

# GOLDEN ISLES WOODWORKERS AND WOODTURNERS

BRUNSWICK, GA

## FEBRIARY 2025

### MEETING:

FEBRUARY 8, 10:00 A.M.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

1105 UNION STREET

BRUNSWICK, GA

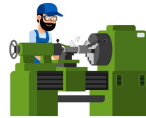
**PUBLIC WELCOME**

### **DEMO:**

**TRACY LEE**

**EMBELLISHING USING**

**CARVING, WOODBURNING,  
ETC.**



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



I hope that everyone survived the unusually cold weather and snow and ice. It was a good time to work in our shops (if you had heat in your shop!).

January's demo by Mark Wood was very informative and the feedback has been very positive. Mark's wife calls his shop "his happy place". His work is very, very good. In February we have another interesting demo by Tracey Lee. In this demonstration, Tracey will be discussing the various tools she uses to embellish wood forms, including the microcarver, NSK, woodburner, and Freedom. She will walk you through her process for carving intricate patterns and textures to create depth and dimension in the wood. Additionally, Tracey will explain how she prepares the surface for color application, specifically focusing on the drybrush technique to enhance the textures she has created.

We are booked for a show at Jekyll Island Art Association at Goodyear Cottage in October 2026—yes they are booked that far out unless we want to show in the hot summer months. The Shrimp & Grits Festival is in October so that should increase our traffic and hopefully our sales. We have lots of time to make items for the show.

We need a demo for March. Do we have any volunteers or do you have any suggestions?

We have decided to have a club project making a Moravian Workbench for woodworking demos. If anyone is interested in working on this project, please sign up at the February meeting. This is a good group project and we will have a nice workbench that breaks down to make it easy to move outside or change of venues if need be.

I'm looking forward to seeing everyone on February 8th.

Make some sawdust and shavings!

Steve

**NOTE FROM KAREN: DUES ARE DUE. \$35.** Please bring a check or exact cash to the February meeting. If you are unable to attend the meeting, please mail a check made payable to GIWW to our new Treasurer, Heb Miles, 7 West Lake Drive, St. Simons Island, GA 31522

## ABOUT OUR DEMONSTRATOR



### Tracey Lee

I was born in New York. I am a veteran US Navy Photographer. I have a undergraduate degree in Computer Science. I am now retired and living in St. Johns, Florida.

I have often been asked how I became interested in woodturning and when I started turning. I have always had a desire to work with wood and create things. I never really found the chance until after I retired in 2017.

When I started to focus more on my bobbin lacemaking hobby. Tiny spindles, called bobbins are used to make lace. I thought I could start turning my bobbins and tools, so I bought my first lathe.

As my skills grew, I started turning many other creations. My garage soon morphed into a studio and I acquired more tools. I am now embellishing with paint and tools such as micro carvers and wood burners.

I am a member of the Northeast Florida Woodturners Association and the American Association of Woodturners.

# MARK WOOD'S DEMO



## [GIWW SOURCES DISCOUNTS](#)

**Case Wood Supply** – [www.casewoodworking.com](http://www.casewoodworking.com), 1725 Grove Point Road, Savannah, 912-927-9000

**Florida Southern Wood Supply** – [www.fspcjax.com](http://www.fspcjax.com), 5909 W. 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Jacksonville, FL – 904-786-4382

**Hood Wood Supply** – [www.hooddistribution.com](http://www.hooddistribution.com), 5311 Doolittle Road, Jacksonville, FL – 904-783-0170 – minimum order is \$500. No discount on delivery. Good pricing on maple, cherry and oak

**Penn State** – [www.pennstateind.com](http://www.pennstateind.com) – 1-800-377-7297 – Log onto site and place your order. 10% off items, BUT you must contact them after you order to tell them you are a member of GIWW. They have a current membership list.

**Peachtree Woodworking Supply** – [www.ptreeusa.com](http://www.ptreeusa.com) – 770-458-5539 – “We do offer a 10% discount to guild members on most items. It does not qualify for machinery and other power tools. We do not charge your credit card at the time of purchase; only once it ships. The best thing to do is place the order online and follow up with an email or call with the confirmation number and we can make sure you get the discount.” Guild member: GIWW

**Rockler Woodworking** – 4643 River City Drive, Suite 101, Jacksonville, FL 32246 – 10% discount. 904-404-3240 – Manager: Ryan Sedgley

**Shelia Bishop** on Facebook – Laser Engraving – 912-258-0951

**Repurpose Savannah** – [repurposesavannah.org](http://repurposesavannah.org) - 2302 E. Gwinett St, Savannah GA – 912-272-0268 – Open Hours: Thursday – Saturday 9 am – 4 pm

**Carter and Son**– Paul Carter - <https://carterandsontoolworks.com/> - (206) 878-7672, 2042 S. 244th PL Seattle, WA 98198

**Klingspor Abrasives USA** - 2555 Tate Blvd SE, Hickory, NC 28602 - [\(800\) 645-5555](tel:8006455555) - <https://www.klingspor.com/> - Local Rep – Bernard Goldwire – 912-323-1244

**Craft Supplies USA** - <https://www.woodturnerscatalog.com> – Angie McMahon, [amcmahon@woodturnerscatalog.com](mailto:amcmahon@woodturnerscatalog.com), 800-551-8876 – See policy on next page.

Dear Club Representative,

On behalf of Craft Supplies USA and our staff, I would like to thank you and your club members for your past support. We look forward to working with you in 2024.

I am excited to reintroduce our Club Support Program and hope that will be beneficial for you and your club members to be aware of.

1. Each club will receive 1- \$10.00 gift certificate for every 10 club members each quarter. We hope these gift cards will be helpful with your club operations and activities. We understand the time and effort that keeping a club requires, and we want to assist you in your efforts. How you decide to use the gift cards to benefit your club members is entirely up to you. We have seen clubs use these cards as prizes in turning competitions, use as raffle prizes to raise money for club operations, etc. If you decide to hold a special event or need assistance with a special project, please let us know, and we'll do our best to provide support for that as well.

Please note: Certificates should be passed along to club members for individual use and should not be withheld from club members for the purpose of placing club orders.

2. Please submit a copy of your club roster along with any changes in club contact information to our Club Liaison, Angie McMahon by mail or via email to: [amcmahon@woodturnerscatalog.com](mailto:amcmahon@woodturnerscatalog.com). These rosters will be used only to verify club membership numbers, and will not be shared with anyone.

4. We are happy to provide copies of our Craft Supplies USA catalog to clubs upon request.

5. Club Orders- Club members are welcome to pool their orders into a single club order to receive an additional 13% discount off current retail prices. Also, we cover the shipping charges on orders shipped within the contiguous 48 states. For orders shipped to Alaska and Hawaii, actual shipping charges will be added.

Club orders must meet the following requirements:

- Minimum order value of \$1,000.00 after all discounts are applied
- Order must ship to a single address
- One form of payment
- Maximum of 2 gift certificates per club order

Please note the following:

- Freight added items, ie., lathes, grinders, etc, do not qualify for club discounts/free shipping.
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- Please submit all club orders by email to: [service@woodturnerscatalog.com](mailto:service@woodturnerscatalog.com) or by calling our Customer Service Department at 1-800-551-8876

Thank you for your continued club support. We look forward to working with you again this year. If you have any questions, please contact our Club Liaison, Angie McMahon.

Email- [amcmahon@woodturnerscatalog.com](mailto:amcmahon@woodturnerscatalog.com)

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Sincerely,

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President