



CAPITOL WOODCARVERS

February 2020

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President's Message

After four long years, the waiting is over! It's Leap Year February, and you know what that means- an extra day. Our solar year, the time it takes our planet to make a full rotation around the sun, is 365 ¼ days. Back in 45 BC they came with the clever plan of adding a day every four years.... And, drum roll please... 2020 is that year, so Saturday, February 29 is a free day.

There happens to be a lot for Capitol Woodcarvers to do on Saturday, February 29. Why not start celebrating the day with our monthly breakfast, 8:00 AM, at, Almost Home, on Market Street, (on the left, just West off of I-5). With your belly full and a smile on your face, head on over to Center 50+, and join fellow carvers and pyrographers, in the Arts and Crafts Room, for open carving from 9am – 2pm (\$3:00). When you're all done chippin', chattin' or burnin', pack up your tools and trek on up to the Keizer Art Association Gallery at 980 Chemawa Road in Keizer. At 2:00 PM, there is a reception (with refreshments) to honor Capitol Woodcarvers. You will be able to view the artistic pieces you and your fellow Club Members created, for our first ever, month long, Capitol Woodcarvers Gallery Event. Invite your family and friends to join you on this special occasion.

What could be better than a free day, spent with fellow Capitol Woodcarvers!

See you soon, and as always...

Stay Chipper, Don

February Meeting

February 25 Club Meeting | 7:00PM | Center 50+



Treats: Terry Moss, Bob Karr, Everett Koontz (Ice Cream)

Program: Presentation by Todd Wuerster, a professional whirligig manufacturer. Todd has been building and selling whirligigs since he was a young man. He recently entered his newest whirligig in the 2019 Whirligig and Weathervane Festival in Nova Scotia. Todd will share his long history in whirligigs and show us some of his creations.

Meet Charlie King

Meet Horace King...Call him "Charlie"



Charlie has been carving as a club member for more than ten years. He carves many different projects, but particularly enjoys canes, and was a major contributor to the Wounded Warrior Project*.

Other art forms Charlie has worked with are oil painting and making videos.

Charlie had a career with ODOT for over 41 years. Most of that time was spent as a maintenance supervisor. For the last 10 years he did the investigating, reporting and testifying on a wide variety of cases for the department.

Charlie and Mardean help out at the Oregon Garden and they can often be seen volunteering at the Center 50+. If you've participated in a birthday celebration in the Center 50+ dining room you're familiar with Charlie's helpful efforts.

Charlie and Mardean, have a son, David. Folks enjoy special spiced apple cider which the couple frequently provides for Club events.

*The Wounded Warrior Project was a club undertaking wherein club members made and carved canes and presented them to wounded veterans in recognition and appreciation for their service.

Carving Sessions

Carving Sessions (Center 50+)

Mondays 6:30PM – 8:45PM, \$5, Instructor Denis Miller

Wednesdays 9:00AM – 12:00PM, \$7, Instructor Jim Harris

Fridays 1:00PM – 4:00PM, NC, No Instructor

Last Saturday of the month 9:00AM – 2:00PM, \$3, No Instructor

Breaking Bread

Events

(Dates and locations are believed to be correct at time of publishing and were obtained from the source where possible. Please confirm dates, times, and venues before making plans and advise us of inaccuracies and needed changes.)

Carving Sessions (Silverton Art Association)

Wednesdays 1:00PM – 4:00PM, \$2, No Instructor

"Bored" Dinner, Breakfast Schedule

Please join us. Spouses, family, and friends are always welcome. Dinners are scheduled for 6:00PM and breakfasts are at 8:00AM unless otherwise noted.

Dinner:

February 20 – Red Lobster, Salem

Breakfast:

January 25 – The Chalet, Brooks

February 29 – Almost Home, Market St.

March 28 – Turnaround Café, Turner

April 25 – Mommy and Maddis', River Road

May 30 – Original Pancake House, Portland Road

June 27 – Starduster, Airport Rd. Independence

July 25 – Sybil's, State St.

August 29 – Annette's, Edgewater St.

September 26 – Café 22 – Hwy 22

Weekly Lunches (12:00PM after Wednesday class)

1st Wednesday: Olive Garden, Lancaster Drive, Salem

2nd Wednesday: Walery's Pizza, West Salem

3rd Wednesday: Elmer's, Market Street

4th Wednesday: Mommy and Maddi's, River Road

5th Wednesday: The Road House, Lancaster

We always have a good time at these gatherings and it is nice to socialize with each other outside the craft room or other carving venue. All carvers, those interested in carving, and friends of carvers are welcome. Please join us.

You are always welcome at these informal gatherings. We have a good time socializing outside the carving venue.

Upcoming Events

Everett Carter Santa Face Christmas Ornament

Dates: March 20th & 21st. 9 to 5. Four hours may be added on the 22nd if necessary. **Cost:** \$75.00 which includes 2 blanks and a pattern with painting ideas.

Contact Everett Carter at ezcarter78@gmail.com with carving related questions.

Oregon Woodcarvers Rendezvous

<https://capitolwoodcarvers.org/2020orrendezvous.php>

Club Dues

Club Membership Dues

Just a reminder that it is time to pay Club Dues.

Individual - \$12.00

Family - \$18.00

Dues can be paid at our Club meeting or on the Club website.

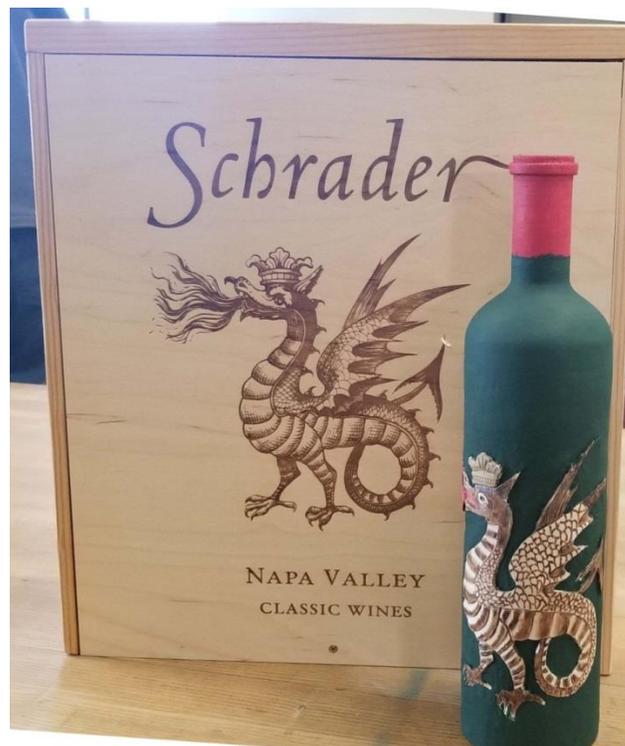
April Show Planning Meeting

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Capitol Woodcarvers will be hosting our annual show the first weekend in April. Terry Moss is heading the show committee this year. He has scheduled two upcoming planning meetings. The first one will be Tuesday, February 18 from 6:30-8pm, at Center 50+ in the respite room. Anyone who has been part of the committee in the past knows that the saying, "the more the merrier" really applies here. If you can help in any way, small or large, come to the meeting and/ or let Terry know how you can help. Terry has scheduled another planning March 24.

What Members Are Working On

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Joe Perez, an accomplished turner and carver, has completed three wine bottles. His most recent is this beautiful representation of a Schrader Napa Valley wine with a relief carved, wood burned, and painted griffin.

Joe is a diverse carver and we never know what Joe will come up with next. He carves caricatures, animals, birds, and recently he carved a complete "Hillbilly Band", including a howling dog.

It is always a pleasure and surprise to see what Joe is working on.

Keizer Art
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Gallery Show

Keizer Art Association Capitol Woodcarvers Show

Keizer Art Association Presents...

Art Found In Wood

February 27 – April 1

Reception: February 29, 2:00PM – 4:00PM
980 Chemawa Rd. N.E., Keizer, OR 97303

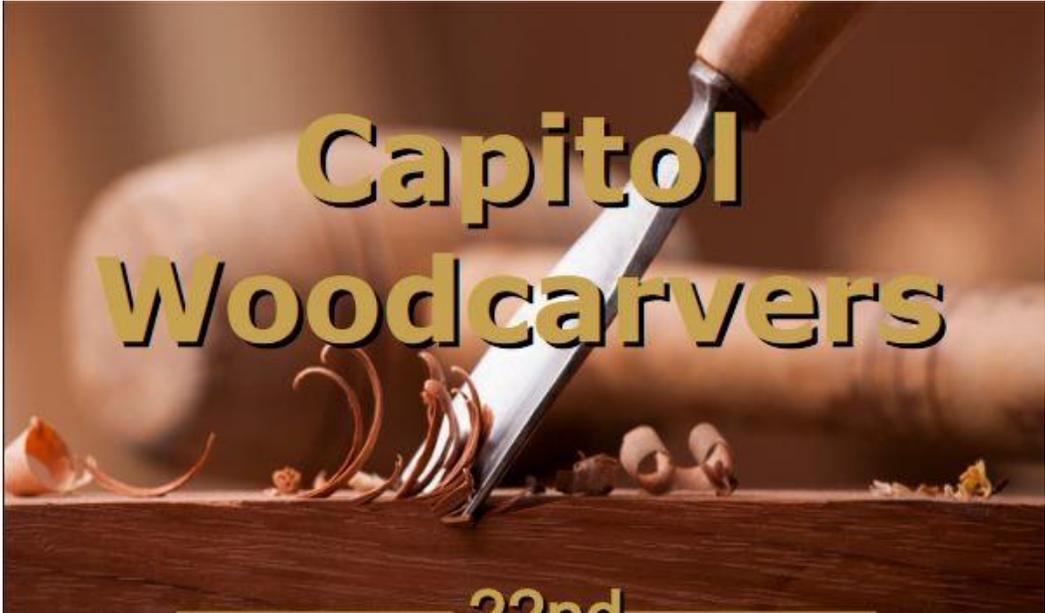
KAA March Classes

- **Salmon of Legend** - Bobbie Redington. Acrylic Paint & Graphite Pencil. Saturday, March 28, 2020 -9:30am until about 4:30pm
- March 4, 11, 18 25 "WATERCOLOR WEDNESDAYS" taught by STEVE KLEIER.
- March 5 and 19 "WATERCOLOR with PEN and INK" taught by award winning artist ANGELA WRAHTZ.
- **FRIDAY OPEN STUDIO**. This "no host" studio is for artists of all mediums. Spend the afternoon in our brightly lit classroom with the benefit of good company and a pleasant place to work. Make a cup of coffee or tea and enjoy our extensive Lending Library and the Enid Joy Mount Gallery for inspiration. Open 1:00-4:00pm every Friday. Free to members. \$3/day or \$10/ month for non-members. No registration required.

More info available at [Keizerarts.com](https://www.Keizerarts.com)

More information at <https://capitolwoodcarvers.org/kaashow2020.php>

Capitol Woodcarvers Annual Show



**Capitol
Woodcarvers**

— 22nd —

**Annual
Woodcarving
Show**

APRIL 4 - 5, 2020
Sat 10 - 5 Sun 10 - 4

Free Admission – Over 40 Displays – Demonstrations
Raffle - Tool Vendor – Breakout Sessions – Dinner
Live Auction

Center 50+ 2615 Portland RD NE, Salem, Oregon

More information at <https://capitolwoodcarvers.org/2020clubshow.php>

**Mary Davis
Featured Carver at
the Capitol
Woodcarvers
Show**

Capitol Woodcarvers Annual Show, Featured Carver



Capitol Woodcarvers Annual Woodcarving Show

Featured Carver Mary Davis

Mary is an outstanding carver who regularly participates in carving classes and sessions. She never hesitates to help fellow carvers when asked.



Mary has been carving since 2009 and joined the Capitol Woodcarver Club in 2014. She got started when she took a bird carving class in Mt Angel from Kenny Wilson and has been "hooked on

carving" ever since. Mary enjoys carving birds and other animals, both realistic and whimsical. She uses her creative vision plus her drawing and painting skills to create beautifully finished carving projects. Many fellow carvers have drawn inspiration from her works.



Mary is a member of the Oregon Decoy and Wildfowl Guild and has shown her work in the Columbia Flyway Show.

Mary is a very talented and accomplished painter. Her painting brings her carvings to "life" giving them realism, depth, and artistic look.

Now retired, Mary had several careers which included: Veterinarian Technician, Certified Nursing Assistant, Cake Decorator for Baskin Robbins, and twenty eight years as a Dog Groomer.

Her family consists of two grown daughters and eleven grandchildren.

Congratulations Mary on being selected by your peers as the Featured Carver for the 2020 Capitol Woodcarvers Show.

Come see Mary at the show

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