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**2018**

<p><b>Tomorrow</b></p> <p><b>Saturday</b></p> <p><b>22nd September</b></p> <p><b>9.00-12noon</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Free turning morning at the workshop.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Open to all paid up members of current courses.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>You are welcome to attend the workshop tomorrow for skills practice, to complete a project or make a flying start on your next project</b></p> <div style="background-color: #ffff00; text-align: center; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p><b>DUTY OFFICER - DAVID ROSE</b></p> </div>
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**This week's useful video clip**



**SEPTEMBER - THE MONTH of the SKEW TOOL**

**Can you sharpen a SKEW ? Have you had lots of practice in using the skew?**

**All sessions this month start with a 10 - 15-minute practice time using the skew tool.**

**By the end of this month we expect that everyone is better skilled in sharpening their own skew chisel.**

OK this week we will look at more ideas about using the skew chisel.  
Go to Google: Type in ***“Wood Turning – Beginners Guide #9 – The Skew”***

<p><b>In this (25.02) You Tube you need to take particular note about:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>“rubbing the bevel”</b></li> <li>• <b>the process for making a bead with the skew.</b></li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>PRACTICE – PRACTICE - PRACTICE</b></p>	<p>Many of our turners have made an impressive start in managing skew skills. With further practice and regular skew use, continued improvement is assured.</p>
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## THIS WEEK'S TOP TURNING



**CHRIS** made a large lidded pot using WINI wood.

Interest is added to this turning with the knob being surrounded by a bed of flecked green resin.

As is usual, Chris managed to achieve a brilliant lustre for the finish.

## THIS WEEK'S COMPLETED PROJECTS



**BRIAN** had a shot at making his first “natural edge” bowl and made a great job of it too.

The wood is a bit of a mystery though - can anyone identify the wood?

**JAMES** continues to have fun surprising himself, and everyone else, with his projects.

Another top result of creative thinking and skillful bowl gouge work.





**ROBBIE's** Ring Box made from macrocarpa wood. A minimal amount of wood was lost in parting off the lid to maintain the grain line-up feature. A cunning plan there!

## MINI-POT PROJECT



Robbie very carefully removed wood around the top and bottom pieces to ensure a firm 'friction'- fitting lid.



**JAN** was super pleased with her candle holder project. Made with much care and patience. A mix of Kauri and black maire woods.



# PROJECT - Make a child's toy

There's now **79 days** until the deadline date of Dec 9th.

**NEED an INSPIRATION? How about these ideas?**



Easy  
Peasy!

Make a Spinning Toy





ABRA-CA-DABRA..... and there they were!

**RICHARD** produced a set of colourful magic wands for his grandchildren.



### SPECIAL THANKS

Members of the Hamilton Wood Turners' Club wish to thank **Mrs Lynley Ramaekers** for her most generous donation of informative books. Our members often get their inspirations and useful ideas from the recorded writings of fellow turners. This collection is greatly appreciated and will be well used by all.