Echos From the "BAT" Cave

Baltimore Area Turners



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PARTY TIME!



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In December BAT hosted the annual holiday party: Good food, contests, and a gift exchange. Chris Kunzle (*above*) shows off the Christmas Tree ornament he won in the gift exchange. Wayne Kuhn (*below left*) explains the Name that Wood Contest. Tom Szarek (*below right*) shows the prize for winning the Name that Wood Contest.

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HOLIDAY PARTY

There were lots of eats of all sorts at the BAT party, including sandwiches, potato salad, chips, pretzels, salsa, cookies, hand-made chocolates and more.

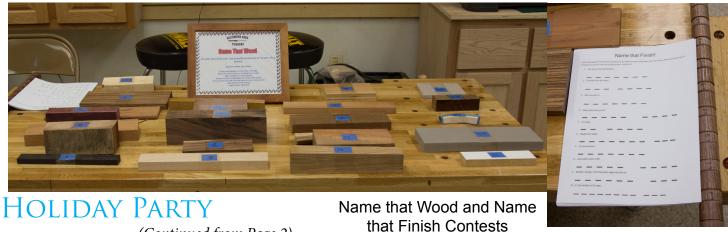
Tom Szarek won

the Name that Wood contest, **John Fisher** won the Name that Finish and the BAT trivia contests. Congrats to all!



(*Top*) A few of the delectables. (*Above*) Yaakov Bar Am Names the Finishes (*Below*) The group digs in.





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(Clockwise from right) Yaakov Bar Am organizes the gift exchange (there were 17 participants); a ticket is drawn for a gift; three of the gifts exchanged; John Fisher showing the prizes he won in the BAT Trivia and Name that Finish contests.









2012 - A LOOK BACK



January - Ted Rein demos at Woodworking Show



February - David Reed Smith demos sphere turning



February - Jerry Kermode demos at Mark Supik's



March - David Ellsworth turned two bowls



April - Wayne Kuhn's Hands On bowl turning



May - Alan Carter turned a tall thin-stemmed goblet



June - Excellent Show and Tell and President's Goblet Challenge



July - Jamie Donaldson turned a square platter

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(Clockwise from above) August - Larry Maccherone showed the lesson learned from Jamie Donaldson's demo; September - Lou Rudinski turned an ornament; Susan Shane's last appearance at BAT; October - Liam O'Neil turned and burned; November - Louis Harris gave Hands-On pointers to John Fisher





BALTIMORE AREA TURNERS

Baltimore Area Turners meets every month on the second Wednesday of the month at the Greater Baltimore Woodcraft Store at:

1125 Cromwell Bridge Road Towson, MD 21286

Next meeting: January 9, 2013 at 6:30 PM

Agenda: Show and Tell.



RAFFLE NEWS

There was no raffle at the December meeting. Please bring raffle items to the January meeting.

COMING UP

The January meeting with be Show and Tell.

Don't forget - BAT Annual dues of \$20 are due in January.

The newly elected Board of Directors will begin their 2-year term of office in January.

The BAT Board is planning an exciting year for 2013.