

Turn North

The Monthly Newsletter of the Northland Woodturners



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Chapter meetings:

First Thursday of each month, 7-9 pm.

Our address is:

**6737 NW Tower Drive
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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

AAW Symposium Jun 22-25

Newsletters on the chapter website:

<http://northlandwoodturners-kc.com>

Event Information:

<http://www.woodturner.org/?page=2017KC>

<http://kcwoodturners.org/2017-aaw-symposium/>

Business Meeting

The meeting was opened by Chapter President Dave Halter. Everyone is reminded that volunteers are needed for the 2017 AAW Symposium to be held in Kansas City June 22-25:

- Videographers and demo assistants – will be trained but will be tied down to demo assigned.
- Sign up through AAW Website or Chip Siskey for our club
- Volunteers are needed to work with veterans and youth training – certification in Industrial Arts Education needed.
- Volunteers will be restricted in access if they do not pay entry fee.
- Student discounts are available see website.
- Lathe raffle – proceeds help local clubs based on volunteer participation.
- Richard McCartney is the local Conference Coordinator.
- Chip Siskey is our Club Coordinator.

Rustic Hardwoods in King City has very reasonable turning blanks on clearance sale.

Final Item: Plug for plugs – we need #1's!!!

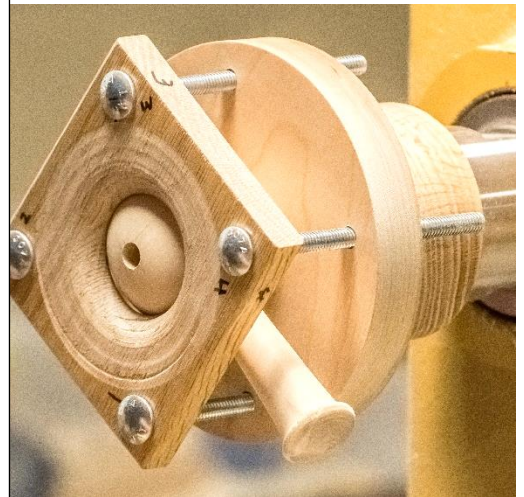




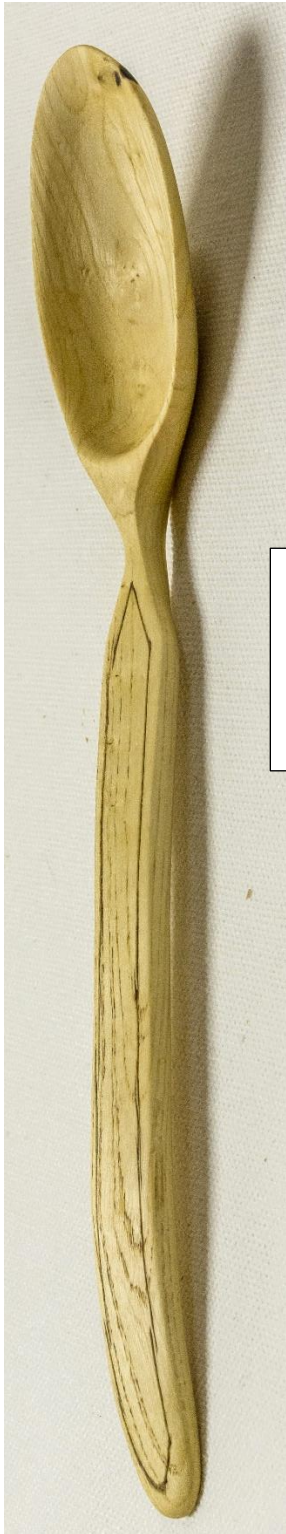
Scoop – Jim Tate

Jim started with 2"x2"x6" square blank. With the tailstock up to help stabilize the stock he turned it round. Once round he laid out the center and ends of the sphere. After backing out the tailstock Jim turned a sphere on the end of the blank. He stressed that to be very close to a perfect sphere was important.

Once the sphere was complete he shaped the handle and parted it from the chuck. He then tightened into his donut chuck. Once secure he drilled a depth guide hole and hollowed the sphere. He said that the donut chuck is not hard to make but be accurate and leave room behind the 1"x8 nut to completely tighten down on the lathe spindle.

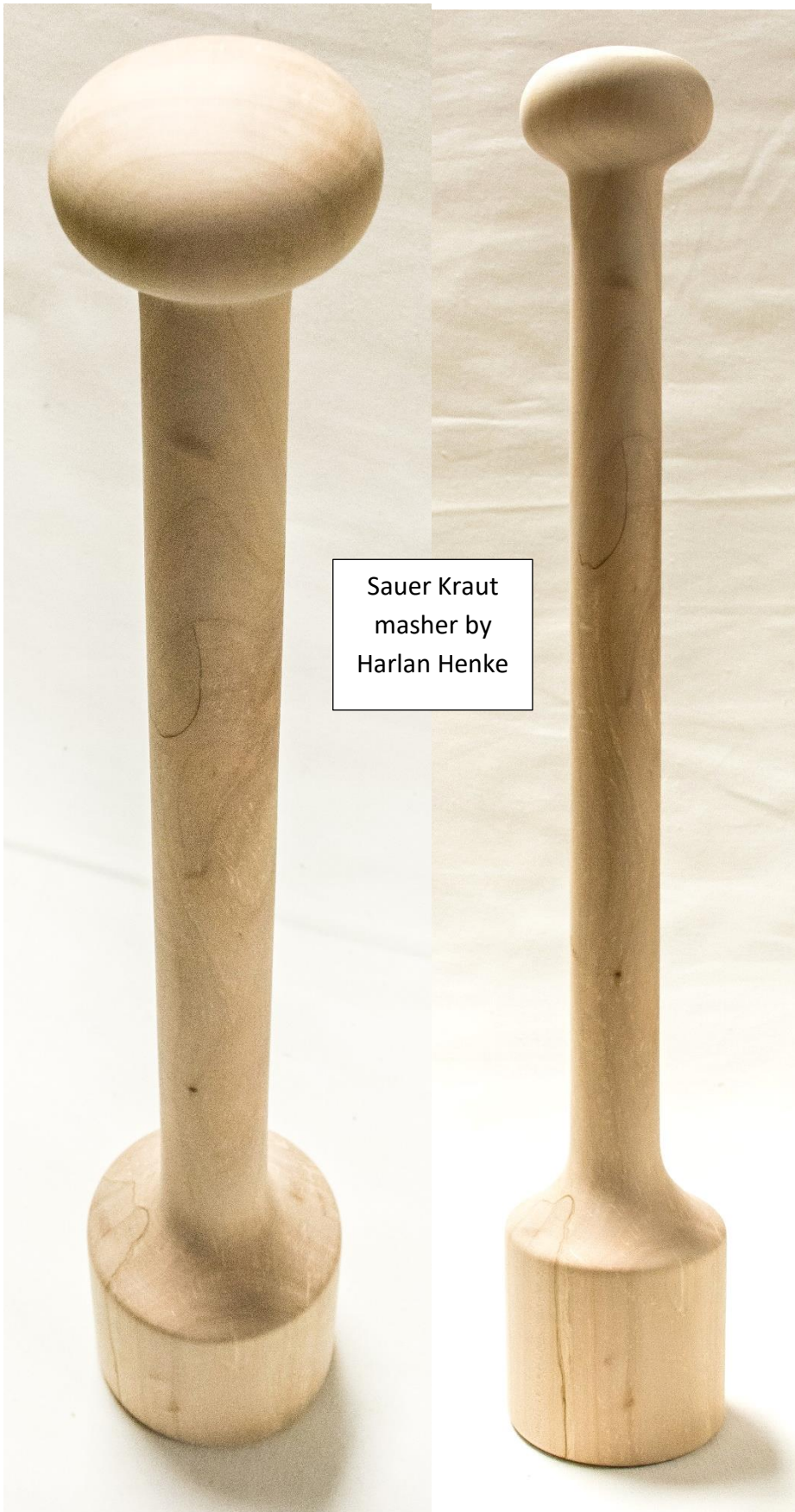


Show and Tell



Hackberry
Spoon, Maple
Bowl by Kent
Townsend





Sauer Kraut
masher by
Harlan Henke



Cherry
Burl Pen
by David
Bartlett

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 tab of the club website at

<http://www.northlandwoodturners-kc.com/Plus%20Size%20and%20Cut%20List.mht>


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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