



WEEKLY WOODTURNING

COMMUNICATION

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Hi there ☺ --

Couldn't have asked for nicer weather today, so I spent it outside trying to do some fall clean-up. If only this warm weather with a slight breeze could take us through to December 24, have some snow fall Christmas Eve and during the next day, keep that festive look, and then melt away just after New Year; that would be awesome. Unfortunately folks, I'm not a snow lovin' gal.

We are up to 45 paid members for the WGO so this is your friendly reminder about our annual dues. Starting November, only paid members will be allowed entry to the Zoom meetings. And trust me, we have so great turners coming up! So, please submit your \$60 either by e-transfer to jackgelber70@gmail.com or by sending a cheque, payable to Woodturners Guild of Ontario, to:

Jack Gelber - 186 North Meadow Crescent,
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On the 28th of October we will be having an amazing skills night. I honestly don't know what we would do without Richard Pikul – his knowledge and talent that he shares with our group is amazing! I'm going to keep it a secret for a bit, but was able to proof read a handout today which, in my humble opinion, he's topped himself yet again! Stay tuned.

Frank's Zoom Demo last Thursday was also amazing. For those of you who came late to the

party or missed it completely, please reach out to me for the link to our recorded demo. Frank did an amazing job and I do believe for the November show & tell, you may see me with a square bowl.

During the demo, Frank discussed sharpening and he mentioned his CBN wheel on his grinder. This prompted Richard to realize that our skills night in September for sharpening didn't quite go over the CBN wheel in detail. He has therefore taken the time to write the attached information sheet. Please have a read, it's a good one!

Still no word on being able to get back into Dunbarton High School. Even many of the clubs across Canada have not yet ventured back into actually meeting in person, although one club in Winnipeg is going to try this week and he'll let me know how it goes. They are doing a half meet in person, and the other half watching on Zoom. His only comment was how hard it is to get volunteers to help with the video taping. Please remember, our very own WGO wouldn't be who we are without the great volunteers who give of their time!! When we meet in person again, we will be having elections. This is something to think about, we will have many positions open that will need someone to fill. Please think about giving back to this great club!

Until then,

Stay healthy, stay happy and keep smiling!

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