



Eastern Oklahoma Woodcarvers Association

NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2016

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Jim Milton Judging Schedule

January through October all judging categories will be OPEN

November..... Christmas Ornaments
December..... Carver-of-the-year

Refreshment Nights

February June September December

EOWA Monthly Meeting

Second Monday of the month, 7-9 PM
Central Center
1028 E. Sixth St. • Phone 596-1444

Open Night Carve-Ins

Every Thursday 5:30-8 PM No Fee
Central Center
1028 E. Sixth St. • Phone 596-1444
Visitors are welcome at all meetings and carve-ins.

Dues

\$30 yearly, due in July.
Application, change of address and renewal form on last page.

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EasternOklaWoodcarversAssoc/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/EasternOklaWoodcarversAssoc/)

Don't forget that your annual membership is due in July and that it is \$30 per family. Contact George Welliver at 918-949-6453 or mail in the handy renewal form on the last page of the newsletter.

To submit items for the newsletter send to Rusty Johnson at: ytsurjohnson@aol.com

Please check with George Welliver to see if your annual dues are paid up. They were due in July.

Next Meeting is October 10

The October meeting program will be announced. Laurie Ribitzki is in Colorado at this moment enjoying the changing season and will let us know the program by this weekend. An email will be sent out so keep an eye peeled.

Meanwhile, don't forget **Show and Tell** and the **monthly Judging!**

Sure, we are in the fall doldrums but that is no excuse for not bringing a carving for the monthly judging, for heaven's sake!



September Judging: First place is white crappie by Bill Payne. Second place is Measure Twice, Cut Once Santa, by Bob Block for a woodworking friend. Third place: Angry bird by Laurie Ribitzki

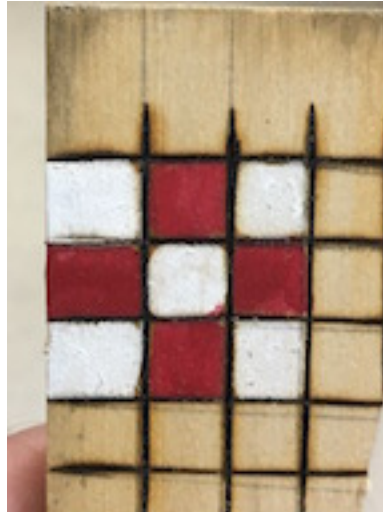


FYI: EOWA has received nonprofit status finally. What does this mean? The most common type of tax-exempt nonprofit organization falls under category 501(c)(3), whereby a nonprofit organization is exempt from federal income tax if its activities have the following purposes: charitable, religious, educational, scientific, literary, testing for public safety, fostering amateur sports competition, or preventing cruelty to children or animals. We can accept donations, be included in wills and bequests. We cannot support political activities or candidates.



September Program and Show and Tell:

Bill Payne discussed wood burning tips and techniques including burning fish scales, burning and easy eye, trapping color with burning, and burning feathers.



Show and Tell Cats and Dogs

Corgi carved from tupelo wood for friends, by Rusty Johnson (left) and a cool cat carved by Bill Payne (right).

Still at the Gilcrease Museum

Following the Grain: A Centennial Celebration of Willard Stone runs through Jan. 1, 2017.



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HARDESTY ARTS CENTER

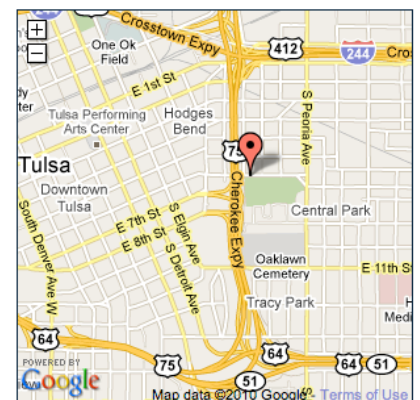
Web sites of Interest

The club Web site is on line. The url is www.eowa.us
Soon to be available on the site are show registration forms, back issues of the newsletter, club by-laws, etc.

The Eagle Cane Project web site has been returned to Jack Nitz until computer program incompatibilities can be corrected. The address for the site is: www.eaglecane.com.

EOWA Meetings and Carve-ins are at the CENTRAL CENTER
1028 E. Sixth Street
918-596-1444

Our meetings have returned to the Central Center where we previously met for many years. We will meet in the meeting rooms at the east end of the building just across the hall from where the Thursday night carve-ins are held. If you are not familiar with the location of the Center, it is near downtown, about 3 blocks west of Peoria on 6th Street, just east of the Inner Dispersal Loop (see map at right).



MINUTES OF MEETING: MINUTES OF MEETING: Sept 12.2016

CALL TO ORDER: Lori Hamilton

FLAG SALUTE: Laurie Ribitzki

JACKPOT: Greg Welliver

VISITORS: Sophi Granddaughter of Lori Hamilton.

TREASURES REPORT: Talked about old members.

WEB SITE: No report

SHOWS ATTENDED: Eureka Springs, ARK. on Sept. 9th and 10th. Lot of fun. Two shows attended by Gary Bennett. Alyce Amend was at Bentonville. Several members went to the Mini-Mart at the Fair Grounds, Was mentioned that the club should have a booth next year.

SHOW COMMITTEE: Flo Hancock. Date has been set for June 9th and 10th 2017. To be at the Community Building in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

NEW BUSINESS: Motion to renew standing in the club by just charging for the present and restart the membership, made by Bill Payne and seconded by Mike Stephenson. Motion Passed. New Christmas ornaments have been cut out and are ready for carving. To donate to the Blue Star Mothers.

JUDGES: Mike Stephenson, Flo Hancock and Rusty Johnson.

WINNERS: Bill Payne, Fish; 2nd--Bob Block, Santa with his list; and 3rd--Laurie Ribitzki, Angry Bird.

SHOW AND TELL--1st Cool Cat (yellow) by Bill Payne. 2nd--Tan corgi by Rusty Johnson, 3rd. Figure Balls brought in by Bob Block made by a friend of his. 4th Round box with lid turned by Betty Zumwalt. and a Stone carving by Gary Bennett.

PROGRAM: presented by Bill Payne on PYROGRAPHY (woodburning). How to use the different tips and some samples of the different marks. How he used this method to do his fish. Very informative program.

Changes for the EOWA Woodcarvers and Folk Art Show

The Summer Show of Woodcarving and Folk Art will move to Broken Arrow, Oklahoma next year. Financial considerations dictated the move from the Union Multipurpose Activity Center. It will be in the Central Park Community Center of Broken Arrow, 1500 S. Main St.. Of course, there will be more details to follow.



September Show and Tell:

Top left: intricately painted and folded paper balls brought by Bob Block, done by a friend who is considering being an exhibitor at the summer folk art show. Above: a turned box with lid done by Betty Zumwalt. Left: stone rune carved by Gary Bennett.



Sick Call

Ken Scrivner suffered a heart episode last month but is doing quite well on a new diet and exercise regimen.

Bill Payne went to hospital for a single arterial stent and came back with three. He too is doing well.

About name tags: since we are a club of mostly seniors we like name tags to avoid the embarrassment of forgetting a friend's name. Therefore it is a club rule that all members have a carved name tag. A hefty fine of 25 cents will be levied against members not wearing one at a meeting. New members are given a one-month grace period to produce their own.

It is sort of silly to mention that this newsletter may be found on the EOWA web site since if you are reading this you have the newsletter in hand or on screen. But, note that the newsletters will be archived there so past editions will be available for reference. The site url is:

www.eowa.us

If you are on Facebook you should 'Like' us for any breaking information. The address is: www.facebook.com/groups/EasternOklaWoodcarversAssoc/ or go to your Facebook page, search for 'Eastern Oklahoma Woodcarvers' and click on the "Like" icon.



Reminder: Dues were due in July. Please renew using the form on page 4. Contact George Welliver if you have a question about your status. Email: ghw37@yahoo.com

Thursday night Carve-ins are from 5:30-8:00 PM at the Central Center.



New Membership, Change of Address or Membership Renewal

Dues: \$30 for annual family membership (due each July).

Name _____

Address _____

State _____

Home phone _____

Retired: Yes No email _____

Date: _____

Spouse _____

City _____

ZIP _____

Cell Phone _____

Mail to: EOWA, George Welliver, 543 S. 120th E. Ave., Tulsa, OK 74128. Phone 918-949-6453 Email: ghw37@yahoo.com

Become a patron of the arts: Support the EOWA with a tax-deductible gift!!

Your tax-deductible gift of \$30 will help us preserve, promote, and protect this ancient art form for future generations. You become an actual member of the Association, and receive email notices of upcoming editions of our monthly newsletter. You'll also be apprised of upcoming special guests at our monthly meetings.

Send your best gift to:

The Eastern Oklahoma Woodcarvers Association (EOWA)

P. O. Box 14047 Tulsa, OK 74159

Thanks for helping promote the amazing art form of woodcarving.



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Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

We at The Eastern Oklahoma Woodcarvers Association are grateful for your goods-in-kind gift. It is through people like you who support the arts that we are able to perpetuate and preserve the timeless craft of woodcarving, introducing this wonderful medium to new generations of creative people. We gratefully acknowledge the receipt of your generous goods-in-kind gift of: _____, the value of which you estimate is \$_____.

If you need more room, please attach your list to this form and mail to the P. O. Box above. This is your tax-deductible receipt for state and federal income taxes.

Provider of the wood for the carving contest at the
EOWA Annual Show
Rod Wilcox
W4115 Frog Creek Road
Minong, WI 54859
715-466-2283
fcsawmill@centurytel.net

The Optima 2 Plus
35,000 or 45,000 RPM Micro Motor Carving Tool
Optima 1 Pyrographic Systems
Now available through your new Tulsa, Okla., Dealer:
pawdesigns@live.com or 918-906-9063
Please ask LittlePAW for a Free Demo & special EOWA Member Discount

Reminder: There is a weekly carve-in at the downtown Central Center, 1028 E. Sixth St., from 5:30-8:00 p.m. on Thursdays. Bring a project to carve and discuss tips and techniques with the other carvers. Also knitting and wood burning might break out!

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