

Water Gap Woodturners
Chapter of the AAW
Jack Delaney
Secretary

Water Gap Woodturners (WGWT)
Meeting Notes
October 5, 2026
Peters Valley Woodworking Studio,
Thunder Mountain Rd,
7-9 PM

Members present- Steve Ackmann, Jim Cerra, Jack Delaney, Keith Gooding, Scott Hendricks, John Kananis, Dave Robinson, Larry Zarra and Karl Viernstein. Welcome New member Billy Erb. On zoom call Joe Kopec

1. Welcome! No comments on last months meeting or minutes.

2. Thanks to those who cleaned up after Ed's demonstration at the last meeting-: Ed, Dave, Scott, and John R.

3. Chairperson Reports

a. Webpage - Steve, no update

b. PV Gallery Liaison - Scott gave a summation of the documents he sent out to all the members and stressed the need and importance to support the PV store with spin tops. In addition Scott showed the group other items that PV store have success selling. Kitchen utensils and pottery tools. Pictures attached at end of notes.

c. Woodshop Liaison – Steve, no update.

Information on the tool Steve was showing during S&T.

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d. Peters Valley Liaison – Keith, Larry gave advice on pricing of items for selling.

e. AAW Liaison – Keith, no update.

f. Grey Towers Liaison – Dave noted the Grey Towers event had 520 attendees, not bad for the stormy weather all day. Last year they had approx 1,500 attendees. Notes on this event were sent out previously.

4. Officers Reports

a. VP Report – Scott: October Guest Artist Brian Maguire is confirmed for Oct 25th at PV Shop.

b. Treasurer Report – Dave gave the financials to the club members.

c. Recording Secretary - Jack, no update

d. President Report - Keith reviewed upcoming election of club officers. Leadership team with input from members to create a club calendar for 2027. Meeting dates request submitted to PV for 1st Wednesday. Awaiting guest list for artists from Peters Valley.

i. November Elections: President, Recording Secretary

John Kananis was scheduled to do a skew demonstration at tonight's meeting. An issue was discovered in setting up the demonstration lathe and was not able to proceed. Scott Hendricks worked with PV and one way to resolve.

<u>Calendar look ahead-</u>

October 25- **Sunday** Brian Maguire demonstration on winged bowl.

November 4th Wednesday Monthly WGWT meeting PV Shop. John Kananis will do a skew demonstration. Rescheduled from Oct 5th mtg

November 14th- Saturday Members to turn tops for PV store, led by Larry Zarra.

December 5th Saturday - Peters Valley shop for seasons of hope toy turning. RSVP required.

Feb WGWT meeting hosted by Scott Hendricks.

March meeting hosted by Larry Zarra.

April meeting hosted by Jack Delaney.

Tools Scott noted during his review of items for PV store- Potters tools



<u>WGWT members show and tell-</u>

Steve Ackmann- Hickory Globe





John Kananis - cake platter and walnut bowl






Dave Robinson - Yo Yo’s for PV store



Jim Cerra - Red Maple Bowl (Grandkid gift)





Larry Zarra - Rosewood and walnut vessels



Karl Viernstein - Cedar large vessel (won honorable mention at Mid atlantic symposium)

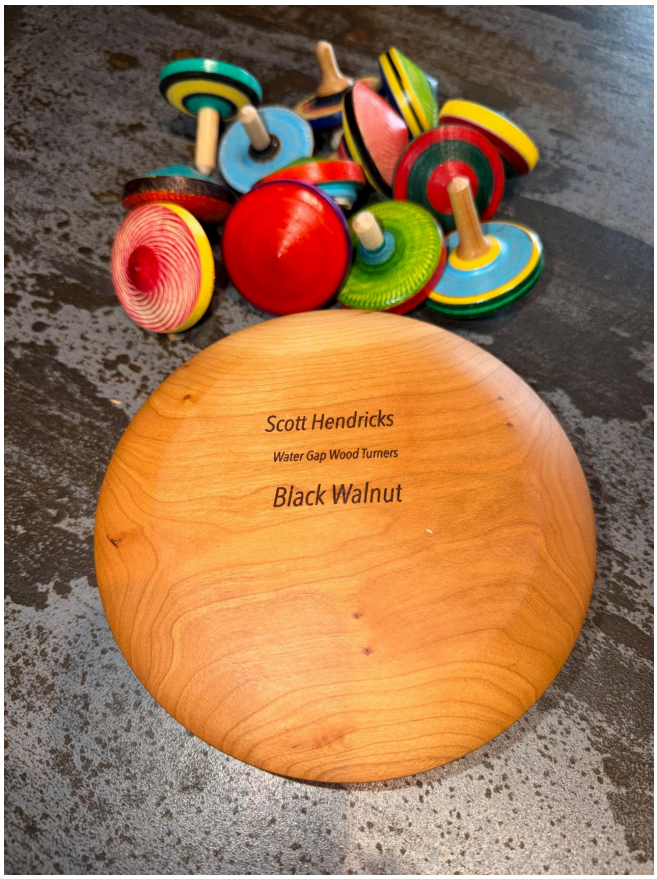


Karl- Mid Atlantic Symposium wining





Scott Hendricks- Dozen tops and bowl for PV store (submitted to store prior to mtg)





Jack Delaney Tops for PV (Maple & Cherry) Bowls (Cherry & Oak)



