**SYLLABUS**

Woodturning With Jim

Thursdays 1-4 PM January 18-March 8

**INSTRUCTIONAL GOALS**

This class will introduce and enhance woodturnig skills and procedures.

At the end of this course you will:

* Know different woodturning tools and their specific uses.
* Be able to identify many common local species of wood.
* Understand the detailed movements necessary to use each woodturning tool.

**NEEDS AND RESOURCES**

To successfully complete this course you must:

* Be able to use basic woodworking tools and equipment.
* Understand and follow detailed instructions.
* Be evaluated at the first session to determine whether or not this class is suitable for you.

To successfully complete this course you will need:

* Access to a computer.
* Access to DVD player.
* A woodturning instruction book/DVD issued by the instructor upon receipt of a deposit from the student.

**COURSE SCHEDULE**

Class sessions are Thursdays 1-4 PM beginning January 18 and ending March 8.

**POLICIES AND PROCEDURES**

A complete document outlining rules for safety and demeanor will be provided prior to the beginning of class sessions. Class sessions will begin promptly at 1 PM. It is unfair to students arriving on time that we wait for late arrivals, so we will not. Most sessions begin with detailed instruction as to the day’s project and methods. Late arrivals will be at a significant disadvantage without this information. Attendance at all sessions is crucial. Some projects require more than one session, so missing ma cause a student to not be able to complete a project. Classes cannot be made up at other times.

Students’ completed projects will be evaluated by the instructor and fellow students as to proper methods, attention to detail and basic appearance with a verbal letter grade given for each project.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Projects will be a selection of useful items and will include:

* A folding portable bench/seat
* An end table.
* A knife block.

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

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