

# Turn North

The Monthly Newsletter of the Northland Woodturners



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## Business Meeting

The meeting was opened by Dave Halter. The need to prepare Plugs was the primary order of business. Tentatively Thursday June 19 at 6 pm was set for glue up and Saturday June 21 for turning.

David Bartlett proposed a BBQ dinner and potluck for the July meeting.



## Chapter meetings:

First Thursday of each month, 7-9 pm.

Our new address is:

**6737 NW Tower Drive  
Platte Woods Mo. 64151**

We're south of Zona Rosa just off NW Prairie View Rd., just east of Platte Woods Police department and City Hall on the north side of the mall.

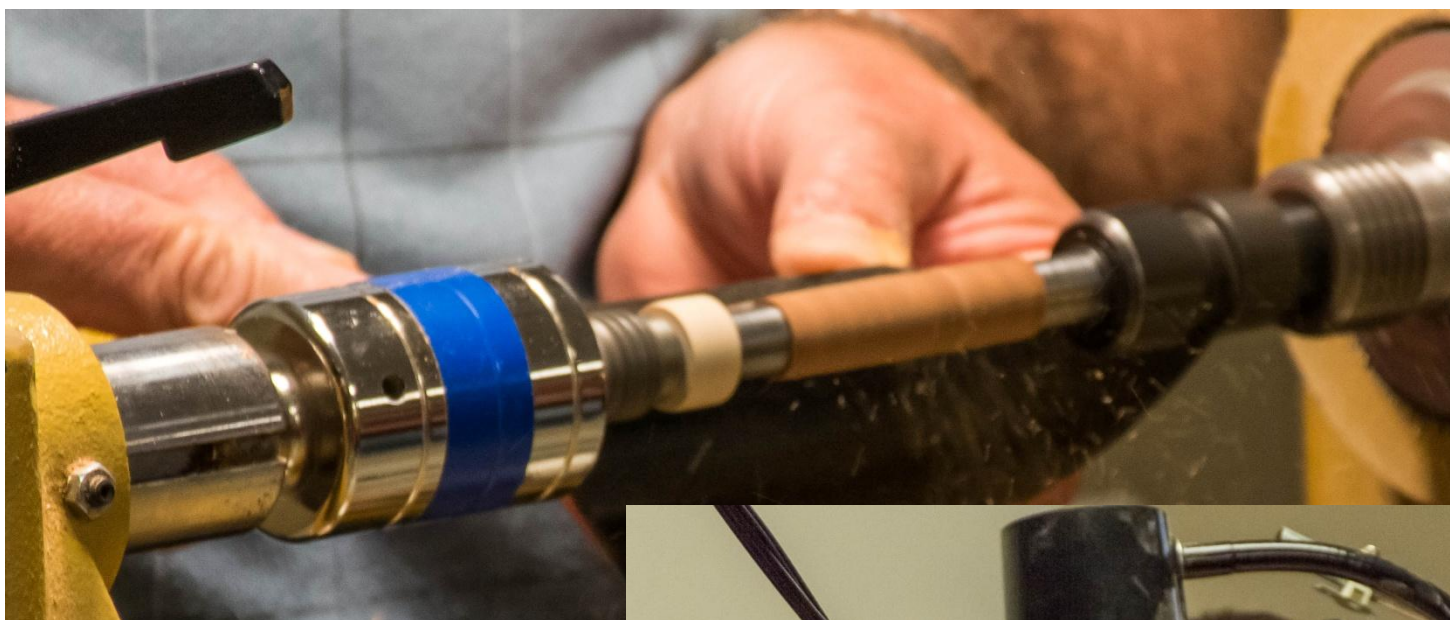
## Coming Attractions

July 3 .....Potluck and Turning Competition

**Newsletters on the chapter website:  
<http://northlandwoodturners-kc.com>**

## June Program

Larry Settle and Chip Siskey teamed up to give a presentation on pen turning. They were able to give detailed instructions from drilling and gluing through the final stages of finishing. They discussed several alternatives at each stage and what worked best for them. Such as drilling the blank on the lathe or a drill press, skew vs gouge, and finish alternatives.





## Show and Tell

Walnut Pepper mill and  
salt shaker turned by  
Stephen Campbell



Finished Urn  
and Micro Skew  
by Chip Siskey





**Randy Hawn  
brought an Oak  
Natural Edge form.**



**Tony  
Mansheim's  
Acorn Box  
from Walnut,  
Maple, and  
Pine.**







**Mesquite Box presented  
by Kent Townsend.**



**Door Stops by  
David Bartlett.**





A nice selection of pens  
turned by Larry Settle.



Cherry Bowl by  
Andy Brundage.



### Damage Control Plugs

Thanks to everyone who's helped with our plug orders. Our inventory is getting low so we will be asking for help getting restocked. There will be boxes of blanks at the next meeting. Please consider taking a box home and turning them by the following meeting.

Here's a table with the plug dimensions for reference. It's also on the [Club News](http://www.northlandwoodturners-kc.com/Plus%20Size%20and%20Cut%20List.mht) tab of the club website at <http://www.northlandwoodturners-kc.com/Plus%20Size%20and%20Cut%20List.mht>

Basically, the plugs are all truncated cones with the large diameter on one end connected to the small diameter on the other end with a straight taper.

Plug	Lg Dia	Length	Sm Dia
#1	1 1/2	7	5/8
#2	2 1/4	4	1 1/4
#3	3 1/4	3 1/2	2 1/8
#4	4 1/4	5 3/4	2 3/4
#5	6 1/2	6	4 3/4

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