# Eastern Oklahoma Woodcarvers Association



# NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2022

# **NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, OCTOBER 12, 7:00PM.**

The October meeting program will be Bill Payne talking about his and Carol's trip to visit the replica of Noah's Ark in Williamstown, Kentucky. Meeting at the St. Stephens Methodist Church, 400 W. New Orleans, in Broken Arrow. **Dues** were due in July. Please bring check for \$30 or cash to the meeting and renew if you haven't already paid up.

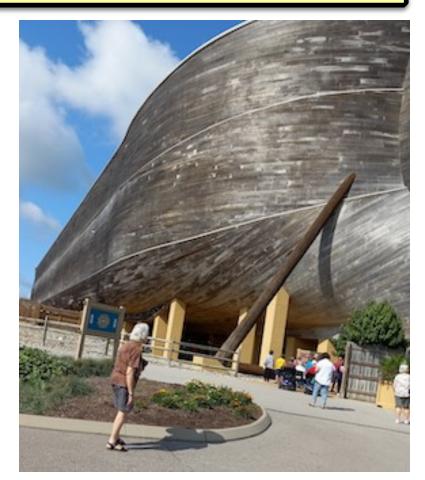
**September judging results**: No ribbons given due to not enough entries.

At right is the replica of Noah's Ark with Carol Alley for scale. Bill Payne will show photos and tell about the Ark as part of the October meeting program.

Below is Paul Wee's relief carving of a rose. Paul will have a booth at Utica Square's "Art in the Square" on October 1.



In addition to his extensive travel calendar and woodcarving activities Bill Payne is enjoying a clay modeling class at the new Broken Arrow art center. At right is his second session bear head modeling effort.





Note that the past newsletters are archived on our web site and will be available for reference. The web site url is: <a href="www.eowa.us">www.eowa.us</a>
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918-742-3969 Bob Block

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#### Jim Milton Judging

Judging is back at the monthly meetings. Bring a carving. As participation grows a schedule of monthly subjects will be reinstituted.

November Christmas Ornaments December Christmas Party

#### Refreshment Nights

February June September December

## **EOWA Monthly Meeting**

Second Wednesday of the month, 7-9 PM St. Stephens Methodist Church, 400 W. New Orleans, in Broken Arrow.

# **Monday Night Carve-Ins**

Every Monday: 6:30-8:30 PM No Fee St. Stephens Methodist Church, 400 W. New Orleans, in Broken Arrow. 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. Send to: EOWA, Roy Heginbotham

38037 S. 4417 Rd. Big Cabin OK 74332. Phone 405-637-8006

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# IMPORTANT NOTICE

For security reasons on Monday Carve-in nights the church will lock its doors at 7:00pm. If you are late and can't get in call Bill Payne at 918-251-8734. He'll send someone to unlock the door.

Minutes of the September 15 meeting: 16 members present Call to Order: Morty McKay Flag Salute: Jay Stevenson Jackpot: Anonymous Door Prizes: eight members won carving tools provided by Rusty Johnson

# **Ozarks Woodcarving Seminars**

# March 13-17, 2023, Springfield Missouri

# Contact: John Engler, 4000 West Weaver RD., Battlefield Missouri 65619

A talented lineup of instructors will be teaching a large variety of classes over the 5 days, from 8:30 to 4:30. There will be a Kick-Off Dinner on Sunday, March 12th at 6pm. On Thursday, March 16th we will have cocktails & hors d'oeuvres get together from 4:30pm to 6:00pm. To see and read about the instructors and their projects, visit our instructor's page on our website. Randy Moore of Moore Wood & Roughouts (1-800-825-2657) will be there again to handle your wood needs. Dallas Deege will be there to cover your sharpening needs. Representatives from Bigfoot Carving Tools will be onsite to supply carving tools and supplies needs. For additional information call John Engler at 417-209-6842 E-mail: john@johnenglerwoodcarving.com. Web site: https://ozarkswoodcarvingseminar.com

# Register today as classes fill fast!! Visit the instructors page of our website for class line-ups.



Monday night carveins are being well attended. At a recent carve-in there were 19 participants! That's more than attending regular meetings. At left and below left are photos from a recent carve-in. Looking forward to seeing more work from carve-in at the Show and Tell during meetings. Below is a recently completed stone carving by Gary Bennett.



## Saws for Sale

George Hughes has a couple of saws he wants to sell to make room for a new saw.

- Dewalt 10" miter saw \$150 in great shape
- Table saw like new used less than an hour \$120 Contact him at 806-781-4475



New Members: Royall Sams and Carolyn Argo Show and Tell: Paul Wee brought an unfinished relief carving of a rose

The Woodcarving and Arts Festival was discussed. Bob Block thanked all who helped. Blake Werner volunteered to chair the show next year. Ken Setter did an amazing job with the floor plan. The carving

competition judges were outstanding. Carol Alley and Jessica Gannaway did yeoman's work at tabulating. An additional hand at tabulating would have been beneficial. Next years dates have not been set yet.

Rusty Johnson recently visited his Louisiana cousin and took photos of two of his carvings in her collection. At right is a stylized bear family in basswood about eight inches wide. The stylized bird below is about four inches tall and carved from walnut on a Bradford pear stick. Both carvings were done in the early 2000s.



## **Great Plains Woodcarvers**

In lieu of a full-blown show, the Great Plains Woodcarvers are holding a "One Day Show and Sale" Saturday, October 22 Sedgwick County Extension Office 7001 W. 21st. St. Wichita Kansas

For more information contact Scott Kailer, 2518 N. Parkdale St. Wichita KS 67205 Cell: 316-204-5294

# **EOWA T-Shirts Now Available**

New EOWA t-shirts are available in time for the show. Cost is only \$12, so inexpensive you can't afford not to have one. Sizes available are Large, XLarge, 2XLarge and 3XLarge. See Bill Payne or Carol Alley to purchase.



**Members.** Please send to the newsletter editor photos of interest to carvers. This could include your carvings, carvings in an art exhibit, clay sculpture, etc. Otherwise you will be seeing more of the same from the usual suspects, not that that's a bad thing but we need a little variety.

Bill Payne will be presenting "Carving a Polar Bear group" (right) October 19-21. Check with Bill about availability and location.



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Or bring your check to the meeting and hand it over to Roy personally.