

Bell WoodTurners

April 10, 2008

Eggs a Smashing Hit with the Kids

Charles Watson presented the eggs made by Club members to Shands Hospital at the University of Florida and Shands AGH. The Board thanks all the members who contributed eggs for the event and a special thanks to Charles for organizing the entire operation. We received a very complimentary letter from both hospitals and, according to the letters, we brighten the day for lots of kids on Easter. At Shands AGH the Easter Bunny presented the eggs to the children. The letters have been posted on the Club's website. www.bellwoodturners.com. A press release on the event was sent to the Executive Director of AAW for consideration on chapter news in the next edition of the *American Woodturner*.



Above left is Charles Watson presenting the eggs to Constance Keeton, with The Children's Hospital at Shands. On the right Charles is presenting the eggs to Ashley Stromberg, a volunteer at Shands at the University of Florida.

A Day with Emory McLaughlin

Spend a day with Emory McLaughlin on June 7th at the woodshop of Bill Smith in Newberry, Florida. Emory, who resides in Jacksonville, is becoming a well known professional woodturner throughout the USA. He has demonstrated at AAW National Symposiums and state symposiums in Florida, Georgia, and Utah. He has published articles appearing in *American Woodturner* and *Woodturning Design*. His work is available for sale at some of the area's most prestigious galleries. For more information on Emory's accomplishments and turning skills visit his website www.asthewoodturns.com.

The demonstration runs from 9:00 to 4:00 and lunch will be provided. Bill's woodshop is at ABC Stump Removal located west of Newberry on State Route 26. Tickets are \$10 for BWT members and \$20 for others. Bring your ticket for the door prizes, which include a set of McNaughton tool handles.

Treasure Report

Beginning Balance	\$2,498.61
Revenue.....	196.49
Expenses	86.25
Ending Balance	\$2608.85

The Club is looking for folding chairs for the June 7th professional woodturning day. Let Bill Smith know if you have or can acquire chairs to be donated to the Club.

Upcoming Events

- SawDust Session - Saturday the 12th of April at Bill's workshop one mile west of Newberry on State Road 26. (Southern Fuel Wood) from 9:00 till noon.
- Annual Club Demo/Sale day will be on July 12th at the Bell Community Center.
- Tree City Woodcrafters meet at 7:00 on the first Thursday of every month for dinner at Brown's Country Buffett in Alachua.