



IMPORTANT! IF YOU READ NOTHING ELSE IN THE NEWSLETTER, READ THIS:

Because our regular meeting falls on Veterans Day (Nov. 11) and the Central Center will be closed, the NOVEMBER meeting has been moved up to **Monday the 4th!!!**

Bring your ornaments to the meeting. Blue Star Mothers of Tulsa will be there to accept our donations.

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The annual PICNIC will be on Saturday, **November 2**, at the Broken Arrow Community Center, 1500 S. Main, Broken Arrow, (the same place where we had our summer show). It won't be in the building but in the picnic area adjacent. Bring a pot luck item, a chair and Christmas ornaments to finish.



Show and Tell for October

Cottonwood bark eagle by Bob Block (far left). Turned, burned and colored lidded urn by Betty Zumwalt (left). Cottonwood bark lighthouse by Roy Heginbotham (right).



Note that the past newsletters are archived on our web site and will be available for reference. The web 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 "Like" icon.

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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 918-596-1444

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.

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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

MINUTES OF MEETING: October, 2019

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CALL TO ORDER: Roy Heginbotham
FLAG SALUTE: Jim Lowry
JACKPOT: Carol Alley
DOOR PRIZE: Block of wood donated by Al Cross won by Paul Wells. Stick of cedar wood donated by Bob Block won by Bill Huggins. 5 cane sticks donated by Bill Payne won by 1-Rusty Johnson, 2-Betty Zumwalt, 3-Art Pancook, 4-Jim Lowry and 5-Bob Block.
VISITORS: Dianne Whalen
CARDS: Stan Townsend, Shirley Heginbotham and Mike Stephenson.
SHOW REPORT: OKC show end of October. Show attended by Bill Payne in Kansas.

NEW BUSINESS: Picnic on Nov.2nd at Central Park in Broken Arrow. Next club meeting is Nov. 4th because of Holiday on the 11th. Bring your Christmas ornaments.
SHOW AND TELL: Bob Block, Eagle head out of cottonwood. Roy Heginbotham, Bark carving of lighthouse. Betty Zumwalt, vase from Maple wood. Bill Payne: Bear on park bench, jack-o-lantern, whittling contest piece from Kansas, and Pumpkin carved from bass wood.

PROGRAM: Given by Dianne Whalen on wood burning. Was a hands on program. Enjoyed by all.

Bob Block saw this photo of a New Guinea woodcarver in the Minneapolis airport. In the photo are six Flexcut gouges he is using along with the hi-tech mallet. The wood vise is lo-tech.



Show & Tell:
All carvings by Bill Payne. Top, bear on bench. Above, jack-o-lantern carved with Muskogee woodcarvers. Right, carving contest winner at Great Plains show in Wichita, Kansas. Contestants were given wood block and told to execute a Halloween theme carving.

Reba Nitz has been moved to Catholic Charities hospice at 2400 North Harvard. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Jack and Reba.

Hi there,
I'm the webmaster for the Gretna Wood Carving Retreat in Gretna, NE. I just posted the registration form and instructor list for the retreat. I thought your members might want to know. Here is a write up I made to promote the retreat. Feel free to use. Let me know if you have any questions.
Thanks,
Bryan Moody
316-706-5751

Gretna Wood Carving Retreat is February 6th thru 9th, 2020
See details, list of instructors, and sign up forms at www.gretnawoodcarversretreat.com
Come and carve in the picturesque country setting of Gretna, Nebraska. This annual wood carving retreat is really something special. Kick back, take a class, and carve at a 4H camp ground where you can stay in the cabins and walk to class. A relaxing and laid back atmosphere with fun and meals served on site. Check out this video for a quick look. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7SQcsGgqeyowork!>

McAlester Woodcarvers do a rainbow trout



The rainbow trout (left) was Bill Payne's Great Plains winner and the go-by for McAlester carvers Jim Lowry, Cliff Pitner, John Hutton, Bob and Cheri Bednarck (below).



Pyrography with Diane Whalen

Diane Whalen discussed the art of wood burning at the October meeting. She brought enough burners and a variety of burner tips for members to participate in a hands-on demonstration. She discussed the types of burners and their pros and cons, where to find patterns and cautioned about copyright infringement. Above is her wood burned owl.



Wichita, Kansas Great Plains Woodcarvers show

Bill Payne and Carol Alley attended the Great Plains Woodcarvers show in Wichita where Bill received three white ribbons, one red and one blue. He also won the carving contest with his ghost and jack-o-lantern (see page two).



More Wood

A new source for beautiful hardwood has recently opened in Sapulpa.

It is the Exotic Hardwood Store located at 9849 Frankoma Rd., Sapulpa, OK. Phone: 918-557-5506

Its kind of hard to find when you get to the 9800 block of Frankoma, turn east at the Frontiers of Faith church and go east on the industrial road as far back as you can go. They plan to have a wide selection of imported hard woods.

In stock right now they have purple heart, brown heart, marble wood, basswood and butternut from Rod Wilcox. Check out the web site exotichardwoodstore.com



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 as well as experienced carvers. Check it out



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



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Your tax-deductible membership 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.

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P. O. Box 34 Tulsa, OK 74013

Thanks for helping promote the amazing art form of woodcarving.



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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.

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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