



CAPITOL CARVERS

Salem, Oregon
<http://capitolwoodcarvers.org>

December 2010



UPCOMING CLUB MEETINGS (7 p.m. on the last Tuesday of the month)

Meeting Program (*bring tools)

December	No meeting
January	*Bill Grater – heart pin
February	*Dave Disselbrett – tulip

Treats

King, Graham, Prowse
Lake, D. Henry, Wright

OUTGOING OFFICERS MESSAGES

Farewell & Thank You

Just want to take a moment to say farewell as my term as president comes to an end. It has been great year made so much easier by all of the support that I received from all of you. Thank you!

This year has been a good one. We had a great show in April, participated in the Marion County Fair and State Fair, completed the Nativity Set for C.A.S.A. to use for a fund raiser, carved canes and presented them to veterans of the 82nd airborne, and carved enough ornaments to fill 2 trees for use in fund raising for the Center 50+. Thanks to all of you who have participated in these projects.

I continue to be pleased by the quantity, quality and diversity of the items we have at show and tell every meeting. We certainly are one of the most active and I think talented carving clubs in the northwest. Keep up the good work all of you.

Wishing all of you a very happy holiday season and a joyous and prosperous new year. See you all in 2011!

Jim Harris

It's Been Grand

It has been a wonderful year as the Vice President of Capitol Carvers. A big thank you to everyone for the support, encouragement, and goodwill I've received. I very much appreciated the opportunity to stretch my wings in this role. Membership in our club has many benefits: fellowship, breaking bread, learning new techniques, dinning out, sharing ideas and techniques, and of course the opportunity to bake treats.

Happy Holidays to all,
Michelle Graham

2010 OFFICERS

President

Jim Harris
503- 421-9247

Vice President

Michelle Graham

Treasurer

Bill Grater

Secretary

Laurie Ladd

Newsletter

Michelle Graham

Members at Large

Everett Koontz
Kenny Wilson
(Historian)

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IN MEMORIAL

Throughout this year, our club has felt the loss of fellow carvers and friends. We will surely miss the Don Townsend, Billy Malone, Linda Henry, Stan McGill and Ruby Burnell. During this season of blessings, let us remember with fondness these members and their families.

SHOW TIME IS COMING – submitted by Jim Harris

It may seem a long way off, but our show in April will be upon us before we know it. Anyone wishing to help with the planning and work of the show is invited to attend either or preferably both of the meetings. Just let Dave Disselbrett, Everett Koontz, Dan Henry, or Jim Harris know that you want to help. Looking forward to working with you all to make our show better than ever.

First meeting - Monday, December 13, at Everett Koontz's house at 10 a.m. This will be a kick off meeting to get information put together about what we want to see happen and to get a feel for how we will get things done.

Second meeting - Friday, January 7, 2011, at 1:00 p.m. We will be meeting with Marilyn and her staff at Center 50+.

"BORED" DINNER AND BREAKFAST

Several carvers started a 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 to and be with some friends. Everyone is welcome for these no-host gathers. The only requirement is to bring your appetite! The following is the schedule of upcoming gatherings.

Dinners at 6:00 p.m.

- December 31 at 5 o'clock at the Marco Polo Restaurant on Trade and Liberty in Salem <http://www.mpologlobal.com/> Please let Dave know if you are coming by December 12th so that we can make reservations. A table will be reserved for the number we have at that time.
- January 21 – Novak's, Albany
- February 18 – Markum Inn, Salem
- March 25 – Olive Garden, Salem
- April 8 – Sizzler, Salem – Post Annual Show review
- May 13 – Glockenspiel, Mt. Angel



Breakfasts' at 8:00 a.m.


- December 11 - Busik Court, Salem
- January 8 – Hwy 22, West Salem
- February 6 – Otis Café, Lincoln City
- March 19 – MarMont & Mattes, Keizer
- April 3 – Almost Home, Salem
- May 7 – Airport Café, Salem
- June 25 – Sybil's, Salem

If you don't know where a restaurant is located ask at the Friday carving at the Center, at Everett's on Mondays, or look them up online or the yellow pages.



2010 /2011 EVENTS OF THE REGION

January 15 – 16: Lincoln City, OR – Coastal Carvers host 19th annual Artistry in Wood at Chinook Winds Convention Center. Saturday 10 – 5 and Sunday 10 – 4. Free admission. Guest artist is Ron Adamson. Web site: <http://home.teleport.com/~coastalcarvers/>

April 2 & 3: Capital Carvers annual show, Salem, OR. Featured carver George Goetzelman  Center 50+, Salem, OR. There will be a raffle, member's carvings and art/crafts for view and sell. There is always a large selection of tools, wood, and books for sale relating to everything wood.

March 26 – 27: Southcoast 20th Oregon Show 9 to 5 p.m. at the North Bend Community Center, 2222 Broadway, North Bend, OR. Free Demos, raffles, carvings on display and for sale and vendors selling tools, books, wood & supplies. For information or to reserve a table contact Rick Miller, President and Show Chairman, (541)260-5328, (541)756-7068, Lori.miller@charter.net

CLASSES / OPEN CARVING

The **Salem's Center 50+** has a Woodcarving session EVERY Friday, from 1 to 4 p.m. upstairs in the New Salem Senior Center. If you have the time, come on down and carve or bring your wood burning equipment and join fellow pyrographers.

The **Silverchips** meet in Silverton on Wednesday afternoons from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Silverton Art Association. The cost is \$2.00 per session. It's an excellent opportunity to carve and chat. For more information, call Dave Strand at 503-873-4512.

On Monday's from 9:30 to 3 p.m., join other carvers at **Everett Koontz's** house, 3970 Hollyberry Lane SE, Salem. All levels of carvers are welcome. Bring a sack lunch and a project to work on. For more information, call Everett at 503-581-8428.

Linda Schmitt is offering Workshops in her studio. The hours for the workshop are 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. Linda's studio is located at 1750 70th Ave. SE, Salem. The cost for open carving workshops is \$5 per day. Please call Linda 7 days in advance of the class at 503-391-7913.

Mt. Angel Woodcarvers Workshop - 125 N. Garfield St., Mt. Angel, 503-845-9663. Please call the workshop at least two days prior to the class to make a reservation. Pay when you arrive.

- Wednesdays from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. is beginning and intermediate carving with **Dave Disselbrett**. The cost is \$5 per session plus the cost of the blank.
- Thursday from 9 a.m. to noon, power carve with **Kenny Wilson**. The cost is \$20.
- Thursdays from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. chip carve with **Sam Hutchinson**. The cost is \$10 per session plus the cost of the blank. You may also learn how to carve chains, ball in a cage, or pliers.
- Saturdays from 8 a.m. to Noon, duck or bird of your choice carving with **Kenny Wilson** - \$20 per session, plus the cost of the blank.

Special Classes – 1 – 4 p.m.

- Dec. 4: shallow relief carving with Sam Hutchinson, \$15
- Dec. 1 & 12: Santa carving with Mike Gorman, \$20
- Dec. 11: carving ornaments with Dave Disselbrett, \$10
- Dec. 12: carve a Santa with Mike Gorman, \$20
- December 18: shallow relief carving with Sam Hutchinson, \$15
- Jan. 15 & 19: paint your carvings with Cherie Bonstelle, \$15
- Feb. 12 & 26: paint your carvings with Cherie Bonstelle, \$15



Dave Disselbrett offers classes at several locations. Call 503-390-9125 to let him know you will be there so he has enough blocks for the class. Beginners are welcome to all classes! Check out his website for a complete listing for the year <http://www.angelfire.com/or2/carvingsbydave/>

- Keizer Art Association located at 980 Chemawa Rd. NE, Keizer - Bring a sack lunch and enjoy a cup of free coffee
Sunday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. (\$15 per day) Jan. 30, Spoon Heads; Feb. 20, Fisherman; Mar. 6, Big Sun; April 10, Hobo; May 15, Turned Egg; June 26, TBA; July 24, Christmas in July
Monday, 7-9 p.m. (\$5 per day) January 3, 10,17, Spoon Toppers; Feb. 7, 14, 21, Fisherman; March 7, 14, 21, Big Sun; April 4, 11, 18, Hobo; May 2, 9, 16, Turned Egg; June 6, 13, 20, TBA
- Salem 50+ Center – 2615 Portland Rd NE, Salem. 503-588-6303 (\$15 per day), on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2 on December 18
- Stayton at Jay Myers' home is on hold until further notice
- Silverton Art Association 303 Coolidge, Silverton (503-873-2480) in the Park House. The first three Wednesdays of the month from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. all levels of carving. The cost is \$5 per session plus the cost of the blank.

NEWSLETTER AND EMAIL

If you are interested, email Michelle at mg-graham@comcast.net. Once she receives your email, she will place it in a group folder. The emails are sent using Bcc: so your address will not appear to others.

DINNER BEFORE THE MEETINGS

There will be dinner and beverages to purchase before the meetings. So, come an hour or so before the meeting and have a dinner with friends.

FIND THE GIFT



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Somewhere else in this newsletter you will find this symbol (but a smaller version). If you find it, write your name on a slip of paper that's handed out at the meeting. The drawing is on the honor system. One name is drawn and a prize is given. What is the prize? Come to the meeting and find out!

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2011 CAPITAL CARVERS DUES RENEWAL

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____ email _____

Dues: \$12 for an individual or \$18 for a family

You can pay at the meeting or send payment to Bill Grater, 3826 Hulsey, Salem, OR 97302