



CALGARY WOODTURNERS GUILD NEWSLETTER

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Norm called the meeting to order, although a little tardy.

A few new members Blane, Patrick, Lorne as well as Ted from Edmonton, welcome.

Couple of reminders:

Carl was pleased to announce Steve Rasko has stepped up and assumed Carls duties as Membership Records.

Dews will be due in January, but we will accept payment at the next meeting in December.

Due to increasing insurance dues will increase in 2021, but for 2020, we can expect them to stay the same.

There was more talk on upgrading the club's audio / visual equipment, and there was a motion to spend \$6000 (ish) on a camera and a projector. We will see how Norm and Steve do at the December meeting in a few weeks.

The main presentation was "Photography for Woodturners" by Doug Drury and Wilf Talbot.

This informative presentation concentrated on producing the best possible pictures of your turned object, spending as little as possible and using a camera and equipment that you already have.

The equipment needed:

- Camera (hopefully something with a few exposed settings)
- A Background
- Light source

The camera, and the ability to adjust:

- White balance
- Exposure
- ISO
- F Stop
- Shutter speed

The background items are endless, however for a cheap and easy starter a white sheet or a large piece of white construction paper from the dollar stores proves to do the trick.

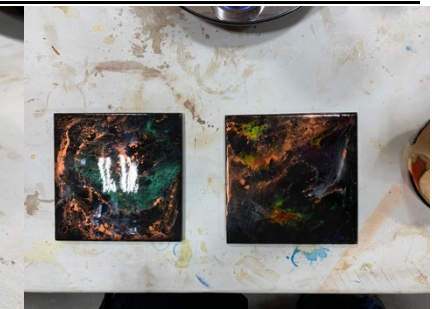
Lighting can be tricky depending on the natural and artificial light that is already available in the room or area you plan on taking the picture.

To be consistent use one light source only try to ensure the light is even, use a diffuser if necessary, to get the desired result.



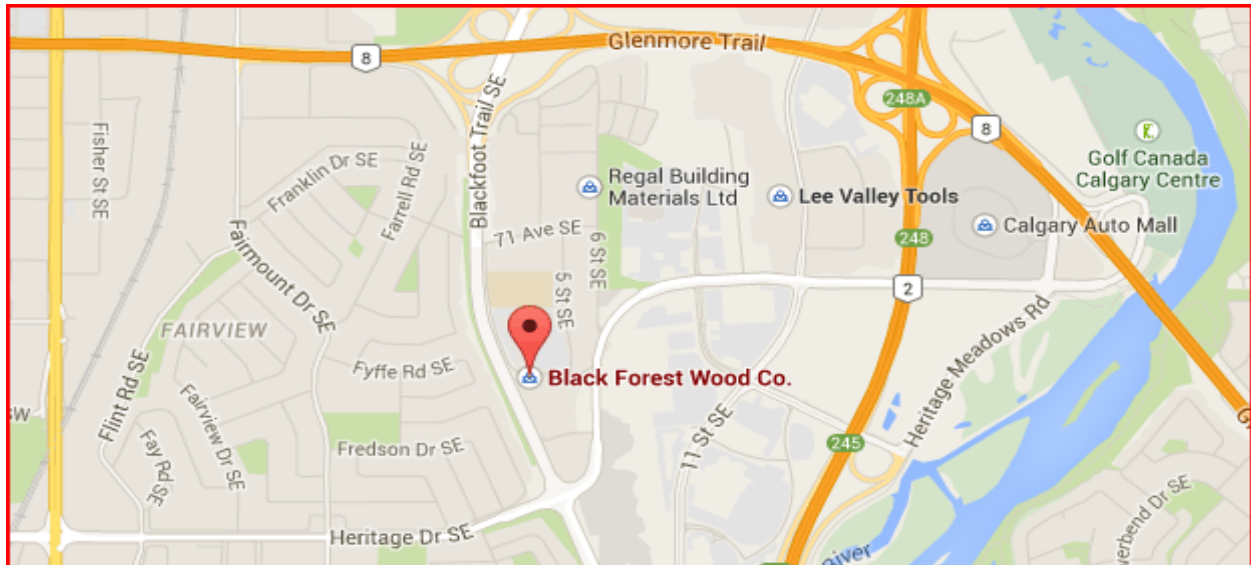
To read more I have added the presentation in PDF form to the newsletter.

The Gallery



Guild Meetings

The Calgary Woodturners Guild meets at Black Forest Wood Company (603, 77 Ave SE, Calgary) the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM except for July and August. Visitors are always welcome.



About the Guild...

GUILD PURPOSE

To promote the art and craft of Woodturning in a way that expands the knowledge, safe practice, and enjoyment of woodturning, thereby benefitting both members and also the community

FOR THE MEMBERS:

- To provide all members with a method of regularly exchanging ideas and experience in woodturning
- To promote safety in woodturning
- To benefit from group size in acquiring published resources & materials

FOR THE COMMUNITY

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MEMBERSHIP DUES

Annual Dues - \$30.00 with Email, otherwise \$35.00

Dues paid on a calendar year basis

CLUB OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

President: Norm Olsen

Vice President: Garry Goddard

Treasurer: Steve Olson

Secretary: Doug Drury

Director - Website Administrator: Sherry Willetts

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Director - Sawdust Session coordinator: Ken Kindjerski

Director - Sawdust Session coordinator: Albert Daniels

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Librarian: Carl Smith

Membership Records: Steve Rasko

Newsletter: Brad Tink

Photographer: Vacant

Programs: Terry Golbeck

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School Liaison: Vacant

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Webmaster: Sherry Willetts

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