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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.

Send to:
 EOWA, George Welliver
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 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: ytsurjohnson@aol.com

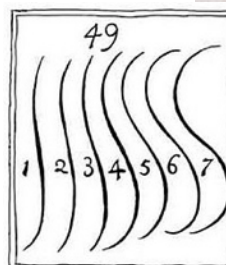
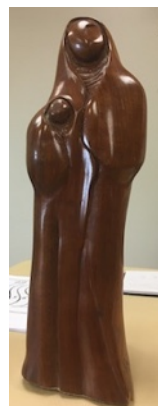
Please check with George Welliver to see if your annual dues are paid up. They were due in July.

The August meeting will be on the 13th with the program by Roy Heginbotham. He will show a video on "How to Paint a Santa." Don't forget to bring carvings for monthly judging.



Judging for July:

First place to Betty Zumwalt's Bowl (left).
 Second to Bill Payne's Owl (above).
 Third to Rusty Johnson's Coyote and the Frog People (right).



George Yoacham's July program on Stylized carving emphasized use of the Hogarth Curve. This theory originated with William Hogarth (18th-century English painter, satirist, and writer). According to his theory, S-shaped curved lines signify liveliness and activity and excite the attention of the viewer as contrasted with straight lines, parallel lines, or right-angled intersecting lines, which signify stasis, death, or inanimate objects.

Annual Dues are Due

All dues are due in July. If you haven't paid up for 2018-19 then see George Welliver or send him your \$30 with the renewal coupon on the last page of this newsletter.

Hey you! Go to the Website!

Ken Scrivner has done a great job updating the EOWA website. Look for photos of the blue ribbon winners from the summer show, past newsletters, profiles on members and other news. The site address is www.eowa.us

Minutes for July

CALL TO ORDER: Roy Heginbotham
FLAG SALITE: Roy Heginbotham
JACKPOT: Stan Townsend
DOOR PRIZES: Multi Tool donated by Stan Townsend won by Alneta Mitchell
10 Pieces of wood donated by Wood Turners won by 1- Cora Mehm, 2- Stan Townsend, 3- Carol Alley, 4- Bill Huggins, 5-- Tom Luetgen, 6- Mike Mitchell, 7-Mike Stephenson, 8-Betty Zumwalt, 9- Morty McKay, 10- George Yoachum.
LIBRARY REPORT: \$4 in book fines and \$22 in blank collection.
NEWSLETTER: Send tid-bits to Rusty Johnson.

WEB SITE: May hits was over 24,000. web site is eowa.us

SHOW REPORT: Bob Block will be the chairman next year. Would appreciate all help and suggestions that you may have.

UPCOMING SEMINARS: Debbie Edwards on August 23rd, 24th, and 25th.

NEW BUSINESS: Picnic at the Community Center on Oct 20th. July Free Fair on July 19th and 20th.

PAYNE JUDGING: Judges was Morty McKay, Bob Block and George Yoachum.

Winners 1--Bowl by Betty Zumwalt. 2nd Owl by Bill Payne and 3rd. Coyote and Frogs by Rusty Johnson.

SHOW AND TELL: Box Elder Wren carved by Bill Payne

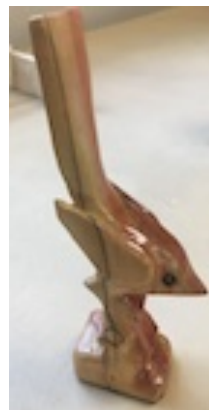
Bluejay Fan Bird and the Three steps to complete an eye by Bill Payne

Coyote and Frog People in style of northwest natives carved by Rusty Johnson

PROGRAM: George on the "S" curves in stylized carving



Show and Tell: Fan bird made by Bill Payne. White cedar fan starter (left), fan (above) and finished bird (above right). Box elder bird by Bill Payne (right) and Coyote and the Frog People carved in the northwest coast native style by Rusty Johnson (far right).



Tulsa County Free Fair

EOWA members displayed their work and demonstrated their carving techniques at the recent Tulsa county Free Fair.

Those participating were-

Jim Lowry
Mike Mitchell
Bob Block
Brian Doerksen
Sam Meire
Rusty Johnson
Bill Huggins
Mike Stephenson
Carol Alley
Bill Payne

Although the crowds were not very big, the visitors who stopped by were interested in the club does.

The club picnic will be October 20 at the Broken Arrow Community Center, 1500 S. Main, Broken Arrow. (Hint: It's the same place where the show was in June, only outside.) Bring Christmas ornaments to carve and pot luck to eat. Club will provide burgers or dogs for the main course. More details to follow.

Time to Pay Up!!!

All dues are due in July. If you haven't paid up for 2018-19 then see George Welliver or send him your \$30 with the renewal coupon on the last page of this newsletter.

Shop tips

Painting holder.

To hold small pieces so you can paint them without painting your fingers, have a chunk of modeling clay ready. Support the small parts in the clay, paint and remove when dry.

Making your own eyes

Select a suitable size nail or thumb tack, clean off any oil with lacquer thinner.

Paint the head with the color you desire. After dry, paint in the pupil, adding a small white spot for a highlight. When dry, coat with 5 minute epoxy. Cut off the stem of the nail.

Consult reference material for the correct color and pupil shape.

If you need a bigger eye use a small disc of card stock



Collected by Bill Payne

The club still has a supply of southern Basswood for sale. The wood is in 1, 2, and 4 inch thickness and irregular widths and lengths. Price is \$2.00 a board foot

Shows Close to Home

Oklahoma City Woodcarvers 53rd Annual Artistry in Wood Show

October 27 & 28, 2018.

Oklahoma State Fair Grounds

Judge: Debbe Edwards

Contact: Gerald Hudson

gwhudson@sbcglobal.net

Woodcarvers of NW Arkansas

October 13-14, 2018

Frisco Station Mall

Judge: Roger Stegall

Featured Carvers: Wanda Reichert and Danny Rebb

Contact: Scott Boyle

sdascoot62@hotmail.com

www.woodcarversofnorthwestarkansas.weebly.com



Summer Show

Next year's show will be June 21-22 at the Broken Arrow Community Center. Bob Block will be the show chair and is looking for any new ideas for how to make the show better. His email address is: rblock@aap.net. Shown here are five first place winners from the 2018 show. John Failor's decorative functional neckerchief slide (top left), Cheri Bednarck's realistic animal (above), Walt Wharton's cane (top right), Richard Dalke's floral carving (left), Robert Bednarck's seminar carving (right), Gary Batte's single figure caricature (below), and Penny Hanke's miniature (below right), .



Flexcut Tools

For several years now Flexcut has been donating items to EOWA for our summer show including tools, brochures and Cash Back Rebates. We enjoy their support and look forward to working with them in the future. Of note, in 2013 Flexcut launched their YouTube channel featuring instructional videos, demonstrations of new tools, sharpening information and more. It is a great resource for both beginners and experienced carvers. Check it out at [YouTube.com/flexcutcarvingtools](https://www.youtube.com/flexcutcarvingtools)



Want an embroidered EOWA patch for your hat, vest, tool bag, canvas apron, jacket or anywhere else you might want to display it? Only \$4. See Lori Hamilton.

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).

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

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.



**The Eastern Oklahoma Woodcarvers Association
P. O. Box 34, Broken Arrow, OK 74013**



Goods-in-kind Receipt

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.



ARTS & HUMANITIES COUNCIL OF TULSA
HARDESTY ARTS CENTER



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.