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The Monthly Newsletter of the Northland Woodturners

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September Program

V.P. David Bartlett put on the September meeting. His topic was turning scoops. Dave showed us how he makes a hollow form similar to a goblet then cuts part of it away on the band saw to form the scoop.

Thanks, David, for another interesting program!

Chapter meetings:

First Thursday of each month, 7-9 pm at the old Stephenson's Apple Orchard restaurant near 56th Street and I-29. The address is: **5755 NW Northwood KC Mo. 64151**

Coming Attractions

October 4..... tba
November 1..... ????

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Presenter David Bartlett's scoop turned during September's meeting.

Business

President Dave Halter opened the meeting.

Secretary Harlan confirmed that he had a senior moment and forgot to email the meeting reminder/newsletter link (snail mailed newsletters did go out on time). Unfortunately, he wasn't immediately relieved of his duties so he'll have to try to do better next month.

V.P. David Bartlett made another appeal for program ideas.

We discussed having another workshop. We received a letter from Ernie Conover stating he may be in the area and available for a workshop.

Chip proposed that the club purchase a sliding miter saw to help with cutting plug blanks. Everyone was in favor.

Chip announced that we received the \$1100 payment for the last plug order.

Don Heese had another couple of IKEA LED lights for sale.

Dave Halter brought a magnetic base LED light that he hopes will work on his lathe.

President Dave announced that we will be having a screwdriver handle turning challenge. Hardware kits will be available at the September meeting. Those wanting to participate will take a kit home and bring the completed screwdriver to the October meeting for judging.

We had our Show & Tell then had our raffle after the break.

SALE!!!!!!!

Metro Hardwoods will be celebrating their 5 year anniversary with a huge sale on September 29th. They will be serving BBQ from 11:00 to 1:00 and 94.9 FM KCMO will be at the store for live remotes. Check their website at <http://www.metrohardwoodsinc.com/>

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Pepper grinders by Larry Cory



Chip Siskey brought his treadle lathe. Several folks took a try and determined it takes a little more coordination than they expected. Chip tried to convince David to use it for his scoop demonstration but he respectfully declined.


President Dave got an email about pen blanks for sale:
Osage Orange & Black Cherry pen blanks for sale
The Pen Blank Dimensions are 3/4" x 3/4"x6". Price is \$1.50 each
Other sizes are also available.
Choice of heart wood or combination heart wood and sap wood.
Trees were in Eastern, KS, south of Olathe. The wood was
harvested from trees recently blown down in wind storms or from
fence rows removed for new fencing. Planks were air dried for
over 1 year in enclosed building.

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October Meeting

The program for the October meeting was not firmed up by the time this newsletter needed to go out. Please plan on being at next Thursday's meeting for what's sure to be another fantastic program.

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