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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 **March meeting** will be on the **12th**. Bring carvings for **monthly judging**. The program will be an expanded **Show and Tell**. Members are asked to bring a carving they own that was created by someone else. We will then discuss them as to how they were done, their appeal, etc. It promises to be an interesting discussion.



February judging: first place - ogre head on a stick by Rusty Johnson (top left); third place - bear in pursuit of honey by Bill Payne (above); second place - lidded pot turned by Betty Zumwalt (left).

Annual Dues are Due

All dues are due in July. If you haven't paid up for 2017 then see George Welliver or send him your \$25 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 OF MEETING: 2-12-2018: CALL

TO ORDER: Lori Hamilton

FLAG SALUTE: Roy Heginbotham

JACK POT: Cora Mehm

DOOR PRIZES: How to make a flute--
donated by Buyrl Franks won by George
Yoachum

Book about doge donated by Buyrl Franks
won by Jim Lowry

Book Christmas with Love donated by Buyrl
Franks won by Lori Hamilton

Book Norman Rockwell donated by Buyrl
Franks won by Louise Townsend

Book Drawing a likeness donated by Buyrl
Franks won by Rusty Johnson

Turntable donated by Buyrl Franks won by
Flo Hancock

Three pieces of wood donated by Bill Payne
won by Stan Townsend, Betty Zumwalt and
Jay Stevenson

CARDS: Jack Nitz

WEB SITE: February average of 95 pages
daily.

SEMINAR ATTENDED: 6 members was
present at a relief carving of a eagle

SEMINARS: Bill Payne at Eureka Springs
School of the Arts. To be held in April.

SHOW COMMITTEE: To be held at Cora
Mehm's house on the 27th of February.
There has been 12 applications of the show
sent to us..

OLD BUSINESS: Received a thank you card
from The Blue Star Mothers.

NEW BUSINESS: Motion made by Bob Block
to move \$2,000 from the club to the show
committee, seconded by Bill Payne and
passed by the Club.

JUDGING: 1st place Ogre head carved by
Rusty Johnson

2nd place by Betty Zumwalt

3rd place bear carved by Bill Payne.

SHOW AND TELL: 4 relief carvings done by
Cora Mehm, Flo Hancock, Pat Collins and
Betty Zumwalt. 4 Loonie Birds carved by Bill
Payne and one by Bob Block.

PROGRAM: Roy Heginbotham showed a film
from Stewart Martin on "How to Carve Eyes".

Name That Wood

Ilex spp.

Close grained almost white, virtually no visible
grain

Sources US and western Asia

Fine texture

Used for inlay and marquetry

Workability difficult, dulls tools

Takes finishes well

Weight 35-50 lbs per cu ft

Thuja occidentalis

Straight grain even texture, light brown, many
knots

Sources Canada and US

Well suited for outdoor uses, resistant to decay
Used for shingles and used for poles.

Workability good

Accepts finishes Well

Weight 23 lbs per cu ft

Answers on the next page.

SHOP TIPS

Mixing Aniline dye in brush
on lacquer can make a
quick drying stain. Test on a
scrap first to get the desired
color.

Pattern Transfer

Tape the pattern in place,
then prick thru it using a
standard push pin every 1/4
inch or so remove the
pattern, then connect the
dots with a pencil.

— provided by Bill Payne



Raffle Items for Summer Show

Detailer Wood Burner by Colewood (below) with pen and five
assorted tips. Value new \$90.



The WorkSharp tool sharpener (below) will be raffled off at
the summer show. The brand new power device sharpens
wood tools cleanly and easily. The tool is valued at \$250. It
will come with a separate (gently used) knife and scissor
sharpening attachment valued at \$50. Total value \$300.



Raffle items donated by Rusty Johnson

Show and Tell

These four birds were carved from the same rough out pattern.
The bald eagle by Bob Block, the others by Bill Payne

Great Plains 52nd Annual Show

Wichita, KS

May 19 & 20, 2018 at the Cessna Center

Contact: Scott Kailer at kailers@cox.net

EOWA Woodcarving and Folk art Show

June 1 & 2, 2018

Oklahoma City Woodcarvers 53rd Annual Artistry in Wood Show

October 27 & 28, 2018. Oklahoma

State Fair Grounds

North Arkansas 39th Annual Woodcarving Show

May 5-6, 2018

Featuring:

- Unlimited Hand Tools Carving Contest
- Woodcarvers • Wood Turners • Demonstrations
- Woodcarving Door Prizes Drawing Every Hour

FOR INFORMATION:

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webmaster@northarkansaswoodcarvers.org

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or Write: NAWC, P.O. Box 531, Mountain Home, AR 72654

or E-mail: dbd12@suddenlink.net
typesmith@suddenlink.net



Four Bald Eagle relief carvings done at recent seminar are by (top row) Pat Collins, and Flo Hancock. (Bottom row) Cora Mehm and Betty Zumwalt

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



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.

For those who know Buck Herron his son Brian died Tuesday morning, January 23. It had been a long 12 years since he was brutally beaten in the head leaving him unable to care for himself. Pneumonia was the final cause of death. Our condolences to the Herron family.

Name that wood: 1. Holly 2. White Cedar

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

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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!

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