September 2010



CAPITOL CARVERS

Salem, Oregon http://capitolwoodcarvers.org

UPCOMING CLUB MEETINGS (Last Tuesday of the month)

Meeting Program (*bring tools)	
September	*Bill Grater – knife covers
October	Jeff Chrisp – carving folding miniatures
November	*Sam Hutchinson -
Annual Elections	
December	No meeting
January	*Bill Grater – heart pin
February	*Dave Disselbrett – tulip

<u>Treats</u> Koontz / D. Henry / Ingram Michelle / need volunteers Everyone

Volunteers needed Volunteers needed

Secretary Laurie Ladd

> Newsletter Michelle Graham

Members at Large Everett Koontz Kenny Wilson (Historian)

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ITEM S LEFT AT THE PICNIC

Everett has some items left at the picnic. There is a small stainless bowl used for the M& M's except the afore mentioned M&M's are gone, and 2 spoons and a knife (found together in a plastic bag, AND another spoon left on another table. Everett will take these items to the meeting.

OREGON RENDEZVOUS

It's almost here! The Rendezvous is September 16 to 19.

For members who are new to the club or have never attended the Rendezvous, you will find the atmosphere electrifying! There are so many things to carve (and burn) and instructors who are so delighted to share their skills, you will find the most difficult part is choosing what class to take.

If you decide to attend at the last minute, don't hesitate in showing up. There are a few instructors who have "open" tables and will be happy to have you sit in and do the projects they have. Not only will you find excellent projects, there are also top-notch vendors selling tools, books, advice, wood and equipment. If nothing else, come on in and take a look at the new things being offered.

If you did not preregister (ended on the 8th), be sure to bring food with you. The breakfast, lunch and dinners are prepared based on the number of people **who prepaid** for them, so there are no extras to be sold. However, there are coffee and snacks set out every day. If you wish to bring in snacks, they will be happily accepted and eaten!

2010 OFFICERS

President Jim Harris 503-421-9247

Vice President Michelle Graham

Treasurer Bill Grater

2010 OREGON STATE FAIR REPORT - by Lou Wakefield, Sr

I would like to start this report by giving a "BIG THANK YOU" to all our club members who took the time and made the effort to enter their wood and stone carvings in the State Fair this year. A "BIG THANK YOU" to Dennis Mihm for volunteering to be a judge, and to Dale Crawford for bringing three of his eagle head carvings for display. Thanks to Ken Lake and Rick Harris for helping to arrange the carvings in the cases. I also wish to say thanks again to Dave Strand for donating \$200 for wood carving prize money.

Here is a short history of recent wood carvers' participation in the Oregon State Fair. In 2008, we had 8 carvings entered. In 2009, we had 22 carvings entered. This year we had 42 entries. Each year we have more of our carvers involved with the State Fair. I think we did well this year and with your help will do better in the future. The awards listed below do not show all the special ribbons awards to our carvers only the major awards.

Class 511 Wood

Lot#10 Carving in the round 1st Place - Kathy Jensen 2nd Place - Gene Derfler, Sue Polston Wakefield, Sr 3rd Place - Delbert Youngers, Barbara Millikan

Lot #11 Relief Carving 1sr Place - Lou Wakefield, Sr 3rd Place - Dan Henry

Lot#14 Wood Burning 1st Place - Leonard DuVernay 3rd Place - Irene Fernandez

Lot #15 Intarsia 3rd Place - Lou Wakefield, Sr

Lot#18 Canes & Walking Sticks Best of Class-Leonard DuVernay

1st Place - Leonard DuVernay, Bill Grater 2nd Place - Lou Wakefield, Sr 3rd Place - Arturo Fernandez, Delbert Younger

FIND THE CURL

Somewhere else in this newsletter, you will find this symbol for the symbol for the symbol it, write your name on a slip of paper that will be handed out at the meeting. This is on the honor system. One name will be drawn and a prize will be given. What is the prize? You will find out at the meeting!

Class 513 Christmas Holiday/ Other

Lot #03 Christmas tree Decorations 1st Place - Barbara Millikan 2nd Place - Lou Wakefield, Sr

Lot #05 Christmas Table Decorations 1st Place - Lou Wakefield, Sr

Lot#07 Halloween 2nd Place - Lou Wakefield, Sr

Lot #09 Fourth of July 2nd Place Lou Wakefield, Sr

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Other - Best of class Lou Wakefield, Sr

2010 EVENTS OF THE REGION

September 11 12: Pacific Flyway Show, Vancouver Water Resource Center, WA

September 16 - 19: OREGON REND EZVOUS 2010. The class list is attached to this newsletter along with the registration form. They are also available on Dave's website

http://www.angelfire.com/or2/carvingsbydave click on LINKS found on the bottom right -hand side. You will need Acrobat Reader to view the documents. If you do not have Adobe Reader, you can download a free version for Windows and MAC at http://get.adobe.com/reader/

September 25 – 26: Lower Columbia Woodcarvers Show and Sell, Clark County Fairgrounds, Longview, Washington

October 16 – 17: McKenzie Woodcarvers Show, Springfield, OR (specific location in the next issue)

November 13 – 14: NW Carvers Assoc: Puyallup, WA – western WA fairgrounds in the Restaurant bldg.

CHRISTMAS ORNAMENTS

Carvings have been arriving for the 2010 ornament project at the Center 50+. This year's theme is 'red and White." The center is planning to do two smaller trees with about 100 ornaments each. In addition, they will have individual ornaments for sale. We would like to have 300 ornaments total for the center. If you would like to donate ornament(s), bring them to the meetings and give them to Dave Disselbrett. Thanks for your support!

NEWSLETTER AND E-MAIL

If you are interested, e-mail Michelle at mg-graham@comcast.net. Once she receives your email, she will place it in a group folder. The emails are sent using Bcc: so your address will not appear to others receivers.

CLASSES / OPEN CARVING

The **Salem's Center 50** + has a Woodcarving session EVERY Friday, 1 to 4 p.m. upstairs in the New Salem Senior Center. If you have the time, come on down and carve or bring your wood burning equipment and join fellow pyrographers.

The **Silverchips** meet in Silverton on Wednesday afternoons from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Silverton Art Association. The cost is \$2.00 per session. It's an excellent opportunity to carve and chat. For more information, call Dave Strand at 503-873-4512.

On Monday's from 9:30 to 3 p.m., join other carvers at **Everett Koontz's** house, 3970 Hollyberry Lane SE, Salem. All levels of carvers are welcome. Bring a sack lunch and a project to work on. For more information, call Everett at 503-581-8428.

Linda Schmitt is offering Summer Workshops in her studio. The hours for the workshop are 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. Linda's studio is located at 1750 70th Ave. SE, Salem. The cost for open carving workshops is \$5 per day. Please call Linda 7 days in advance of the class at 503-391-7913.

- Friday, Sept 10 open carving
- Monday, October 4, Kenny Wilson is teaching a Baltimore Oriel 5-day class at Linda's workshop. More detains to follow. \$150 for the 5 days, plus the cost of block.
- Friday, October 22, Native American facemask done on a half gourd. Contact Linda for details on cost and time.

Mt. Angel Woodc arvers Workshop - 125 N. Garfield St., Mt. Angel, 503-845-9663. Please call the workshop at least two days prior to the class to make a reservation. Pay when you arrive.

<u>Saturdays</u> from 8 a.m. to Noon, learn Bird Carving with **Kenny Wilson** - \$20 per session, plus the cost of the blank.

<u>Wednesday</u>s from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. is beginning and intermediate carving with **Dave Disselbrett.** The cost is \$5 per session plus the cost of the blank.

<u>Thursdays</u> from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. chip carve with **Sam Hutchinson**. The cost is \$10 per session plus the cost of the blank. You may also learn how to carve chains, ball in a cage, or pliers.

Dave Disselbrett offers classes at several locations. Call 503-390-3010 to let him know you will be there so he has enough blocks for the class. Beginners are welcome to all classes! Check out his website for a complete listing for the year http://www.angelfire.com/or2/carvingsbydave/

<u>Keizer Art Association</u> located at 980 Chemawa Rd. NE, Keizer - Bring a sack lunch, and enjoy a cup of free coffee.

Sunday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. (\$15 per day) Sept. 12; October 10; November 21 Monday (3 sessions per month), 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. (\$5 per night) Sept. 13, 20, 27; Oct. 4, 11, 18; Nov. 1, 8, 15

<u>Salem 50+Center</u> – 2615 Portland Rd NE, Salem. 503-588-6303 (\$15 per day), on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2 will begin again in September.

Stayton at Jay Myers' home

885 West Kathy, Stayton (\$5 per night) Tuesdays from 7 to 9 p.m., except the last Tues. of the month.

Silverton Art Association 303 Coolidge, Silverton (503-873-2480) (\$5 per night) Wednesdays – 7 to 9 p.m. Carve projects of your choice.

