

LAKE of the OZARKS WOODCARVERS CLUB

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Important Dates

September 10. Club picnic at Bennet Springs. Starts 9:00.

September 12 to 14. Loren's Santa Class at his studio

September 19. Club meeting at Methodist Church

October 15. Annual Woodcarving Show at Community Christian Church, Camdenton

President's Notes

We are still needing signups for the Wood Carving Show and signups to work the show. The show is our chance to present wood carving to the public. We have already paid the rent, so we need to have folks sign up for booth space. We will talk about this at the next meeting.

Also, be thinking about a project for next year's raffle. We are going to discuss the project for the future. It will be difficult to beat this year's raffle project, but I think we can do it.

Both projects have been picked for this fall's session at the VO Tech school. The beginner class will be a shorebird and the intermediate class will be a Santa carved in a twelve-inch plate. As always, we are looking for help to instruct these projects, especially the beginner class. Talk to Tom Lease or Loren Woodard if you are interested in helping.

See you at the next meeting.

Loren

Meeting Notes

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 PM by president, Loren Woodard. Thirty-six members and two new members, Dave Young and Jerry Middleton were present.

Treasurer's Report. Beginning balance was \$7037.62; Income was \$108.50; Expenses were \$333.70; with an ending balance of \$6812.42.

The minutes were presented and approved.

The 50/50 drawing of \$15.00 was won by Lyle Mankey. Steve Hofstetter provided a carved cowboy boot ornament for the door prize which was won by Stu Van Sickle.

Doug Bibles reported that the annual woodcarving show will proceed as planned on October 15, 2022. Strong club involvement is needed in the following ways.

1. Reserve a table and bring your carvings to display.
2. Sponsors with a minimum donation of \$25.00.
3. Volunteers to set up and work during the show

4. Door prizes and an attendance prize are requested. The attendance prize needs to be a nice carving.

Ribbons for the show have increased in price and will be close to \$400.00 this year. Twenty-one tables have been paid for at this time. Publicity is expected to cost \$580.00 for a radio spot. A memorial booth displaying departed member carvings will be set up this year. The booth will be attended by members of the family that choose to show the projects. These works will not be entered for competition.

The club voted to accept the Christian Church offer to provide space to store club equipment and its library along with a meeting space for monthly meetings and possible workshop/seminar classes. The club will start using the Christian Church for meetings at the January 2023 meeting. There will be a \$600.00 yearly fee as well as a class fee of \$150. The workshop/seminar fee for the use of the church will be paid for by the club for a six-month period at which time the club will review the club's ability to continue to pay. Loren Woodard has offered his studio for possible class space for groups smaller than ten.

Stu Martin's class has been postponed due to Stu having covid. Debbe Edwards is offering a painting class at the end of September for \$100. (Note, due to lack of participation, Debbe's class has been canceled.) John Engler's painting class will be Oct. 26-27 for \$50.

Pre-meeting class instructors are needed and projects need to be simple for beginners to gain experience. Anyone interested is to see Loren or Doug with ideas.

Project sales tickets were passed out. The club will have the project at the various area festivals for the public to have an opportunity to buy tickets. Volunteers are needed at the following festivals to demonstrate and man the booth. Please contact Pam Karl if you can help.

Hill Billy Fair Sept. 16-17

Apple Festival is October 1-2

Fiber Arts Show is October 8

Pumpkin Chunk will be September 24

Door Prize Providers 2022

September – Vic Eckmann October – Karen Ray

November – Tom Lease

Refreshment Providers 2022 (NO PEANUT PRODUCTS AT THE METHODIST CHURCH)

September – We forgot to solicit providers for September.

Open Carving

There is an open carving on **Tuesdays** 9:00 to 11:30 at the Senior Center in Osage Beach and **Wednesdays** 8:15 to 11:15 at the Peggy Summer Library on Jefferson Street, in Lebanon, MO. The Laurie group is carving at the Senior Center on O Road on **Wednesdays** from 12:00 to 3:00. The Camdenton group is carving at the Senior Center on **Thursdays** from 9:00 to 11:30.

Club Meetings

Club meetings are the third **Monday** of the month at 7:00 PM at the Camdenton United Methodist Church. The church is located west of the Camdenton Square and across Highway 54 from R J's Restaurant.

Raffle Project

Project Committee: (Karen, Pam Karl, Lew, John, Doug) The 2022 project is a Santa Village. There are still blanks available and you can get them at the next meeting. Completed carvings are needed now.

Library Committee

Pam Kasiske and Doug Bibles have updated the library. The library is a great resource. Check it out. Members who have checked out materials from the library are asked to return items after a 2-month period. Items can be renewed.

Jocularity

- Without freedom of speech, we wouldn't know who the idiots are.
- Being a little older, I am very fortunate to have someone call and check on me every day. He is from India and very concerned about my car warranty.
- I said I was good at making decisions. I didn't say the decisions I made were good.
- I made a huge To-Do List for today. I just can't figure out who's going to do it.

- If I waited until I had all my ducks in a row, I'd never get across the street. Sometimes, you just have to gather up what you've got and make a run for it.
- Some call it multi-tasking. I call it doing something else while I try to remember what I was doing in the first place.
- Is it really necessary for the first square of toilet paper to be glued down?
- So, a burglar broke into the house. I put the red dot on his chest and the cat did the rest.

Pre-meeting Classes

For the September meeting, Loren Woodard will continue his Santa class and Doug Bibles will be available to help anyone still working on the eagle feather project. The class will start at 4:00 PM.

Seminars

Our seminars are open to all woodcarvers. If you have seminar information that you want to share or need more information about the upcoming seminars, please contact Doug Bibles at 573-286-1049 or Loren Woodard at 573-480-2003. All members are welcome to stop by during seminars to check them out and buy blanks.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Location</u>
Sept. 12-14	Loren Woodard Santa Class	\$105 class, plus blank	Loren's Studio
Oct. 12-14	Roger Stegall, Caricatures	\$150 class, plus blank	Church
Nov. 7-10	Fred & Elaine Stenman, Shallow Relief and Wood Burning	\$160 class, plus blank	Church

Editor's Note

It is my goal to issue the newsletter on the first Monday of each month. If you have something you would like included, please get it to me by the last Monday of each month. You can email it to me at jah-gonefishin@gmail.com. Any comments or suggestions are welcome. I can be reached at 913 558 2023.

Show and Tell



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Judy McKinley



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Steve Hofstetter



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