



NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, December 8, 7:00PM.



EVERYONE WELCOME TO THE CHRISTMAS PARTY AND EATS.

PLEASE BRING SOMETHING TO EAT/ SNACK AND A GIFT TO EXCHANGE. (Gift exchange items can be hand-made, carved, turned or purchased with value of \$15 or less.) As usual, the meeting will be at St. Stephens Methodist Church, 400 W. New Orleans, in Broken Arrow.

The tradition of awarding Carver-of-the-Year at the December meeting has been put on hiatus until next year when hopefully we get better participation and meeting attendance.



One hundred and sixty one Christmas decorations (including several from out-of-stater Al Cross) were collected and presented to the Blue Star Mothers at the November meeting.

– November meeting photos by Jay Stevenson.

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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 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:
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Big Cabin OK 74332.
Phone 405-637-8006
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www.facebook.com/groups/EasternOklaWoodcarversAssoc/

Don't forget that your annual membership is due in July and that it is \$30 per family. Contact Roy Heginbotham Roy Heginbotham (phone 405-637-8006) 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

For those who remember long-time EOWA member and extraordinary woodturner Bob Fulton, he is getting married on the 17th of December.

He is 99-years young.

A card to sign will be at the December meeting for those who remember him.

Also of note, Jack Nitz has a new mailing address :
1400 McElroy Dr.
Stillwater OK 74075

The carvings below were part of the Alyce Amend collection donated to the club for give-away. These items were distributed to lucky members at the November meeting.



Gary Bennett, long-time woodcarver has been spending most of his time these days carving stone. He talked to the club about his work at the November meeting.



If you have a work in progress or finished but you don't feel comfortable attending the meeting please send me a photo and description for **Show and Tell**.

MINUTES OF NOVEMBER MEETING: 18 PRESENT

CALL TO ORDER: Jim Lowry

FLAG SALUTE: Jim Lowry

JACKPOT: Paul Barry

DOOR PRIZE: Things from Alyce Amend

VISITORS: three ladies from Blue star Mothers

TREASURE REPORT: \$4342.20

SHOW REPORT: In September again next year. Date to be announced later

NEW BUSINESS: Christmas party on Dec 8th. Gift exchanged. Not to exceed

\$15.00. Blue star Mothers received 161

ornaments for the troops serving. Jennifer

from Arts and Craft was present and gave

a report on the building. Should be open

in January.

SHOW AND TELL: 3 pieces from Bill Payne. Dolphins, ham bone and a whittling piece from Rogers Ark.

PROGRAM: Gary Bennett on stone sculpture. Had some slides and some pieces. Lot of interest.

Bill Payne attended the Northwest Arkansas Woodcarvers annual show earlier this month. He won two first place awards with the items shown here. His sinker cypress dolphins took first in the marine category and his carved hambone butterfly took first in the "Other Media" category.



Below are three fish carved from an 80-year old cedar fencepost. A lady in Arkansas wanted them carved from her fathers old fence.



The ever busy Bill Payne acquired this spalted pine log and is anxious to "get to work on it." We will be anxious to see what all comes from it.



Carol Alley tends the table at the North West Arkansas show with Bill Payne.

Bill Huggins attended the Inola Craft Show and displayed his hand-made items.



The whole collection of Christmas decorations on display. Good job EOWA once again in support of our service people overseas.



EOWA dues are due July 1 each year. Please send your check to: EOWA, Roy Heginbotham, 38037 S. 4417 Rd., Big Cabin OK 74332
 Or bring your check to the meeting and hand it over to Roy personally.