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Tomorrow
Saturday
20th October
9.00-12noon

Free turning morning at the workshop.

Open to all paid up members of current courses.

You are welcome to attend the workshop tomorrow for skills practice, to complete a project or make a flying start on your next project

DUTY OFFICER - CHRIS

TOY PROJECT

There's juust 51 days to go before the deadline of December 9

How is your contribution progressing?



JIM added his contribution by making two of these cool airplanes for some lucky person's Christmas stocking this year. Good to see other toys being made by club members but leaving your run to the last minute could be a risk. There are 51 days left but many of those days might already be booked to do other things. Get your toy underway now.

THIS WEEK'S TOP TURNING



DENIS started turning a block of wood only to reveal several “faults” as the wood was removed. With some careful resin filling work and a dash of creative thinking the “faults” became features.

The job was completed with successful sanding, waxing and buffing.

A great start to your bowl turning projects Denis. Goodonya! More please!

THIS WEEK'S COMPLETED PROJECTS



I betcha gonna ask what these things are.

These little gems were turned by our **MICHAEL** and will be used at horse shows.

These gizmos are placed in the horse's mane for a decorative effect.

Michael once had 17 horses but today he has just one Clydesdale stallion.

Bloke horses have to look good eh.

"Waste not – want not" says our **GARY**. This beautifully finished shallow bowl was once part of a large rimu bowl which came apart when, while being turned, a bowl gouge went where it was not supposed to go. Rather than throw the whole project in the scrap bin Gary fashioned what was left and VOILA! look what emerged.

Excellent!





RICHARD made a great job of his interesting off-centre turning using blackwood and kwila woods.

MITCHELL's Christmas toy contribution will put someone in a spin with this bunch of well-made spinning tops.

Goodonya Mitchell.



ROBBIE selected the wood, planned the design, cut the round, mounted the block, turned the shape, sanded and applied a finish.....all done in just part of Wednesday's evening session.

WOW – a beautiful pot made from figured macrocarpa.





EMILY showed a lot of confidence in completing her first project and quickly launched into the next.

A bright turning future it seems.

NEW CLUB MEMBERS

IVAN completed his first turning project with great enthusiasm and skill.

(A very quick learner here)

Woo Hoo!

Goodonya Ivan.





For this pen **ALEX** chose good old kiwi swamp kauri with an array of grain patterns and colours.

Pen making is a craft activity undertaken by thousands of pen makers from all over the world. There are hundreds of pen designs and costs for a single pen project kit range from \$1.50 to many \$\$\$\$\$s. While shape, colour of parts and size do set pen types apart, it's really the selection of wood that makes the biggest impression.

**REMEMBER, REMEMBER
THE 3rd of NOVEMBER**

DEMONSTRATION



Terry Scott will be demonstrating his turning techniques.

All welcome to attend this special event that will have a theme of ***NICK-KNACKS and CHRISTMASSY THINGIES.***

\$5 door charge

Terry will be bringing his shop where you can make a selection from an array of turning goodies. However if there are any special items you need give Terry a call and he will bring your order with him.

SATURDAY 3rd November will be an opportunity for some much-needed club fundraising so please do attend, bring a friend, invite your neighbour etc **[9.00a.m. – Noon]**

A many-prizes **RAFFLE** will be in operation on this occasion. **EVERYONE WELCOME.**



**SPECIAL
EVENT**

Open invitation for members of
Hamilton Woodturners club to join with
Members of the Waikato Woodworkers Guild
To Visit Treeworkx to rummage through their
Wood piles and source some for Future projects.

Great selection of Turning blanks and planks
in a wide selection of species. Respectable prices



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<http://www.wood.treeworkx.co.nz/>

Graham and Lesley Oliver

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For all your wood requirements

When – Saturday 27th October

On site from 9.00am till middayish

Possibility to car pool leaving 8.00am from
Guild Workshop, 8 Storey Ave.

If interested please contact:

BOB HOYLE NOTE: (07)847 8434 Or 027 448 4039

By Monday evening 22nd October

For catering purposes