

## MAY 13, 2025 MEETING:

We are planning to have our May 13, 2025 Club meeting in the 4H Fair Grounds Banquet Hall. We will have open carving and visiting starting at 3:30 pm, the business meeting will start at 6:00 pm. After the business meeting, Doug will lead April's mini seminar based on the Doug linker Old Salty 1x1 series. The Doug Linker Old Salty UTube video URL is shown below.

<https://youtu.be/IPbUU-rD8n8>

A thank you to Frank for hosting last month's mini seminar.

**Sale, Sale, Sale.** It was suggested last year that we offer a tool sale for club members that have tools that they no longer use. This suggestion was a success and we will continue it this year. We will have a table set aside for this purpose at each meeting. If you have a tool or tools that you would like to sell, please bring them to a meeting. Please include a tag that identifies the tool, the seller, and the asking price. Please bring your wallet so you can purchase and take home more than you brought, as we all tend to do.

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.

## MEETING MINUTES:

The April 2025 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.

## CLUB DUES:

Dues remain \$25 for 2025. The 2025 roster is officially set. and will be available at the April meeting. Please check your contact information and forward any corrections to Roy.



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## SHOW:

We will plan to have a Show committee meeting at 5:00 pm before our May meeting. Please join in and help us make this another successful Show. The 2025 Show dates are set for October 25 and 26. The time for both days are 9 am to 3 pm. The show will be held in the larger Exposition Hall again this year. We, once again, will need help filling the space with carvers, turners, woodworkers and vendors. Please pass this Show information along to anyone you think would be a good fit for our show. Getting our show dates on a vendor's calendar early is a great thing.

## MEETING PROGRAMS:

May – Doug  
June – Jan  
July – Richard  
August – Marvin

## INFORMATION:

Try Googling Woodcarving Resources. You will see several interesting resources. You can also go to YouTube and do the same search.

Some carving patterns are available at <https://woodcarversmn.com/patterns/index.html>

## ORNAMENTS:

Yep, we will once again be asking for Club members to carve Christmas Tree ornaments for use as 2025 Show door prizes. We have remaining and will have new ornament blanks available, so plan to grab several and make chips.

## OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS:

Art in the Garden – a Southwestern Indiana Master Gardener's event will be held this year on Sunday, June 8<sup>th</sup> from 12:00 – 4:00 PM at our Display Garden off of the Lloyd Expressway.

We have an opportunity to demonstrate and sell at this year's Vanderburgh County Fair.

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.

PICTURES FROM THE APRIL SHOW AND TELL:  
Thank you to Kathy for supplying the pictures.





PICTURES FROM THE MARCH MEETING:





**PICTURES FROM THE BOW SHOOT  
COMPETITION AT YMCA CAMP CARSON:**  
Thank you to Robin for supplying the pictures.





