President – Jack Winkleman Vice-President – Mark Meyer Treasurer – Jon Gunnels Secretary – Robin Meyer

Facebook page - Tri-state Woodcarvers Club

## **APRIL 12, 2022 MEETING:**

We are planning to have our April 12, 2022 meeting in the 4H Fair Grounds Banquet Hall. We will set up for the Auction starting at 3:30. We will have a quick meeting on the upcoming soap carving project between the Auction setup and the start of the business meeting. The Business meeting will start at 6:00 and will last about 30 minutes. The Auction will start right after the business meeting, around 6:30.

At our July 2021 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 are \$25 per family. The official Club roster for 2022 was set at the end of March. New members may still join the club and previous members may rejoin anytime throughout the year but, per the Club Bylaws, these names will not appear on the officially recorded 2022 roster. Please see Jon Gunnels to take care of paying your 2022 dues. The Club now accepts most major credit cards.

# **SPECIAL, SPECIAL, AUCTION:**

At this April meeting we will hold an auction of Don Deutsch's carving tools and misc. items. Proceeds from this auction will be split 50/50 with the Deutsch family and the Club. The auction is open to Club members and their guests. The auction sales bill is attached on page 5 of this Newsletter.



1985-2022 87 Years of Woodcarving Club Web page: <a href="http://www.tristatecarvers.com/">http://www.tristatecarvers.com/</a>

2022 Club Librarian – Ben Meyer 2022 Club Show Chair – Jeff Hancock 2022 Club Historian – Robert Koressel 2022 Club Web Master – Neil Ward

# **MEETING MINUTES:**

The March 2022
Meeting Minutes are posted on the Club web site. Please take the time to read and review these minutes before the meeting. Thank you to Robin for recording the minutes and to Neil for posting them.

### SHOW:

Jeff has reserved the Banquet Hall for this year's Show the weekend of October 22 – 23, 2022. So, it is not to early to start carving your show and sell items for 2022. Plans are in the works to have Moore carving wood available for sale at this year's show.

## **MEETING PROGRAMS:**

April -- Auction

May -- Marvin Daniels - carving eyes

June -

July –

August – Jeff Hancock – Jeff's Folly

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.

# **SEMINARS:**

If you have a seminar you would like to see offered, please let Jack Winkleman know.

#### **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, we will once again be asking for Club members to carve Christmas Tree ornaments for use as Show door prizes 2022. We have new ornament blanks available, so grab several and make chips.

### **OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS:**

Please check out page 6 of this Newsletter. Kathy, Jeff, Melba and Jack represented the Club at the YMCA Camp Carson NASP Outdoor Bullseye Bow Shoot on April 2. It was quite cold but, all in all, it was a great day. Camp Carson is a very impressive facility and well worth checking out. We made a lot of contacts with potential new carvers including parents and kids. We also were offered additional opportunities for the Club to demonstrate and promote carving and our Club in the coming months.

For those that did not make it to the last club meeting, the club agreed to offer a soap carving session to a group of high school age children (10 to 20 children) at Patchwork Central on May 2, 2022. The session will start at 6:00 pm and last for about 90 minutes. Weather permitting the session will be held outside. The project will be carving a turtle from Ivory soap. Robin has picked up a couple dozen bars of Ivory soap for us to use during the session. We have 20 cookie sheets to use to carve the soap on. We passed out a half dozen carving tool kits to volunteer carving training assistants (club members) for use in their practice. We should have another 26 tool kits ready by our next club meeting. 20 kits for students and 6 kits, hopefully, for additional volunteer carving training assistants.

I will ask Neil to post a copy of the soap carving project step-by-step carving instruction sheet on the Club web page, under the Tutorials tab

If you have any interest in this project, please plan to join us.

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.

### NAME TAGS:

Have you thought about a new carved name tag for 2022? Time to get started on your design.

# PICTURES FROM THE MARCH MEETING SHOW AND TELL:















PICTURES FROM THE MARCH MEETING MINI SEMINAR:

























# TRI-STATE WOODCARVERS AUCTION

# Items from the Don Deutsch Estate

Tuesday April 12, 2022—6:00 p.m.
Vanderburgh County 4H Center-Banquet Hall—Evansville IN

Dick Bitter Knife
Small Hand Tool Set in Case
Japanese Draw Knife
Denny Knives—Roughout to Detail
Denny Palm Gouges & Palm V Tools
Bud Murray Palm Gouge
Swiss Made V Tool
V Tool (Unknown Brand)
Tool Roll w/10 Dockyard Tools
Drake Palm Gouge, Drake Palm V Tool
Ramelson Gouges & Eye Punches
Hook Skew; Xacto Tools w/Box
Woodburning Tool w/Pattern Transfer Tip

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# FLEXCUT

Tool Roll w/18 Interchangeable
Gouges & 2 Handles
Tool Roll w/4 Righthand Scorps
Chip Carving Knife
Skew Knife
Knives - Roughout to Detail
Palm V Tool
Universal Adaptor (allows
Flexcut interchangeable gouges to be
used in reciprocating carvers)

Dremel Sets in Cases
Performax Detail Saw in Box
Ryobi Reciprocating Carver
4" & 6" Buffing Wheels
4" Grinding Wheel
4" x 36" Sanding Belts; Sandpaper
Chipping Away Systems:
Power Sharpening & Stropping
Power Honing

# Basswood Roughouts

Shipley Snowman & Snowwoman w/pattern
Enlow Indian Bust w/pattern, Clown with Balloon
Cowboys—High Pockets, Muley, Slim
Marvin Daniels Cowboy Wine Stopper Kit
Witch on Broom; Small Santa w/pattern
Steve Brown Fan Pulls w/patterns
Eagle Head Cane Topper w/pattern
Non-Basswood Candle Holders-Snowman
Non-Basswood Carving Wood

# Basswood Cutouts

Dog; Wolf; Jack-O-Lantern; Sea Captain Snowman; Eagle & Duck Head Cane Toppers Mixed Basswood Cutouts; Spoon Cutouts Basswood Plates; Basswood Slabs w/Bark Blocks from 3"x 4"x 14" to ornament size

# Basswood—Chip Carving

Hexagon, Votive, Small Taper Candle Holders
Wine Bottle Stand; Domino Set w/Box; Plates
Key Rack; Napkin Holder; Pen Set w/Box
Box w/slots for Pen/Knife Holder; Book Stand
Wood Box w/3 Chip Carving Knives
Stamps to Apply Chip Carving Patterns

# Master Carver Brand

Flex Shaft Carver w/Foot & Base Speed Control, Clamp on Stand & Rotary Carving Head Detail Head for Flex Shaft Carvers Reciprocating Head for Flex Shaft Carvers Reciprocating Carver Bits Study Sticks
Tony Kirtz
Skyler Johnson
Marvin Daniels

<u>Proceeds</u> 50/50 Deutsch Estate Tri-State Carvers

Rolling Tool Box; Plano Plastic Box; Carving EZBoards; Small Carving Bench Hook Boards; Tool Pouch Folding Bench Relief Carving Stands/Oliver & Norman Crafts; Rotary Carving Tool Bits; Carving Vises Hand Drill Mandrel; Clay & Tools; Strops & Compound; Ceramic Stone/Honing Oil; Books/Magazines Diamond Paddle Sharpeners; Drawing Compasses; How to Draw CD/Book; Drawing Kits; Wood Screws Oil Pastels & Acrylic Paint Sets; Scrap Leather Pieces; Carving Gloves; Thumb Guard; Transfer Paper

# PICTURES FROM THE YMCA CAMP CARSON, NASP OUTDOOR BULLSEYE BOW SHOOT.











# A list of some carving resources.

International Association of Woodcarvers -

YouTube

International Association Of Wood Carvers - YouTube

James Ray Miller Woodcarving - YouTube

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC8mRQ1PK-

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Fan Carvers World

Fan Carving | Fan Carver's World (fancarversworld.com)

**Chip Chats** 

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The Carver's Companion

<u>Carver's Companion (carverscompanion.com)</u>

Out West Carving

Blog (outwestgallery.com)

Doug Linker

Doug Linker - YouTube

Fish Carving

Fish Carving - The largest online resource for fish carving

instructionals and fish carving classes by Ed Walicki.

(fishcarver.com)

Wood Bee Carver

WoodBeeCarver

ddalo

<u>따로 ddalo - YouTube</u>

My Chip Carving

Home - My Chip Carving

# **Subscription based carving tutorials**

School of Woodcarving

woodcarving-school-video masterclass-workshops –

**Grabovetskiy School of Wood Carving** 

The Woodcarving Academy

**Home - Woodcarving Academy** 

Mary May Woodcarving

Mary May's School of Traditional Woodcarving - Video

lessons from a classical woodcarver

(marymaycarving.com)