

CAPITOL WOODCARVERS Salem, Oregon

August 15 Newsletter

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President's Message

Hello Fellow Carvers!

As you all know, hopefully, that August is one of the two months that we do not have a monthly meeting. Instead we will have our annual Summer Picnic at the south end of Bush's Pasture Park beginning at 6 pm. I hope you will be able to join us. Please bring your own chair, plates, silver, drinks and a dish to share with others. If you have some current carvings you are working on, bring those along as well. There will be time for some carving as well as time to renew friendships. If you have someone that has shown some interest in carving bring them along as well.

Remember also that you could help out our club by manning our booth at the State Fair Artisan's Village. We will be there from August 28th – Sept 7th (Labor Day). If you think you have some time to volunteer please give Jim Boatner a call. He can be reached at: 503-873-2870; or via email at: boatnerjk@netzero.com. We have all the slots filled up for our other booth in the Columbia Hall. We will be in the Columbia Hall on Aug 31st and Sept 1st. If you are at the fair during those two days come by and say hello.

I would like to thank **Mike Gorman** who was our presenter in July. We all appreciate our talented members who take the time to teach us all some new skills and new tricks. If you haven't signed up as a presenter yet we encourage you to do so for next year. You can give Donna Miller a call and make arrangements with her. She can be reached at:

503-507-6523.

Hope to see many of you at the Annual Picnic on August 25th at Bush's Pastures Park!

Jack Dalton

Club Meetings: Last Tuesday of each month; but no meetings in August and December)

Presenter for September: Mike Reifel on puppets

Treats for September: Laurie Ladd, Janet Besing, Tom Ham and Lorene Bartell

Open Carving

For those that might be interested---the Salem Senior Center has a woodcarving session every Friday from 1:00 to 4:00 upstairs. A great bunch of people that are willing to help out, if you ask. Very generous group of folks!

The Silverton Silverchip Carvers meet Wednesday's, 1 to 4 at the Silverton Art Association. \$2 per session. A chance to carve and chat. For more Info, call Dave Stand (503-873-4512).

Everett Koontz is hosting an open carving session on Mondays, 9:30-3:00 at his home: 2970 Hollyberry Lane SE Salem. Bring a sack lunch and a project to work on. Special classes occur during the year so check ahead to make sure it is okay to be there.

Local Wood Supplier: Jerry Harris, Dallas, Or. 503-884-7905, Email: grich912@aol.com

Carving classes with Dave Disselbrett at the Keizer Art Association, 950 Chemawa Rd NE, Keizer, OR (503-390-3010). The evening classes are 7:00 to 9:00 PM. Cost is \$15, (\$5 per night) for the three Monday sessions. Mondays: 7:00 to 9:00 PM Wednesdays, 9 AM to Noon, \$7 per session, Classes are in the craft room. Projects of choice. Center 50+ Salem.

"Bored" Dinners and Breakfasts

Several carvers started gathering for a Friday Night Dinner and a Saturday morning breakfast at various locations around the valley. It's a chance to go to some places that you may not normally go and to be with friends. Everyone is welcome for these no-host gatherings. The only requirement is bring your appetite!!! The following is the schedule of upcoming gatherings.

Bored Dinners, 6 PM **Bored Breakfast**, 8 AM

Friday Sept 11	Chia Lotus	Saturday Sept 26	Whites
Friday Oct 9	Frank n' Steins	Saturday Oct 24	Annette's
Friday Nov 6	Spaghetti Warehouse	Saturday Nov 21	Busic Court
Thurs Dec 31	Roundhouse	Saturday Dec 19	Sassy Onion

If any questions call Dave Disselbrett (503-390-9125) or Ken Lake (503-851-7468)

Capitol Carvers Dates To Remember in 2015

August: West Glacier Rendezvous will be August 13-16. (Some are leaving the 11th.)

Annual picnic 25th (Bush Park, OK to come early, dinner at 6pm) No Club meeting.

September 12-13: Vancouver Wildlife Show (www. Columbiaflywaywildlifeshow.com)

September 17-20 Oregon Capitol Carvers Rendezvous, Canyonview Camp, Silverton

September 26 & 27 Lower Columbia Woodcarvers 31st annual Show and Sale, 10AM-5PM Saturday, 10AM-4PM Sunday. Regional Conference Center Longview, WA Contact Mike (360) 577-7318 or Dave (360) 751-0036.

September 29 Club meeting

October 27 Club meeting

November 24th: Club meeting and Annual Thanksgiving potluck dinner (serve at 6 pm), meeting starts at 7 pm. Annual election of officers.

No Club meeting in December. TBA later will be dates for selling ornaments, etc.