

Chatter and Catches

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President's Gouge

The June meeting was a bust. By the time I realized the conflict with the Carson Valley Days' Parade it was too late to reschedule. Then, the county made a late decision to close the center until noon. Hope to see you all on July 10th.

Ken Crosby is keeping his tools sharp and will be doing the live demonstration he had planned for the June meeting. He will be showing us the finer points of turning a natural/live edge bowl. Bring your notebook.

Turn Here for Safety

Before the lathe is turned on, ensure that all clamps and fittings are secure and that the work piece is free to turn.

We had another wood move on June 19th. We moved a trailer load from Zuni Pines to the Arts building. Thanks to Mike Walters, Lavon Wiseman, Dave Walters, Matt Furginson, Gary Muma, and Dale Pappas. And a special thanks to Dave Mills for the continued use of Zuni Pines.

I'll be reviewing our volunteer list and most likely asking for more members to step up. I'm looking for redundancy in everything.

We'll be holding elections in November. Most of the current board will be stepping down. Talk it up. It is rewarding to give back to the club.

We are on the schedule to display our work at the Carson Valley Arts Council's gallery during the month of August. If you have a special turning that you would like included in the show, please bring it to the July meeting or hands-on and contact Ken Crosby or myself. There is plenty of room so don't be shy.

Remember to check for emails with updated club information and notices. If you know a member without an email, please pass on the information. See you July 10th.

John "Nik" Nikakis, POTCVW



Natural/Live edge bowl Ken Crosby

Hands-on June 26th

The June 26th hands-on turnout was still a little light but, we were making shavings on all four lathes. Frank worked on the inside of a very clever saltshaker. I was trying to remember how to use a couple of different texturing tools with little success. Gary Muma was able to complete a nice natural edge goblet. Wayne Porter was busy doing some demo thing but, I had my back to him and didn't see the results. It was good to see a bunch of dust and chips. Ron Burdg again brought a selection of tools and accessories for sale. We had a few walk-ins that showed an interest in the club. I had to refresh my supply of business cards. I hope they come again. As always, the coffee and conversation were outstanding. I look forward to seeing more of you at the next hands-on. Keep your tools sharp and the shavings out of your coffee.

John "Nik" Nikakis, POTCVW

August 14th Meeting - Open House

August 14, 2021 9:00AM – 12:00PM

Please come and see our new club home for meetings and enjoy a cup of coffee or glass of iced tea and some goodies.

Bring your spouse or partner to see where you spend your time.

Donna Dimmick will be calling around the 1st of August, to remind you of the meeting and to see if you will bring some delicious snacks or finger food.

Turnings will be shown by our expert turners.

And raffles will be held.

Put August 14th on your calendar!

Newsletter Editor's Request

Please send your newsletter contributions and suggestions for improvement to the Club Newsletter Editor via cvwnews@charter.net no later than Monday of the week before the next regularly scheduled meeting. The submission deadline for the August 2021 newsletter is August 2nd.

CVW Meeting

Meeting July 10th 9:00AM Douglas County Community & Senior Center Hands-on 24th 9:00AM Douglas County Community & Senior Center

Douglas County Community & Senior Center

1329 Waterloo Lane Gardnerville, NV 98410 775-782-5500

The community center is easy to find and there is ample parking and a really big flag.

If you are coming from the north:

Take highway 39 through Minden/Gardnerville to the fourth traffic light (look for Smith's on your left and Walgreens on your right). Make a right turn at this intersection onto Waterloo Lane.

If you are coming from the south:

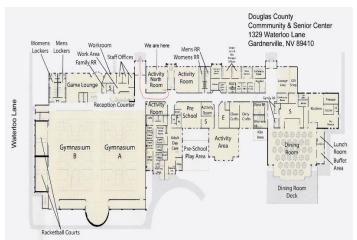
Take highway 395 to Gardnerville. At the second traffic light (look for Smith's on your right and Walgreens to your left). Make a left turn at this intersection onto Waterloo Lane.

For all:

The center is a short way down Waterloo Lane on the left (look for the big flag) just before the skate park and opposite Lampe Park.

We are in the north end of the building (closest to the street) in the North Room.

Masks are not required if you have had your full vaccine. When you first enter the building stop by the reception counter and check your temperature at the station before coming to the North Room.



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