

INTRODUCTION TO MAKING A SEGMENTED BOWL

Location: Tulare Western High School

Instructors: Craig Miller, Craig Gough and Stan Stephens

Dates: October 12 and 26, 2019

Prerequisites: Should be at least an intermediate woodturner, able to turn a basic wooden bowl.

Class Fee: \$40.

Class description: This class will provide the student with the basics on designing, accurately cutting wood segments, and constructing a segmented wooden bowl.

It is anticipated this will be a two-session class. The first day will provide you the needed back ground on how to draw a bowl design, calculate the ring dimensions, and the basic skills needed to accurately cut and glue the rings together. The instructors will demonstrate various techniques for aligning and gluing the rings together to form a basic segment bowl.

You will be provided the materials needed to build a Wedgie sled for your table saw. There are lots of methods for cutting segments, but this the sled we prefer.

You will also be given wood needed to construct a small segment bowl. We expect the initial session to last from about 8:30AM to about 1:30 PM and you are asked to bring a lunch to avoid have to go off campus.

It is anticipated that there may be some minor problems or questions as you construct a bowl in your shop. The instructors are available to answer questions.

The section session, October 26, will be a show-and-tell of your handywork. This will be an opportunity to discuss what you learned; what worked and didn't work and answer questions you may have.

The class is limited to ten students. See the club web site for an application. The first ten members to get the class fee and an application to Roger McCoy or the club P. O. Box are first in line. If there are more than 10 students, a waiting list will be developed for a later class.

If you have questions about the class, contact one of the instructors.