



2004 June Edition

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The F.V.W.G. meets every **2<sup>nd</sup> THURSDAY** of each month of the school year at 6:30 p.m. We meet in the woodwork shop at the Yale Secondary School in Abbotsford (Old Yale Road & McMillan).

**Next meeting is JUNE 3rd, 2004.**

**Focus on Fundamentals:**

<p><b><u>Goodies – June 3rd</u></b></p> <p>Berera, Berry, Bernier, Blenkarn, Don Bowes, Greg Bowes and Briggs</p>	<p><b><u>Wood Rotation – June 3rd</u></b></p> <p>Paterson, Peardon, Pilchak, Pitts, Pretty, Radke and Reeve. Please write the species on the donated Good wood.</p>
<p><b><u>Goodies – Sept</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Wood Rotation – Sept</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>Cleanup Rotation – June</u></b></p> <p>Nancy Anderson, Duane Anderson, Asdal, Bennett, Berera</p>	

**BOWRIVER PRESIDENTS "THEME" CHALLENGE**

This month is a Bell that rings or a Rattle that is shaped like a Bell.

**WEBSTER'S CORNER:** Club Website: <http://www.fvwg.ca> <<<<<< **NEW ADDRESS**

Check out our interesting sites. Click on [LINKS](#) and check them out. Looking for Woodchuckers website? Ask John to mail you a catalogue. Website: <http://www.woodchuckers.com>  
The education page is always looking for more woodturning articles. If anyone has articles he or she would like published, e-mail a copy to Colin at: [cdelory@telus.net](mailto:cdelory@telus.net) or mail him a copy. His address is on the paid members list.

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**EDITORS CORNER:**

If you have any articles, **Wanted** or **For Sale** Ads, that you would like published in the next newsletter or any future newsletters, then email to [fatboy\\_classic@shaw.ca](mailto:fatboy_classic@shaw.ca), fax: 604-462-9173, phone 604-462-8665 or snail mail: 12670 Carr Street, Mission, BC V4S 1B9. Attention: Margaret  
All classifieds or articles must be in my possession no later than the **30<sup>th</sup> of each month** to be published in the next consecutive newsletter. Thank you.

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## 2004 PRESIDENT'S "THEME" CHALLENGES

June: A Bell that rings or a Rattle that makes noise and is shaped like a Bell.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June: Scot Belway will talk about sanding, finishing techniques, different finishes and waxes.

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### GENERAL NEWS

The Vancouver Woodturners Guild is having a Woodturning Symposium, namely : West Coast Roundup, September 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>, 2004. Held at the Sheraton Guildford Hotel in Surrey. Early registration will be at a cost of \$225.00 for the 3 days. Deadline date for pre-registration is **July 1<sup>st</sup>**. For more information contact Marco Berera at 604-274-7594 or check out our website for the contact links and download the forms. This is going to be a fantastic opportunity to watch and learn from some of the Worlds best Woodturners. **Don't miss it.** The Woodturners are going to be: Richard Raffan, David Ellsworth, Lyle Jamieson, Jacques Vesery, Michael Werner, Vernon Liebrant, Joe Fleming and Martin Thorne. This event will cater to all levels of turning enthusiasts. **If you are considering going to this event, please mail in your cheque A.S.A.P., space is filling up fast.**

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There is a new woodturning magazine now published in the States. Details can be found at [www.woodturningdesign.com](http://www.woodturningdesign.com) .

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We had an excellent turnout at our last meeting. The presentation by Laura Friesan was a great success.

Joining the Wood Co-op will be discussed at our next Executive meeting.

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Elections were held; the **new Executive** for the new year will be as follows:

**President:** Ian Fulford

**Vice President:** Paul Wiebe

**Program Co-ordinator:** Sam Nelson

**Web Master:** Colin Delory

**Raffle:** Wayne Cunningham

**Focus on Fundamentals:** Ted Lightfoot

**Membership Chairpersons:** Gloria and Lee Herberts

**Past President:** Perry Niehaus

**Editor:** Margaret Eisenman

**Treasurer:** George Geurts

**Photographers:** Murray Sluys & Ross Paterson

**Social Convener:** Bill Olsen

**Librarian:** Lance Murphy

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**Any members that ordered some Figured Maple from Dave Broomhead, please contact Bruce Campbell at 604-944-3028 or [bvccampbell@telus.net](mailto:bvccampbell@telus.net) to make arrangements for pick up.**

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New Website to check out: <http://www.woodcentral.com/newforum/grinds.shtml>

**FRIENDS OF FVWG:**

These fine retailers have donated items for our monthly raffles: space for meetings and/or equipment for demonstrations. They deserve our consideration when we make purchases that they can supply.



Rona Home Centre's 34530 McConnell Rd., Abbotsford, BC



[www.kmstools.com](http://www.kmstools.com)

110 Woolridge St., Coquitlam, BC and 30824 South Fraser Way, Abbotsford, BC



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**Laser Valley Technologies Corp.** (Langley) [www.laservalley.com](http://www.laservalley.com)  
Supplier of our paper and printer toner so that our Newsletter gets printed every month.

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Mohawk Western Finishing Supplies  
Reimer Hardwoods, Peardonville Road, Abbotsford  
Summit Tools 3905 E. 1<sup>st</sup> Ave., Burnaby, B.C. 604-294-1799 [www.summit-tools.com](http://www.summit-tools.com)

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**CLASSIFIEDS**

**Wanted:**

KMS Tools Store in both locations (Abbotsford and Coquitlam) are looking for Woodworking Items to be sold on Consignment.

If you have any Items, please contact Coquitlam at 604-522-5599 or Abbotsford at 604-853-5598 to make the arrangements.

**CALENDAR OF MEETING DATES FOR:**

MONTH	Fraser Valley Woodturners Guild Thursday	Fraser Valley Woodworkers Guild Wednesday	Vancouver Woodturners Wednesday	Fraser Valley Woodcarvers Wednesday
<b>June</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>30<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9<sup>th</sup> &amp; 23<sup>rd</sup></b>
	Meetings are held in the Woodwork Shop at Yale Secondary School in Abbotsford. (Old Yale Road and McMillan) Start Time: 6:30 PM	Career Technical Centre 2272 Windsor Street, Abbotsford Demo's start at 6:20 PM Start Time: 7 PM	Meetings are held at the Sapperton Hall, 318 Keary Street, New Westminster Start Time: 6:30 PM	Meetings are held in the Woodwork Shop at Yale Secondary School in Abbotsford. (Old Yale Road and McMillan) Start Time: 6:30 PM

**SPECIAL EVENTS CALENDAR**

The Fraser Valley Toy Makers are always on the look out for new people to make toys. The toys can be of the persons choosing, or ideas can be given if needed. (yo-yo's, baby rattles, round jewellery boxes, to name a few). Materials & hardware (or most of it) is supplied.

Before Christmas, these toys are given to the Community Services throughout the area, where the volunteer toy makers come from. (Abbotsford, Chilliwack, Rosedale, Hope, etc...)

Anyone interested can contact Sam Nelson at 604-854-6638

**SHOW AND TELL**



Guest Speaker:  
Laura Friesan  
  
Manager of the Wood Co-op Gallery



Ross Paterson  
Natural Edge Alder Burl Bowls



Presidents Challenge - Spinning Tops



Spinning Tops & Xmas Ornament



Artists: Walter Dow, Keith Bennett, Steve Hansen and Bob Gonzales



Artists: Brian Murphy, Colin Delory and Keith Bennett



Artist: Steve Hansen  
Project: Cedar Bowl 24" R



Artist: Ross Paterson  
Project: Dyed Rim Spalted Maple Bowl