

Lincolnshire Wolds Woodturning Association CIO

Annual Report

Year Ending 31st December 2025

2025 was another successful year for the Association as it continued with its objects of encouraging interest in woodturning and the training of interested members of the public in the skills of the craft. The number of training days throughout the year have remained at five and could have been increased had resources been available! We are in the process of training some of the more experienced member to take on the task of training. The aim is to encourage them to progress towards obtaining certification as AWGB approved trainers.

Our "hands on nights" every month have enabled interested members of the public to get a "taste" of woodturning before committing to the expenditure involved in starting from scratch. Our monthly "workshop nights and professional demonstration remain popular and enable our international members to participate in the Associations activities. We now have members in North America, Europe and across the UK.

Once again the Association attended the Midlands Woodworking Show at Newark. The Association stand had a steady flow of visitors over the two days. Visitors were able to see turning demonstrations as well a a display of pyrography and decorative techniques. Members work as well as photographs and videos of our activities provided further interest for the visitors. The event generated much interest in the Association and resulted in bookings for the Training Days as well as new members.

Members were involved in assisting the fund raising activities of the friends of St Peter & St Paul's Church Old Bolingbroke. A centuries old Yew tree had to be felled for safety reasons and it was offered to the Association in exchange for some turned items they could sell. It proved to be a huge success and members continue to give their turnings to the church.

The Associations finances remain in good health and once again subscription levels have not been increased for the year ahead.

John Mitchell
Treasurer

LINCOLNSHIRE WOLDS WOODTURNING ASSOCIATION CIO (CHARITY NO. 1192167)
RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

	<u>2024</u>		<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>		<u>2025</u>
	£		£			£
Balances at 01 January 2024						
No. 1 Account	5,764		5,251		2,680	2,415
PayPal	208		452		215	986
No. 2 Account	4,200		3,517		918	644
Cash in hand	38		74		0	109
	<u>10,210</u>		<u>9,294</u>			<u>413</u>
Receipts						
Subs	3,403		3,017		15	61
Training days	1,480		1,588		267	284
Miscellaneous	0		239		255	224
Donations	614		436		48	48
Refreshments	4		0		52	0
Interest received	0		38		0	108
Shop sales	2,525		2,176		3,807	186
	<u>8,026</u>		<u>7,494</u>		<u>8,942</u>	<u>77</u>
						<u>1,753</u>
						<u>7,308</u>

Balances at 31 December 2024			
No. 1 Account	5,251		3,077
PayPal	452		767
No. 2 Account	3,517		2,679
Deposit account	0		2,656
Gift vouchers	0		231
Cash in hand	74		70
	<u>9,294</u>		<u>9,480</u>

<u>18,236</u>	<u>16,788</u>
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In accordance with instructions given to us, we have prepared, without carrying out an audit, the above Receipts and Payments Account from the accounting records, information and explanations supplied to us.

Date: 12 February 2026

Dexter and Sharpe, Chartered Certified Accountants

Rollestone House, Bridge Street, Horncastle, Lincs, LN9 5HZ

Chairman

Treasurer