

# Dayton Carvers Guild September 2016

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It's Marshall Stearns here, feeding carving club news to you through a newsletter like it was corn for geese fed through a tube at a foie gras factory. Please give me your newsletter input at (937) 837-0728 or [lstearns@erinet.com](mailto:lstearns@erinet.com).

## **September Meeting: Tool restoration and care by Dick Belcher and Jason Gordon**

We will also do a tool and book sale, swap and giveaway. Bring items to sell, swap or get rid of. Please mark them with your name and how much you would like for it. We will set up tables for the sale items. Folks will pay the seller directly. Bring a little cash. You might need it!

Carver of the Month: None because of the tool sale.

## **Why the oddly early newsletter**

The main purpose of this newsletter is to get to our members the Artistry in Wood volunteer lists. The newsletter is coming earlier than usual so members may see when they are needed. We always need every hand. You will see whom to contact for the different activities. Sign up at the August meeting. Sign up early. Sign up often.

## **What is The Dayton Carvers Guild?**

It's a group of wood carving enthusiasts. Some are experts and some are beginners. All are welcome.

We meet monthly. See details below.

At a typical meeting, we start with Show and Tell. Bring a carving, finished or just started. One of those showing something wins an item such as a knife or some glue from a grab box. 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.

Artistry in Wood is a big two-day show exhibiting carvings and woodworking, selling them, selling tools and wood and a competition. We put on this show.

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

If you have questions you may contact Marshall Stearns at [lstearns@erinet.com](mailto:lstearns@erinet.com) or (937) 837-0728.

**Next Dayton Carvers Guild Meeting:** Tuesday, September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2016, 7:00 pm at United Rehabilitations Services Building, 4710 Old Troy Pike (at Needmore Road), Dayton, Ohio. Meetings are the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month except there is none in December and the October Pot Luck meetings start at 6:30 pm.

**Program:** Tool restoration and care by Dick Belcher and Jason Gordon

**Cookie Contributors:** Lenard Watts and Ronnie Stewart



### **AIW Floor Setup**

We won't have our huge job of laying and then rolling up carpet at The Roberts Centre. But, we will chalk line the layout on Thursday, Sept 1st at 9: 30 AM. We can use 4-6 more volunteers. Bring tape measures & chalk string if you have them. There is no signing up; just come.

### **The lists of volunteers here**

is current to the best of my knowledge on August 17th. If it's wrong, tell the task organizer.

### **Raffle Staffers at AIW**

#### **Saturday**

9:45-12	Lorena West Ralph West
12-2	John Swaney Open
2-4	Lee Stearns Open
4-6	Open Open

#### **Sunday**

10-12	Open Open
12-2	Open Open
2-4	Open Open
4-	Open Open

Drawing at 4:30

Contact Sandy and Bill Gordon at [gordon.sandra@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gordon.sandra@sbcglobal.net) or at (937) 429-9828

### **Judging Staffers at AIW**

#### **Friday evening 4:00 – 7:00**

Pre-registration – assign Exhibitor Nos.  
Jim Moser

Registrars – accept entries  
(3 or 4 needed) Jan Fader  
Teresa Balsbaugh  
Gerri Beckman  
Barb Belcher

Carry entries to class tables  
(4 or 5 needed) John Howard  
Jay Kokena  
Dianne Kokena  
John Beckman  
Open

Assist photographer with carrying entries to photo room (Fri p.m. & Sat a.m.)  
(2 needed) Ronnie Stewart  
John Howard

Assist judges (Fri night)  
(1 each needed) WC Sandy Czajka  
Glenn Frisby  
WW Joe Lehman

#### **Saturday morning 7:30 – 10:00**

Release entries to competitors  
(paperwork - Jan Fader  
- 2 needed) Gerri Beckman

Work with competitors to pick up entries  
(6 needed) Open  
Open  
Open  
Open  
Open  
Open

Call Dick or Barb Belcher at 845-0346.

**Information Desk Staffers**Saturday

9:45-12	Open
	Open
12-2	Open
	Open
2-4	Open
	Open
4-6	Open
	Open

Sunday

9:45-12	Open
	Open
12-2	Judy Reed
	Open
2-4	Judy Reed
	Open
4-5	Open

Contact Jan Fader at [bfjm@woh.rr.com](mailto:bfjm@woh.rr.com) or 937 227-8733.

**Ticket Takers**Saturday

9:45-12	Charlie Avery
	Jerry Burke
	Open
12-2	Bill Wright
	Vija Wurstner
2-4	Al Wurstner
	Open
4-6	Open
	Open
As needed	Charlie Cooke

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**Ticket Takers Continued**Sunday

10-12	Open
	Open
12-2	Phyllis Withrow
	Open
2-4	Open
	Phyllis Withrow
4-5	Open
	Open

Contact Bruce or Norma Henn at (937) 667-8590 or [HennHouse1@who.rr.com](mailto:HennHouse1@who.rr.com)

**Silent Auction**

If interested, tell Bruce or Norma Henn.

**Club Table Staffers**Saturday

9:45-12	Mary Beth Burke
	Lee Puckett
12-2	John Swaney
	Open
2-4	Jason Gordon
	Open
4-6	Open
	Open

Sunday

10-12	Don Stephenson
	Open
12-2	Mary Rose McCrate
	Open
2-4	Phyllis Friend
	Open
4-5	Open

Contact Betty Meehan at (937) 277-2237

### **What's going on with the website**

If you have web access, check out our new website. At the time of this writing it's in a state of flux - we can't load the newsletter and new Artistry in Wood material. That leaves emails and the US mail to deliver your newsletter. No problem. To keep file size down for emails I won't add lots of photos.

### **Update on Demonstrations at Artistry in Wood**

Some originally planned demonstrators at AIW will not be presenting. Here is the new list from Ken Bedel. Ken said some titles may change but the people and topics are set.

#### **Saturday 9/3 -**

- 12:00 - Roger Strautman - "Chip Carving with Roger"
- 1:30 - Harry Limings Jr - "Miniature Carving and Open Discussion"
- 3:00 - Bob Travis - "Carving Hair for Caricatures"

#### **Sunday 9/4 -**

- 1:30 - Steve Pester - "Sharpening Simplified"
- 3:00 - Scott Phillips - "New Woodworking Tools and Tips"

### **Habitat Class**

Butch Clark will teach how to carve weathered-wood habitat. See Butch's article on that in *Carving Magazine*, summer 2009 issue. Class is at the East Fork Wood Carvers club on September 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>. \$100. If interested, call Bill Graham at 513 734-4348.

### **Giving the Marion's menu to the carvers**

is like throwing raw meat into a cage of starving lions. Join mêlée if you can. We gorge at high noon on the first Wednesday of each month at Marion's North Piazza. It's at 3443 North Dixie Drive in Dayton. In August they had 50% off coupons. The place was packed and, boy, did we load up.

### **Woodburning Weekend**

There will be an opportunity for fellow burners to get together and woodburn for a weekend. There will not be an instructor; this is a weekend to enjoy burning with fellow burners. Burners will have an opportunity to learn from each other, trade patterns, learn new techniques, and buy or trade tools. It is September 24 & 25, 2016, running from 9 till 4. It will be in The E.W.C.C. Bldg. , Converse, Indiana. \$30.00 covers lunch for both days and building rental.

Contact Sherry L. Beck at 317-460-0424 or [slbeck@comcast.net](mailto:slbeck@comcast.net) .

### **Super Glue Dings Carving Blades**

I recently glued back an errant chip using super glue. Days later, when I re-carved the thing, the hard glue badly dinged the tip of my chip carving knife. This was a Barton chip carving knife with a Dunkle edge. Bruce Nickolas knows what he is doing and he uses Aleene's Tacky Glue. But, my super glue was handy and quick. The lesson: don't carve through super glue. Anyone have further comments?