



May Newsletter

Dear Members,

Its my turn to do the newsletter this month after poor Dan was unable to make it to the May clubnight with a bout of covid. We hope you are feeling better Dan!

We have sad news this month with the passing of member Keith Howard. Keith was a long-time and popular member of the club. I'm told he kept his lathe in his lounge – how's that for commitment to woodturning! He will be missed

This month we held another enjoyable hands-on night. Given the time of year, Dan suggested garden dibbers as a theme. The population of garden dibbers in the Oxford area duly went up... at least by a few! Here is a fine example:



The make-at-home competition theme was, appropriately enough, “something for the home”. It was good to see a variety of entries in both the ‘improvers’ and ‘advanced’ categories.



The next competition theme will be “fits in a matchbox”, which should leave plenty of room for the imagination (even if the matchbox ends up full;-)). I'll look forwards to seeing any

contributions at the next clubnight, which will be on the 8th of June, and also a hands-on night. We do hope to host a demonstrator again soon, I'll let you know when there is news on that front.

Lastly, I want to re-iterate a message you may have heard already – if any members are interested in joining the committee, please let me know - it would be great to have you on board. It need not take much of your time, there are some roles we would like to fill but committee members without specific roles are also welcome.

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