

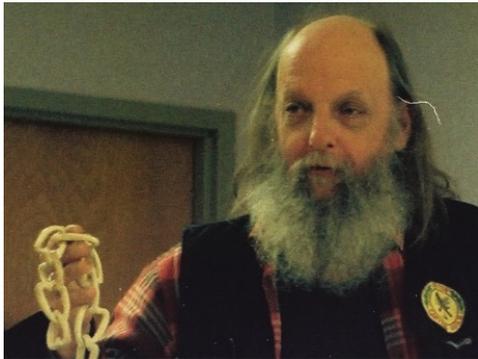
Dayton Carvers Guild May 2022



www.daytoncarvers.com

From Marshall "Don't believe everything you read in newsletters" Stearns.

May Program – Learn Chain Carving by Addison Dunmore



Carving a chain is a carving rite of passage. Have you done it? There is a definite process. Addison has carved many and he will show us his way at the May meeting.

Who we are. What we do.

We, The Dayton Carvers Guild, are wood carving enthusiasts. Some are experts and some are beginners.

Carvers and folks who might be interested in carving are invited to come to our meetings.

At a typical meeting we start with Show and Tell. Seeing what others have carved inspires you. We break for coffee and cookies, and then have a program. It might be a "how to" demonstration or a presentation of something related to wood or carving. Ideas flow.

If you have questions please contact Marshall Stearns at (937) 837-0728 or emstearns8@gmail.com.

Temporary restrictions for meetings as directed by Dennis Grant, Executive Director of United Rehabilitation Services

We must park on the north side of the URS building (which people refer to as "the alley") and enter directly into the Vocational Room on the north side of the building.

If necessary, the single stall restroom in the hallway outside of the Vocational Room can be used.

Those who are not vaccinated must wear a mask. If you have been vaccinated, you are not required to wear a mask unless you enter into a hallway or common area since there will be staff present. We will not be checking you as you come in the door, but just request that you be honest as to your vaccinations. Thank you.

Next Dayton Carvers Guild Meeting: Tuesday, May 24th, 6:30 pm at United Rehabilitations Services Building, 4710 Troy Pike (at Needmore Road), Dayton, Ohio. Meetings are at 6:30 pm on the 4th Tuesday of the month except there is none in December.

March Program: Learn Chain Carving by Addison Dunmore

May Cookie Contributors: Linda Croley and Joe Carter



Carvers Luncheon at Marion's

The carvers have a lunchtime soirée at Marion's North Piazza. The pantheon of nouvelle entrées of oysters Rockefeller, soufflé and sushi at Marion's Piazza are in perfect harmony for those carvers. They order wines with names they can't pronounce and finish the meal with coffee of such a bouquet, full-bodied flavor and body that it would seem to melt the cup.

Mark your calendar for noon on every first Wednesday of each month at Marion's North, 3443 North Dixie Drive in Dayton. Reservations not required.

April Show & Tell Winner

Don Stephenson was the lucky winner. He received a Woodcraft knife from the prize box.

April 50/50 Winner

Sandy Czajka won this time, to the tune of \$20.

April Visitors

Bill Greentaner of Christiansburg, Ohio. Also, Lee Stearns.

New Member

Bill Greentaner . You know Bill's father, DCG member Tom Greentaner.

Interesting Website

It's www.chipchats.org and it is for the National Wood Carvers Association.

Comfort Birds

We are carving comfort birds for Hospice of Dayton. This is a special project organized by Linda Croley because of the care Hospice gave to her son. We should generate a good quantity of birds in a month or two so get carving.

Dick Belcher made about 100 roughouts. Get them from Linda and give your finished birds to her.

Christmas Ornaments

We are carving them for The United Rehabilitation Services, to go to clients of theirs. Dick Belcher packaged roughouts including a picture for each. Get some. Carve some.

Chip Carving Tools Added to Show & Tell Grab Box

You members learned that Randy Brown gave up carving due to hand problems and that he donated his equipment to Dayton Carvers. That material is now in the box of Show & Tell prizes. Everyone who shows their work at a meeting gets a ticket and the holder of the winning ticket gets to choose something from the Show & Tell box. Randy's additions are mostly for chip carving, including many top quality chip carving knives.

The April Survey

Dayton Carvers Guild members were asked if they belonged to the Nation Wood Carvers Association, the outfit that publishes Chip Chats. See the results below. They were also asked to guess what percentage of the club that they thought belonged. I had hoped to make a nice bell curve but there were too few data points to make a curve. If I deciphered their penmanship correctly, the average of the guesses was 57%, not too bad.

