

NWWT Charter

Our charter is to preserve and expand the art of woodturning for the betterment of the community.

We welcome woodturners of all ages and skill levels especially beginners and youth.

New To Turning?

Woodturning can produce items ranging from functional to purely artistic. Common among them are cylindrical, or round, or curved surfaces, all of which are produced using specific tools and techniques on a lathe.

For a new turner, starting out can be daunting – not only determining what tools and equipment are essential, but also learning how to properly and safely use them.

We provide knowledgeable resources informally at our regular monthly **Meetings** as well as through quarterly **Classes** and monthly **Open Shop** and **Turning Talks**.



Northwest Woodturners

is a proud chapter of the international nonprofit, American Association of Woodturners (AAW).

The AAW, founded in 1986, is the largest organization in the world dedicated to the advancement of woodturning.

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OF WOODTURNERS

To join and learn of the many AAW member benefits, please visit their website at:
www.woodturner.org



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Member Benefits

- Monthly **Meetings** in person and via Zoom with live demonstrations
- Monthly **Turning Talk** via Zoom to share woodturning ideas and techniques, and get answers and guidance to solve your turning issues
- Monthly **Open Shop** with seven lathes and experienced coaches
- Quarterly **Classes** for beginners and intermediate turners
- **NWWT Store** offers supplies at cost



Why Join Northwest Woodturners

LEARN

Learn From The Best – Local, national and international woodturners' demos and hands-on classes.

Basic Classes – Learn the basics: Safety, sharpening, tool control, spindle turning, bowl turning, and more.

Advanced Classes – Expand your Basic skills to the next level

Open Shop – Free monthly, staffed by experienced members. Sharpen your tools; get one-on-one help

Meeting Demonstrations – Learn something new at each meeting: techniques, projects, embellishments

Library – Largest club collection of woodturning books and DVDs in the Pacific NW.



SHARE

Show-n-Tell – Bring your items to each meeting for admiration by all.

Monthly Challenge – Usually based on last month's demo, show your work

Monthly Turning Talk – Ask questions and share experiences with members

Excellent Monthly Newsletter – News about upcoming seminars, events in the area, woodturning articles, and pictures of last month's Show-n-Tell and Challenge submissions.

NWWT YouTube Channel – Over 60 demonstrations available



SAVE

Discounts – Our business partners offer generous discounts.

NWWT Store – We purchase various shop supplies in bulk and then pass the savings on to you

Monthly Raffle – Lots of wood, tools and other items are raffled at each meeting

Estate Sales – Notification and participation in sales events offer tremendous bargains

JOIN US!

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Monthly Meetings

Not sure about becoming a member? Come visit a meeting and check us out! Visitors are always welcome!

When: First Thursday of each month
Most are simulcast on Zoom
6:30 PM – Social Time
7:00 – 9:00 PM – Meeting

Where: The Multnomah Arts Center
www.multnomahartscenter.org
7688 SW Capitol Hwy
Portland, OR 97219

The MAC provides a large meeting space, an excellent audio/video system, good parking, and easy access for East and Westside members.

