WSWC club meeting – Monday 15th April 2024 Peter Taylor Memorial competition and Multi-Turn

Club News

Last meeting

This was the annual Peter Taylor Memorial competition / challenge and Multi-Turn. A report for this meeting is in this newsletter, I am indebted to John Woods who covered for me in my absence to provide a report and some photographs.

Next meeting

The next meeting will be on May 20th and will be by Tic Challis on the subject of 'Creativity and Turning'.

That's all for now, Neil (Newsletter and website)

Meeting report

What a busy meeting.

We had Martin Taylor demonstrating bowl coring with a Kelton McNaughton coring system.

This was Martins' first attempt at using this system and he was successful at getting out a usable core.

Although this is probably the most versatile of coring systems it is not the easiest to use.



Trevor Branton was turning small items that would be appropriate for tombola items.









Mick Favager was demonstrating his laser burning system.

Tic Challis was demonstrating pyrography techniques







Stuart Clarke was demonstrating sharpening on a Robert Sorby Pro Edge system.

As well as these demonstrators, we also had a 'Bring & Buy' stall. Mainly items from a workshop clearance for a woodturner who has had to stop turning for health reasons.

And we had some new guests this month who were mixing well with other members.



Peter Taylor Competition 2024

Along with these demonstrations, we held our competition in honour of our former member Peter Taylor. The theme for this was 'A Footed Item'.

1st place went to Malcom Keer



2nd place went to Stuart Clarke



3rd place went to: Ian Cameron











Congratulations to Malcolm Keer and to all the runner ups, as usual all of the entries were of great quality.

Next year's Challenge competition will be announced at the Annual General Meeting in November.