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Club Web page
<http://www.tristatecarvers.com/>
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2013 Show Chair - Neil A. Ward

JANUARY 2013 MEETING:

The January 8, 2012 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. Steve Brown will host a mini seminar to carve a Pig Whistle from 6:30 to 8:30 (Enlow pattern). Please join me in thanking Steve for hosting this seminar. .

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..

A very special thank you to "The Marvin Daniels Band" for supplying the entertainment at the 2012 club Christmas party. Marvin had a full three piece band this year that helped set the stage for a festive holiday season. Their performance delighted us all.

A very special thank you to Sister Anthony and the staff at Seton Residence for hosting our Christmas party and setting a festive environment.

SHOW:

Neil Ward has agreed to take on the task of show committee chair for 2013. First I want to say Thank You to all who served on and supported the show committee in 2012. Please support Neil as he starts to pull together the 2013 show committee.

The initial numbers for the 2012 show look good. The complete numbers will be available at the January meeting. **Neil is planning on a 2012 show close out and 2013 show kick off meeting on January 19, 2012, at 9:00a.m. in Conference Room B, at Seton Hall**

NEW MEMBERS:

Library – The club supports a library with carving related books, videos and study casts that can be checked out by club members. The library also has a supply of wood members can purchase for their carving needs. See the librarian for a quick walk through and information

Name Tags – Each member is asked to carve a personal name tag to be worn at each club



meeting. New club members are exempt for the first 3 months but after that each club member is assessed a whopping 25 cent fee for each meeting where they do not wear their name tag.

Club Show support – (1)

Each member is asked to

carve 2 Christmas tree ornaments to be used by the club as door prizes and carving for charities at the yearly show. **(2)** Each club member is asked to donate one item such as a carving, wood burning, painting etc. These items are used as carvings for charities items at the yearly show. **(3)** Each club member that is not a member of the show committee is asked to serve a tour at one of the ticket tables during the yearly show.

INFORMATION:

Since the December meeting was the club Christmas party there were no meeting minutes. Please visit the club web page (address in the header of this document) for past 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
- Mar.12 –
- Apr. 9– Elvin Reed
- May 14–Kerry Austin
- June 11– Sheri Meier and Jeff Hancock
- July 9–
- Aug.13 –
- Sept. 10–
- Oct. 8–
- Oct 26, 27 – 2013 Wonders in Wood show
- Nov.12 –

Dec. 10–2013 Christmas Party

Marvin Daniels, Dan Alldredge and Richard Hitch offered to work on a program for a future meeting. Dates 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.

2013 SEMINARS:

Steve Brown has offered to have a carving seminar this year and we are working on a date when we can make this happen. Steve has added to his roughouts and acquired the Bishop roughouts. This should be a great seminar.

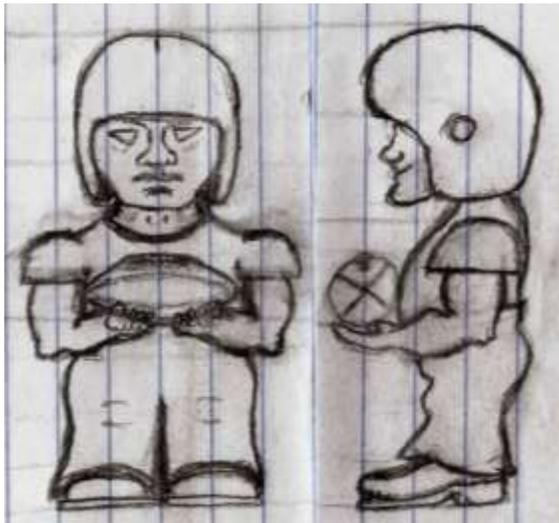
Floyd Rhadigan has offered to have a carving seminar following the 2013 show. Several of us attended Floyd's seminar this year and can highly recommend attending if you can.

Please let Jack Winkleman know if there is someone you would like to ask to present a seminar this year.



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 the Super Bowl is scheduled to take place before our February meeting I scribbled this football player so you could carve him and paint him up to match your favorite team.



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