

Turning in the Age of Corona

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Santa Cruz Woodturners

Today we are featuring Boxes and Determination



Boxes by Morgan Taylor, although this could also be a display of finial virtuosity.

Morgan apparently has made plenty of shallow vessels to hold all the salads, Meyer Lemons, avocados, assorted keys, and fossils in the house. Ah, but containers with a lid that pops when you open it, well, you can't ever have too many of those!

More on the next pages...and meanwhile, to make a small twist on Travis T. Hipp's immortal closure to his news broadcasts in the 1960s:

So, that's the news for today. If you don't like it, go out and make (turn) some of your own.



View from above. Note the variety of woods and the abalone shell and mother of pearl inlays.



You know where you can find Morgan this month.



Tim Johnson had a little excitement when this spalted cherry bowl decided that its mortise was not firmly inclined to respect the gripping power of the chuck. It thought for a while it was a flying saucer, but no harm done, other than a brief run of tachycardia.

And we thought Maarten was the only aeronautical engineer in the club.

Tim asked for feedback, which of course was quickly rendered by comrades of the rotating arts, and here it is. A new tenon, a better grip, and ready to tackle the inside.

Note that even cherry trees get the blues.

We'll see this finished down the line.