

TURNING PLATES AND PLATTERS

With Alan Lacer

October 24-25, 2020

Tools:

Bring a ½” bowl gouge (5/8” diameter in the North American standard), 3/8” Spindle/detail gouge, side-radius or full round scraper of 1” to 1 ½” width and an optional square-ended scraper of 1 ¼” to 1 ½” .

Marc will have some tools to loan, but these tools can be purchase from Packard Woodworking, Craft Supplies or from Alan. (On Alan’s site or during class).

Feel free to bring some of your turned plates or platters for critique or to address specific problems.

SYLLABUS

Day 1:

1. Review of examples of plates and platters
2. Wood selection
3. Tools and their sharpening
4. Chucking techniques
5. Turning a plate

Day 2:

1. Sanding techniques
2. Reverse chucking
3. Turning a second plate
4. Turning a platter
5. Finishing options

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