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President's Message

Hello Capitol Woodcarvers,

It's Showtime!! I am very pleased to report that the 2022 Capitol Woodcarvers Virtual Show is underway. If you haven't already seen it, I would encourage you to see the club website at www.capitolwoodcarvers.org. Bob Curtis has done a fantastic job of arranging the artwork. It's a very professional presentation that creates a great image for our club. Your contributions helped make it possible and it is appreciated. While you are on the website, be sure to see the works of our featured carver Donna Miller. There are several of her carvings and a beautiful pyrography piece on display. Congratulations Donna!

Don't forget to also see the online auction. Everett Carter has amassed a collection of tools, knives, wood, books, finished art pieces and much more. It's all there on the website and ready for your perusal. Don't forget that the auction will close on May 31st. Auction winners can claim their items at the club meeting that evening. As all the proceeds will benefit the club, I hope that you will bid often. Since the show and the auction are on the public side of our website, we hope that many people will get to see it and enhance the profile of our club. So please share it far and wide.

Speaking of the club website, did you know that you can pay your club dues online? If you are overdue, this is a great opportunity to get caught up. Just go to the "about us" button at the top of the page and look for the "join our club" link. Scroll down that page and you'll see the links that make online payment quick and easy. The last two years under a pandemic may have led to some confusion about whether your dues are paid. If you need to get caught up, I encourage you to please

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do so.

In case you missed it, Jim Boatner gave a terrific presentation at the April club meeting. His warm, storytelling personality made for a great show. I thoroughly enjoyed it. He was so generous in sharing his knowledge and experience around the subject of walking sticks. Personally, I've never carved a walking stick. I think they are very interesting, but never thought to try it. I know that in the past, I would have walked right past a good stick without another thought. Not anymore. The next time I'm in the woods I'll be looking for my next carving project. I've been inspired and have Jim to thank.

To all the moms, Happy Mother's Day! I hope that you'll make some chips, burn some wood, and enjoy the day.

Terry Moss, Club President

2022 Virtual Show

We have exceptionally good carvers in our Club. Visit the 2022 Capitol Woodcarvers Show at <https://capitolwoodcarvers.org> to be amazed by what our members can carve from a piece of wood. There are 134 entries to view.

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Caricature Realistic Pyrography Other

Snowman
Ann Engelson

Angry Bird
Bill Weisenhaus

Chef Spoon Topper
Bill Weisenhaus

Gingerbread Men
Bill Weisenhaus

Pepper Santas
Bill Weisenhaus

Thank you to all who are participating in this year's show.

For 2023 we are planning a live show including: class sessions, demonstrations, auction, raffle, food truck(s), and outstanding live displays.

Classes at Everett's Studio

Classes Scheduled at Everett Koontz' Studio

Chris Hammack: May 23 - 27. This is a 5-day design class. You tell Chris what you want to carve, and he will draw your front and side views, you trace them onto the wood, and I cut them out for you. \$425.00 total. 2 openings.

Everett Carter: June 16 - 19. Elf figure class. \$125.00. 2 openings available

Rich Wetherbee: July 5 - 7. Rapunzel figure, dragon, cottonwood carving, and his regular figure blocks. \$255.00 plus \$25 to \$35 for your block choices. 2 openings. <https://www.wetherbeecollectionllc.com/roughouts>

Eric Owen: Aug 2 - 4. His regular blocks he brings to the class. 5 openings available <https://ericowensart.com>

May 31 Club Meeting

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May 31, 7:00PM. Please join us to catch up on Club events and to take part in a wonderful presentation by Terry Moss.

Terry will be introducing us to Chainsaw Carving. We often see chainsaw carvers at fairs and other events but many of us have no real understanding of the art.

Terry will be talking about equipment, wood, process, finishing, etc. I've often wondered about the similarities to our woodcarving activities and process. I'm looking forward to a

better understanding and how chainsaw carving relates to what we do as carvers.

Open Carving

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Open carving at Center50+ is back. There is a lot of carving, visiting, chatting, and learning going on. Carvers are working on pyrography, bark carving, caricature carving, chip carving, face carving, and painting.

What a great group and wonderful opportunity to learn from others.



Friday Open Carving at Center 50+, Come Join Us

Club Lunches

Lunches

Friday Lunch Schedule for the next three weeks

May 13 -- Paddington's Pizza North, 410 Pine St. NE, Salem

May 20 -- Mommy & Maddie's, 4765 River Rd N, Keizer

May 27 -- Elmer's Restaurant, 3950 Market St. NE, Salem

All are welcome. We would like to see you at lunch. Bring a friend

Virtual Silent Auction

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We are again having a Virtual Silent Auction on our website at <https://capitolwoodcarvers.org>. Last year's auction was a huge success and this year the auction is shaping up to do as well.

There are great deals available. Examples include a Workbench, Power Carving Tools, Book Bundles, Hand Tools, Classes, Blanks, and much more.

Don't miss out, get online, and place a bid now.

- Auction #1 -- Woodcarving Academy Gift Certificate
- Auction #2 -- Woodcarving Academy Gift Certificate
- Auction #3 -- Ceramic Carousel Carver Music Box
- Auction #4 -- Duck Blank
- Auction #5 -- Flat Plane Carving Howto Book
- Auction #6 -- Howto Carving Books
- Auction #7 -- Homemade Jam and Tote
- Auction #8 -- Fox Publishing Gift Certificate
- Auction #9 -- Mallet Tools
- Auction #10 -- Three Knives
- Auction #11 -- Set of 3 Tools
- Auction #12 -- Beginner's Palm Set from Flexcut
- Auction #13 -- Pocket Jack from Flexcut
- Auction #14 -- Flexcut Carving Knife Set
- Auction #15 -- Foredom K5240 Donated by Blackstone Industries
- Auction #16 -- Live Edge Basswood Piece
- Auction #17 -- My Chip Carving Gift Certificate
- Auction #18 -- Workbench (Slightly Used/Value \$350)
- Auction #19 -- Breakthrough Magazine, One Year Subscription
- Auction #20 -- Foredom (Used)
- Auction #21 -- Everett Carter Knife
- Auction #22 -- Carving Faces Workbook
- Auction #23 -- Book, 12 Spoons 2 Bowls and a Knife
- Auction #24 -- Birdcarving Guide
- Auction #25 -- Chip Carving Designs
- Auction #26 -- Carving Vise
- Auction #27 -- Tall Santa Roughout
- Auction #28 -- Swiss Made Gouges
- Auction #29 -- Mallet
- Auction #30 -- Another Mallet
- Auction #31 -- Tools With Handles
- Auction #32 -- My Chip Carving Gift Certificate
- Auction #33 -- Large handcrafted wood bowl: Donated by Larry Wanamaker
- Auction #34 -- Manta Ray Sculpture by Terry Woodall
- Auction #35 -- Butternut Block
- Auction #36 -- Another Butternut Block
- Auction #37 -- Mallard Drake with Instructions
- Auction #38 -- Ruddy Duck with Instructions
- Auction #39 -- Panavise: Model 314 HD Clamping Multi-Purpose Vise (used)
- Auction #40 -- Micromotor Handpiece Control Box (used)
- Auction #41 -- Six Chisel Bundle
- Auction #42 -- Book Bundle
- Auction #43 -- Waterfowl Painting Book Bundle
- Auction #44 -- Bird ID Book Bundle
- Auction #45 -- Drake Knife
- Auction #46 -- More Homemade Jam and Tote by Donna Cereghino
- Auction #47 -- Carving Apron
- Auction #48 -- Sanding Drum

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