

American Association of Woodturners
WIT Committee Telephone Conference
Thursday Friday, July 5th, 2019 4:05 P.M. PST

The meeting convened at 4:05pm PDT. Participants were Marie Anderson, Dixie Biggs, Janet Collins, Kathleen Duncan, Linda Ferber, Jean LeGwin, and Lynne Yamaguchi.
Absent: Andi Wolfe

Updates: Linda reported the following numbers:

- EXCHANGE registrations -- 34
- Liaison count 63
- Membership grants to date: 23

Symposium WIT meeting: Agenda will be to have a Powerpoint presentation with slides of various WIT and women events over the past year. The committee has reviewed the slides. Kathleen will add a safety caption on those slides depicting turning without a face shield. Kathleen will invite Laura Schindler to talk about her experiences being mentored. This year's discussion can start with Ladies of the Lathe question: How can we get women who are members to come to the meetings?"

We will try to have a computer set up for registration to the EXCHANGE.

Newsletters and pamphlets have been ordered and are at the hotel in Raleigh.

EXCHANGE 2019:

At this writing, we have 10 more slots open.

Marie, Dixie, and Jean are working on acquiring the wood. Jeff Brockett has the bat blanks and will bring them to Arrowmont when he brings Ana. Marie has found some milk paint at a good price. She is going to buy a small amount of it. Lynne reported that the words are progressing. She will send out the list within the next two weeks. The goal is to have a total of about 200 words. Marie needs them by the end of July to get them engraved. They need to be on 1/8" plywood. Linda will mail the list of registrants. Linda will order the shirts. They will be the same color scheme as last year.

Newsletter: Since Andi was not available, there was no newsletter report.

Other: Marie will be conducting another "Ladies Night" at Rockler.

The meeting ended about 5:05 p.m. PDT.

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, August 1st at 4 pm PDT.

Kathleen Duncan
WIT Committee Chair