Eastern Oklahoma Woodcarvers Association

SEPTEMBER 2015

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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 carveins.

Dues

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

Send to:

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

Web address: www.eowa.us Facebook address: 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: vtsurjohnson@aol.com

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

September 14 Meeting:

September Program: A Stu Martin DVD on textures and feathers - should be very good. Also, September is refreshment night! Bring leftovers from the Picnic (see below)

Annual Picnic!!!

The EOWA Annual Picnic will be September 12, at Garv Bennett's home. Address 5580 W. 82nd. Items to bring are:

- 1. Carving tools and Christmas ornaments to work on.
- 2. Your own chairs to sit on.
- 3. Your own drinks to drink on.
- 4. A pot-luck item to share.
- 5. A joyful attitude to share.

How to get there:

Take U.S. 75 south from Tulsa or north from Jenks. Exit at 81st Street. Continue west on 81st to where it ends at Gary's on 82nd, about 3 miles. Lost??? Call Gary at 918-691-3589

Bring items to be judged! Only months of September and October left to qualify for the Carver-of-the-Year!! Several months have had NO items to judges so let's go!!

gun stock (right) first place, Betty Zumwalt turned plate with Brian

Bill Payne Holey Mackerel (below

right) third place.

August Judging: Al Cross relief on Doerksen relief (below) second place,







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.

MINUTES OF MEETING AUGUST 10, 2015

Minutes not ready for prime time.

Send hospitality items to Lori Hamilton, 918-995-0940; o2bcrvng@gmail.com





September ProgramCora Mehm demonstrated lining boxes with felt, and discussed the art of Donjer felting on irregular shape objects.

Show and Tell, 1"x1"x4" These descriptions are from memory so please excuse and errors.

Bill Payne's owl



Bill Payne's cat



Santa s carved by Darlene Angel



Penguins by Rusty Johnson



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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

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.

Calendar of Upcoming Events

Golden Spread Woodcarvers of Amarillo Texas will present their Annual Show and Sale October 17-18, Regency Room, Amarillo, Texas. Contact Ginger Webster, 806-367-5446 or Gary Murphy, 806-672-5656, gmurphy55@yahoo.com.

Oklahoma City Woodcarvers Annual Show and Sale, October 31st and November 1st. Hours are Saturday from 9AM to 5PM and Sunday from 10AM to 4PM. It will be located in the Hobbies, Arts and Crafts Bldg. at the Oklahoma City Fairgrounds. Go to their website for details. www.okcarver.org or call president Steve Brandt at 405-464-2066 for details.



Keep Losing your Glasses?Lori Hamilton carved this nose that will hold your glasses. Should help keep track of them if it is used assiduously.





Want to Carve Santas?

Kirk Bruce showed several Santas he is working on and volunteered to help anyone interested in carving such that he would. It was suggested that he bring his knowledge and skills to the Thursday night carve-ins. He agreed so look for him there. Here are two of his carvings. Santa on far right is not finished yet.

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).



New Membership, Change of Address or Membership Renewal

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Dues: \$30 for annual family membership (due each July).	Date:
Name	Spouse
Address	City
State	ZIP
Home phone	Cell Phone
Retired: Yes No email	
Mail to: EOWA, George Welliver, 543 S. 120th E. Ave., Tulsa, OK 74128.	Phone 918-949-6453 Email:ghw37@yahoo.com

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

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! Membership renewals are due in July. Please renew using the form above. Contact George Welliver if you have a question.

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