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## DECEMBER 2021 MEETING:

We are planning to have our Christmas Party on December 14, 2021 in the 4H Fair Grounds Banquet Hall. We have plenty of space for those that did not sign up for the dinner but would like to attend. Please see the Meeting Programs section of this Newsletter for more details. Please plan to bring a covered dish (with something in it).

A big thank you to Robin for hosting last month's mini seminar and to Mark for heading up this year's Nominating Committee. I also want to thank the Club Officers for continuing to support our Club.

At our July meeting we decided, based on the vaccination availability status and the guidelines then, we would leave the wearing of masks up to the individual Club member. **That said, please watch current numbers, conditions and guidelines and please wear a face covering if conditions warrant. DO NOT ATTEND IF YOU ARE NOT FEELING WELL.**

**Please remember that if the Vanderburgh School System cancels school due to weather on the day we have a meeting scheduled, our meeting will be canceled as well.**

Dues for 2022 will \$25 per family. Dues will be due starting in January and we will officially set the 2022 roster at the March meeting. Please plan to see Jon Gunnels to take care of paying your 2022 dues during that time frame. The Club now accepts most major credit cards.

## MEETING MINUTES:

The November Meeting Minutes are posted on the Club web site. Please take the time to read and review these minutes before the January meeting. Thank you to Robin for recording the minutes and to Neil for posting them.



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## SHOW:

Jeff has reserved the Banquet Hall for the same weekend in 2022. So, it is not too early to start carving your show and sell items for 2022.

## MEETING PROGRAMS:

December meeting - **Club Christmas Party.**

Party details:

-When: Tuesday December

14, 2021 at 6:00 pm

-Where: Vanderburgh 4H Center Banquet Hall

-Who: Club members and their guests

-Cost: \$5 per couple/family

-Please bring a covered dish (with something in it.).

-The Club will purchase fried chicken.

- We will also have ham for those that do not care for chicken.

- Drinks, plates, cutlery and cups will be supplies.

- Marvin Daniels will supply the evening's entertainment following the meal. (Always a great time.)

-We normally offer a Christmas ornament exchange for those that might like to participate. To participate just bring a hand made Christmas ornament (carved, turned, or woodburned) in a plain brown bag.

## SEMINARS:

I will once again be looking for volunteers to host mini seminars for each meeting in 2022. Avoid the rush and get the month you want by volunteering early.



## **NEWBURGH:**

Just a reminder that there is Thursday morning carving in Newburgh at the Kiwanis club building from 9 am to noon. Face coverings are not required if you have had your vaccination.

The address is 524 Filmore Street. If you go in to Newburgh from Evansville on the Lloyd you will turn right at Bell (or you can go all the way to State and turn right), Take Bell South until it tees into State. Turn right on State. Travel South on State until you get to Third. Turn right on Third. The Kiwanis building is two blocks down on the corner of Third and Filmore.

## **POWER CARVING:**

Ken Alvey is still hosting power carving on Wednesday evenings. If you are interested in trying power carving contact Ken about time and space availability.

## **ORNAMENTS:**

Yep, you knew it.... Once you get all of your ornaments carved for this year's Christmas gifts you might as well just keep carving. The need for Christmas ornaments for the 2022 Show will be here before you turn around.. Just say'n.

## **OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS:**

Strive to carve on something every day. I hope you will continue to support the Tri-State Woodcarvers Club as part of your personal woodcarving journey. As stated in the Club bylaws "The objective of this Club shall be to promote the art of woodcarving, and to provide activities for woodcarvers." I sincerely hope that we have, and continue to strive to fulfill this objective.

Please continue to practice social distancing, and stay safe through this health challenge we are currently experiencing.

## **SCRIBBLES:**

### **PICTURES FROM THE NOVEMBER SHOW & TELL:**



*Merry  
Christmas*



**PICTURES FROM THE NOVEMBER MEETING &  
MINI SEMINAR:**





