

Summary of ECD Global Alliance Internet Chat

20 Jul 2013

7 Attendees

- A member left a message to say that he was going, with his wife, to “Side by Side” by Sondheim. He is looking into the possibility that sports medicine might be able to help with his leg problem. His wife has made the flight reservations for CA.
- A member is moving to Tenn, and is having to cope with a broken leg too. This is getting better, but the doctor has said that it would take a year to see if it healed properly. He has moved to be close to his son.
- A member of our “woodturning fraternity”, told us that there is a fine, young wood turner, just south of Knoxville. He has several videos of him woodturning. He is also a pastor.
- The member, who has just moved, has to get his lathe from Ga before he can do any turning. The lathe is so heavy, and difficult to move, that he may have to sell it and get a smaller one. His current lathe is able to turn a piece 5' long by 20" in diameter.
- The other woodturner has just got a Jet midi lathe, with adjustable speed, and he is very happy with it. The Jet has handles on each end, so that the member can pick it up, and move it (not very far!!). He has just finished a 9 inch bowl (3 ½ inches deep). He sanded it to 1000 grit and finished it with wax.
- The wife, of one ECD patient, is about to give up work. She has been doing some very long days (7.30am-5 pm!), although it is supposed to be a part-time job! It's not all bad. She does get a 10 minute break for some lunch! Being at home more should be much more pleasant (but then she will have the “pleasure” of spending more time with the member!).
- A member told us about a busy week ahead, with visits to the doctors on 3 days. She hopes that they can make a decision on what treatment she is going to try next.
- The member who lives in the Peak District of England, had asked another UK member to say hello to everybody. She spends a lot of her time living on a Greek Island, and she doesn't get to the Chat because of the time difference. The members on the Chat said “Hi” to her.