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\$25.00 2013 CLUB DUES ARE DUE. If you have not already done so please pay your 2013 dues at the March meeting or mail your dues to Steve Oliver 611 Mels Dr. Evansville, IN 47712. The club 2013 roster will be compiled after the March meeting.

MARCH 2013 MEETING:

The March 12, 2013 meeting will start at 6:00 p.m. in the Vanderburgh County 4H center banquet hall. As normal the business meeting will roughly run from 6:00 until 6:30 and Mr. Marvin Daniels will host a mini seminar to carve a wood spirit pencil holder from 6:30 to 8:30 (cost for blank will be \$5.00) Please join me in thanking Marvin for hosting this seminar. .

A very special thank you to Steve Oliver for hosting last month's mini seminar. Steve led the club members in working on face proportions and layout for carving. Take a moment to review the handouts Steve gave us last meeting. The face proportions information will be helpful in Marvin's seminar this month.

If you have a carving related item (wood, tools, books etc.) that you would like to sell or trade please bring them to the March meeting. We will set up a table for this purpose as we have in the past. Please put your name and the price you are asking on the item. If you purchase an item please settle up with the person that brought the item.

Please remember to bring an item for show and tell.

A Reminder: If the Vanderburgh county school system cancels or closes school due to bad weather on a club meeting day we will also cancel our club meeting for that day..

SHOW:

The next show committee meeting will be on Saturday March 16 at Seaton Residence. Please consider coming to help the committee plan this year's show.

Ornament cutouts are in the library. Please pick up a couple to work on for the show in October.



Please bring any show yard signs you have to the next club meeting. We would like to get started assessing their condition and getting them ready for reuse this year.

INFORMATION:

The February meeting minutes have been posted on the club web site.

Thanks to Neil Ward. Please visit the club web page (address in the header of this document) for meeting minutes, seminar schedule, club history and other information.

2013 MEETING PROGRAMS:

We currently have the following commitments for monthly meeting programs in 2013:

Jan.8 – Steve Brown

Feb.12 – Steve Oliver – Face proportions & layout

Mar.12 – Marvin Daniels – Woodspirit pencil holder

Apr. 9– Elvin Reed

May 14–Kerry Austin

June 11– Sheri Meier and Jeff Hancock

July 9–

Aug.13 –

Sept. 10– Richard Hitch

Oct. 8–

Oct 26, 27 – 2013 Wonders in Wood show

Nov.12 –

Dec. 10–2013 Christmas Party

Dan Alldredge offered to work on a program for a future meeting. Date yet to be determined.

If you would be willing to present a program at one of the 2013 meetings or if you have a topic you would like to have presented please let Jack Winkleman know.

Did you know: The club offers \$25 to those that present a program at a monthly meeting? If nothing else this offsets the cost of yearly dues.

2013 SEMINARS:

Steve Brown has offered to have a carving seminar this year. The date has been set for August 24 & 25. Please mark these dates in your planner. Steve has added to his roughouts and acquired the Bishop roughouts. This should be a great seminar.

Floyd Rhadigan has offered to have a carving seminar following the 2013 show. Several of us attended Floyd's seminar this year and can highly recommend attending if you can.

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SANTA REQUEST: from Mike Newton

I don't know if anyone in the club would be interested in carving a Santa for a raffle Hoosier Santas is having to raise money to help Larry Shaw pay for some of the expenses of his wife's battle with cancer. I know he has limited funds and we are going to surprise him. He is the kind of person who is always trying to help others and I know he needs the help now. The raffle will be in march somewhere between the 23 - 25 at the JimYellings santa workshop in Santa Claus ,Indiana.

If you can contribute a Santa contact Neil Ward.

I have received the following list of additional carvers / artists that club members would like to have offer seminars. **Please look over the list, scan the artist's web sites and come to the meeting prepared to discuss who we should consider contacting for next year.**

Adina Huckins,

<http://www.adinahuckins.com/>

Hand tools – dolls, realistic human

Jim Wilsford

<http://jimwilsfordwoodcarving.blogspot.com/>

Power carving – Wildlife

Rosalyn Leach Daisey,

<http://rozdaisey.com/>

Power carving – birds and Wildlife

Debbie Edwards,

<http://www.debbeedwards.com/>

Hand tools – Wildlife

Stu Martin

Stuart-Martin@att.net

Hand tools – Santa's and Western

Helen Gibson

<http://www.wcu.edu/library/DigitalCollections/CraftRevival/people/helengibson.html>

Hand tools – Nativity

Steve Oliver

<http://www.olivercarvings.com/>

Hand tools – Relief or Nativity

Peg Cawthorn

http://www.sticksandpics.com/About_Us.html

Wood Burning

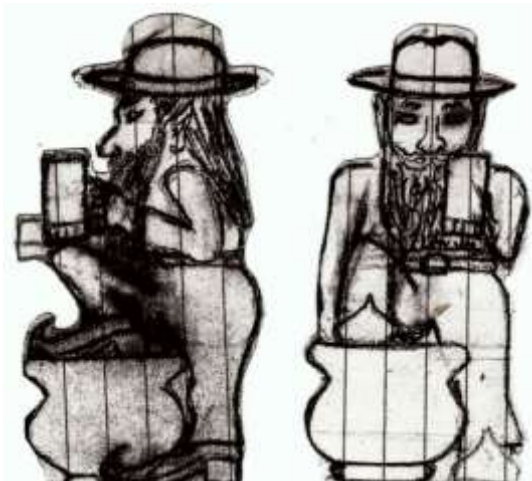
Ian Norbury

<http://iannorbury.com/>

Hand tools – sculpture

SCRIBBLES:

As stated earlier, I do not draw, I scribble. With that in mind, I am including one of my scribbles here. One of my goals for 2013 is to start doing my own designs. Since St. Patrick's day is this month I scribbled this Leprechaun so you could carve him and paint him up as you wish.



The scribble was sized to be done on the end of a 1 1/2" X 1 1/2" basswood stick. At that size the face view and profile can be cut out with a scroll saw.

The following are pictures of the cutout as well as a finished carving.



Please feel free to carve this scribble and let me know if you have a scribble you would like to share or if you have an idea you would like to see as a scribble.

Let the chips fall where they will. We will find a broom and dust pan somewhere.

Jack Winkleman (jwcesllc@yahoo.com)

SCRIBBLES 2

If you happen to have a basswood egg lying around you may want to carve your own Easter egg. I am including one of mine here to get you thinking. Enjoy, Jack.

