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Simply the best! MALCOLM

An extraordinary turning project outcome.

This remarkable turning was made from 16mm pine dowelling and "West System" resin.

Next year **MALCOLM** has agreed to lead a club initiative involving a similar process.



DAVID ROSE's classy turning shows off the spectacular grain swirls of juniper heart wood, A special feature is the exceptionally fine finish to the project.



WAYNE"s large platter had to be held in the giant size XXXXXOS home-made chuck. NOTE the inclusion of veneer strips. Cor! MALCOLM PORTEOUS, after a long rest from pen making resumed some smart turning activity with a trio of Sierra pens.

OK readers can you point to the **walnut** pen?

Which one is the **juniper** wood pen.

Then find the **cherry** wood scriber.





RICHARD has done it again.

Here's a truly amazing piece of oak wood turned into a shallow dish/platter.

The wildly spread grain swirls might keep you interested for a long time.

Each time you look at it you could discover something new.

LEIGH is one of our newbie turners who has taken to wood tuning as a duck takes to water.

This is a paper pots maker, the result of a clever bit of spindle turning.

A top design and a super finish.





Let's celebrate with food and share a feast.

NEXT week It's the final week for all three wood turning classes.

Members of the three sessions have decided to mark the occasion with a shared food feast. Yum!

The good old Kiwi tradition of "bring-a-plate" will apply.

CHRISTMAS FUNCTION 2020

DATE: Sunday 6th December

TIME: 11.30 am

VENUE: AT the WISELEY residence, 303 Waite Road, Te Pahu

FORMAT: Pot luck..... bring a contribution. (Sausages provided)



CELEBRATION: All members are asked to bring some special turning projects that have been completed during the past year 2020.

These treasures will be put on display for all to admire.



29 Days until CHRISTMAS DAY

DAVID Cowley enhanced his smart bowl turning project with a ring of evenly embossed sheet copper.

(You will note that our David must have a very keen "eyeometer")





Holey Moley **GARY!....** this project featuring very accurate dremel tool work around the rim ranks right up there with some of the best work you have done this year.

Well, goodonya!

COLIN White, a newbie turner, shows his successful skills transfer from the introductory projects,

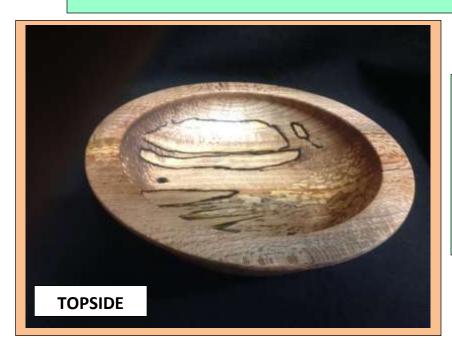
Great cup-chisel work, balance and a sense of proportion with this project.

Exit the "Newbie" tag and enter the "developing turner" status.

Goodonya Colin!



SPALTED REWAREWA Anyone?



You can se why **COLIN McKENZIE** closely guards his cache of spalted rewarewa,

The spalting effect in the wood can be quite beautiful with each block being quite unique.

SPALTING

Spalting is any form of wood coloration caused by fungi. Although primarily found in dead trees, spalting can also occur in living trees under stress. Although spalting can cause weight loss and strength loss in the wood, the unique coloration and patterns of spalted wood are sought by woodworkers.



SATURDAY MORNING (28th November) 9.00am - 12 noon Yes, the workshop will be open.

Duty Officer - **Don McNaughton**