

President's Message



We have a world renowned wood-turner and sculptor, Jacques Vesery, coming this November to

demonstrate and conduct workshops. This will be a must-attend event. Be sure to secure your slot in one of the two workshops and mark your calendar for November 17th for the demo.

Do not forget to start making a piece or two for the October show at the Jekyll Island Art Association. I will need your price list/inventory by the end of August. ■

50/50 Raffle is Back!

We'll be holding a 50/50 raffle to raise some much needed funds. To enter, buy a raffle ticket at the next monthly meeting on July 21. The winner will win 50% of the proceeds, with the other 50% going to the club. So be sure to bring plenty of money to the next meeting! ■

Mark Your Calendars

Groewood Rocks!

Groewood Gallery, Asheville, NC
Showcase of artisan-made rocking chairs by 11 American woodworkers
Sat, June 4–Sun, August 28
Reception: Sat, June 4, 3–6pm

Lowcountry Turners Group Exhibit
Goodyear Cottage, Jekyll Island, GA
Sat, October 1–Monday, October 31
Reception: Sunday, October 2, 1pm

Southern States Woodturning Symposium
Cartersville, GA
Featuring Dixie Biggs, Dennis Paullus, Greg Pennington, Stuart Mortimer, Peggy Schmid, Nick Cook and Steve Cook
Fri, March 10–Sun, March 12

WHAT'S TURNIN'?

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The "Catch and Cuss" Turners of Coastal Georgia and South Carolina

Jekyll Island Group Exhibit Oct 1–31

We will be exhibiting 40 pieces at the Goodyear Cottage on Jekyll Island this October. All items must be for sale, with a \$2,000 limit for a single item. Goodyear Cottage takes a 25% commission. Inventory sheets are due Aug 31; the objets d'art are due at the Sept. 29 meeting, or need to be delivered to Goodyear Cottage by gam on October 1. ■

Jacques Vesery Workshop Nov 18–19

Tickets for this workshop are selling fast. Be sure you reserve your spot on your desired day. The workshop is \$100 for a one-day, eight-hour class. Choose from either Friday or Saturday. To sign up, fill out page 2 of this newsletter and either mail or hand it to Lou Cook. Lou will be taking cash, checks or credit cards at the next member meeting on July 21. ■

Instant Gallery and Demonstrator Critiques

We will now be holding the Instant Gallery at the beginning of the member meetings before the demonstration starts—rather than during the demonstration break—to better spotlight the beautiful work submitted. Turners who submit work to the Instant Gallery will also have the option of having their piece critiqued by the demonstrator. ■



Peggy Schmid's demonstration in June was brilliant, insightful and hilarious. Thanks Peggy! ■



Kristen King of the Dwaine & Cynthia Willett Children's Hospital of Savannah was kind enough to send this photo of our intrepid president, Roy Yarger, delivering a Beads of Courage box to a little girl in the hospital. ■

July Monthly Meeting

Our next monthly member meeting will take place on Thursday, July 21—the third Thursday of the month, rather than the fourth. Crystal Holman, art teacher, pyrographer and former Lowcountry Turners member, will be our featured demonstrator. The demonstration will focus on pyrography. ■



A Lowcountry Turners SPECIAL EVENT

JACQUES VESERY WORKSHOP

Friday, November 18 and
Saturday, November 19 • 9am–5pm



Jacques is an award-winning woodturner and sculptor, and a much sought-after lecturer and demonstrator. His work is in the permanent collections of institutions such as The Carnegie Art

Museum, the Yale University Art Gallery, and the AAW, and has appeared in many solo and group exhibitions across the country. He's known for his richly carved and painted pieces, often incorporating natural elements like feathers and leaves.

The workshop will be \$100 for a one-day, eight-hour class at Maven Makers in Savannah. Choose from either Friday or Saturday. Bring \$10 for lunch and we'll order out. *Space is limited, and tickets will sell out quickly, so reserve your spot today!*



Visit lowcountryturners.com for more information.
Maven Makers, 415 W Boundary St, Savannah, GA

SIGN UP FORM

Jacques Vesery Workshop

Choose which day you'd like to attend.

- Friday, November 18
- Saturday, November 19
- No preference, sign me up for whichever day is available

Name

Phone Number

Email Address



Send this completed form and your check for \$100 to:

Lou Cook
Lowcountry Turners Treasurer
P.O. Box 589
Tybee Island, GA 31328-0589

Or bring this form and your check to a Lowcountry Turners member meeting (*last Thursday of every month at Maven Makers at 6pm*), or leave them with the front desk at Maven Makers.