit.



# President's Challenge

## "Multi-Axis Turning"

**John W. Fox**

### **Assorted Multi-Axis Turnings**

Twisted Axis turning, two axis shape, and natural edge multi-axis turning.

### **Makeup:**

April—Platter, walnut, poly finish  
July—Egg, pine



**Mike Lanahan**

### **Human? Head**

Attempt at turning a human head using Derek Weidman technique - Derek doesn't need to worry about anyone mistaking this for one of his works.

**Mark Koenig**

### **Two axis rolling pin, multi-axis goblet**

Don't Drink and Turn pieces. Eight axis goblet with tilt, and rolling pin with fault in center.



# Show & Tell



**Dave Vannier**

**Butterfly Inlay**

Walnut bowl, redwood butterfly insert with stone inlay within wings.

**Tom Kenyon**

**Faux Cups**

Set of cups that look so real that one needs to make sure no one throws them away.



**Charlie Belden**

**Lace Bobbins**

A set of 6 lace bobbins used to hold and identify multiple strands of thread used in lace making.

# Show & Tell

**Bob Gerenser**

**Chuck Holder**

Custom made chuck holder for milling machine.



**Jerry Galli**

**Hollow forms**

Numerous hollow forms and carved platter turned at Trent Bosch workshop.



**Milton West**

**Pens**

Three pens donated to school.

**School Donation**



**John Fox**

**Mushroom and Bottle Stoppers**

Mushroom with natural edge and lots of bottle stoppers.

# CLUB NOTES

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## Volunteer Instructors / Mentors

The turners below have graciously offered to open their shops to help members who want to learn to sharpen, try something new, or master a technique that just doesn't seem to be working. We all love to share. You just have to ask.

Willing to help? Contact Newsletter Editor to join this list.

**Mike Lanahan**, [mikelan@aol.com](mailto:mikelan@aol.com), (408) 926-9330 Pepper Mills, Segmented, and Shaving/Makeup Brushes.

**Dennis Lillis**, [denjlillis@gmail.com](mailto:denjlillis@gmail.com), (408) 353-3821 Hollowing, sharpening, and coring.

**Gordon Patnude**, [gppatnude@comcast.net](mailto:gppatnude@comcast.net), (408) 267-6789 Pen Turning and general turning questions.

**John Whittier**, [whit10506@aol.com](mailto:whit10506@aol.com), (408) 761-3941 Sharpening, design, natural edge bowls, boxes, goblets, tool control, you name it. Anything but segmenting.

# 2019 IRONMAN

An IRONMAN is one who successfully completes all 12 President's Challenge projects for the year. Those who meet the challenge are awarded coveted and distinctive IRONMAN name badges. A blue bar in the accompanying chart means that person has completed the project for the month indicated. You needn't be a great turner, you just need to participate. Make something in our Challenge theme and bring it to the next meeting.

## Editor's Note

If I've somehow overlooked your President's Challenge entry, send an email to

Greg Peck

greg.peck24@yahoo.com

## IRONMAN Rules

- There are twelve challenges listed for the year and in order to qualify for Ironman you must show, by the end of the year, that you have completed all twelve challenges.
- Challenge entries should be shown at the meeting corresponding to the challenge schedule.

| President's Challenge<br>2019 |         | January:<br>Spindle Turning | February:<br>Collaborative / Training | March:<br>Turning what makes sound | April:<br>Platter | May:<br>Beads of Courage Box | June:<br>Identical Twins / Complimentary | July:<br>Turn a Sphere or Egg | August:<br>Winged Bowl | September:<br>Multi-axis/ offset turning | October:<br>Top or Wild Card | November:<br>Inlay / Embellishment | December:<br>Snowman or Ornament |
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| Alias                         | Johnny  |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Balsbaugh                     | Steve   |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Bocks                         | Charles |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Bonnett                       | Don     |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Dahout                        | Steve   |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Fox                           | John W. |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Galli                         | Jerry   |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
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| Hari                          | Ray     |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Jones                         | Barbara |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Koenig                        | Mark    |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Lanahan                       | Mike    |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Lee                           | Kevin   |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Levine                        | Gordon  |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Lillis                        | Dennis  |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Loney                         | Jim     |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Mackenzie                     | Colin   |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| Martinka                      | Joe     |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
| McCutcheon                    | David   |                             |                                       |                                    |                   |                              |  |                               |                        |  |                              |                                    |                                  |
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# SVW NEEDS YOU!

It takes more than the officers and program chairs to make our club function at its best. If your name's not in the column at right, we still need your help in other ways to manage some of the club's activities. This is a HELP WANTED ad, and we need you to respond. There are always things that need doing. In particular, we need:

- Volunteers for shop tours
- Volunteers to present/demonstrate at meetings
- Members to write up their profiles for the newsletter
- Short articles or Tips & Tricks for the *Chips & Chatter* newsletter

Please contact Mike Lanahan to volunteer and help make our activities happen.

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### Silicon Valley Woodturners Membership Application

Please print and mail with a check payable to SVW for \$35\* individual (\$45\* family) to:  
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Current Member of AAW? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

| Member-ship* | Renewal | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter<br>April - June | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter<br>July - Sept. | 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter<br>Oct. - Dec. |
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Join us Wed. October 2, 2019 @7:00PM

**Santa Clara High School Woodshop**

**3000 Benton St, Santa Clara, CA**

It is right across the street from the Baptist Church sign, and just past (coming from Kiely) a No Entrance sign.

**Oct. Program:** Long Stemmed Goblet

**Oct. Challenge:** Top or Wildcard (your choice but not already a challenge 2019)

**Dinner before the Meeting:**

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