

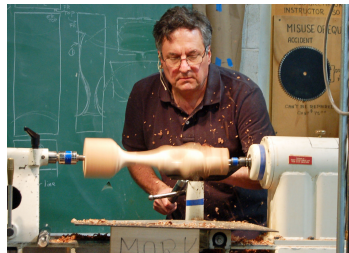
December 2014



BUCKS WOODTURNERS

Monthly Newsletter

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Multi-axis Turning with Mark Sfirri

What a great demonstration! Last month, Mark showed us how he turns one of his iconic figures. He was able to take a process that at first blush is mind-boggling and made it look rather simple. By using 6 different axes and beads and coves, he created a sculpture that looks carved, not turned.

Mark also talked about his commissioned sculpture, *Building Blocks*, that can be seen in the Bucks county Community College Links Pavilion. Selected from dozens of submissions from across the country, Mark's sculpture reflects the building blocks of knowledge acquired at Bucks and throughout life. You can read more about Mark's sculpture in the latest issue of the *American Woodturner*. Read more about this on our [blog](#)!

For more photos on the demonstration check out the [Events Photo Gallery](#) on the [Bucks Woodturners Website](#).

Renew Your Membership for the Holiday Raffle on December 15th.

It's real easy to renew your membership. Print a [membership form](#) from the website and either bring it to the meeting or mail it to Gary Hoffman with your check. Your membership allows us

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Events

[Holiday Meeting & Pollyanna - Dec 15](#)

[Hicks 50th Anniversary Alumni Exhibition](#)

[CAW: Rediscovering Emil Milan](#)

[Works in Wood](#)

[January Mtg Show & Tell Jan 25](#)

[DelVal Carvers Show Feb 28 - March 1](#)

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News in Bucks Blog

[Sfirri's Building Blocks](#) in AAW Journal

[AAW Bulletin on 2015 Symposium](#)

Events Photo Gallery

[November Demo by](#)

to bring in top-notch talent for our demonstrations, provide equipment for the wood shop, and give small awards to talented students in the Fine Wood program at Bucks. Membership also automatically enrolls you in our Holiday raffle. This year we will be raffling three prizes: two Bucks Woodturners Logo Shirts, and one Annual Membership. Be at the meeting to win a prize!

Pollyannas Carry a Tune this Year

As you've heard, music boxes will be the Pollyanna theme for this year's holiday party in December. Given the creativity of the group, we are bound to see some really interesting work. The music works plays Greensleeves; we will have to see if some of its racier historical [lyrical interpretations](#) inspired any of our turners. Who knew!

If you have anything you'd like to share with the membership, bring your Show and Tell's to the December Meeting. Matt thinks we will have some time to show these. Just save a couple for the January Meeting.

President's Challenge for January's Meeting

And don't hesitate to grab one or more of the wine storage kits for Matt's President Challenge: use all or part of the kit to make something. Matt will give extra point to those using multiple boxes! No more rules than that, other than to have some fun!

Make these changes on your calendar!

The January meeting will be held on January 26th as the school is closed on our normal third week of the month. Similarly, because Spring Break occurs during the 3rd week of March, our meeting will be held on March 23rd.

If you have news you would like to share with Bucks Woodturners send it any time to [Ward Stevens](#).

Bucks County Community College Emergency Closings: BWT meetings will be canceled when BCCC is closed. When inclement weather forces the closing of BCCC, announcements will be

[Mark Sfirri](#)

[October Meeting Hands
On Workshop](#)

The Center for Art in Wood

Saturday, January 17

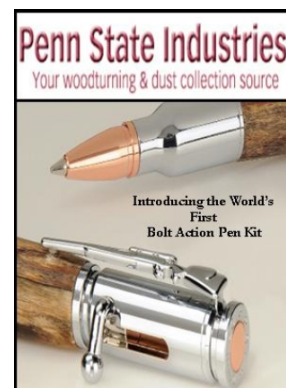
1-4:30pm

WHYY

150N. 6th Street
Philadelphia, PA
19106

[Emil Milan Symposium](#)

This is the first symposium to address the work of Emil Milan as well as the first one organized by the Center to be held at WHYY, a national leader in PBS programming. The fruits of a research project will be brought together to highlight the importance of Emil Milan in the worlds of craft, design and art during the second half of the 20th century.



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