LAKE of the OZARKS WOODCARVERS CLUB

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Important Dates

September 9 – Club Picnic at Bennet Springs Shelter House B. Start about 9:00, eat around noon

September 18 19 20 – Roger Stegall caricature class

September 18 – Pre-meeting class on sharpening

September 18 - Club meeting at Community Christian Church at 7:00

President's Statement

Greetings woodcarvers! September is here! Hard to believe! Where did summer go? This month starts our festival season! This is how our club promotes itself every year and is an important part of our yearly fundraising! I hope as many of you who can will help us out with participating this year! The show is looking better but still needs some more exhibitors! And don't forget about our fall picnic at Bennett Springs on September 9th! Hope to see you all there!

Doug

Picture Directory

We need to finish this project. About half the club still needs to provide a picture. So, please send John Heather a copy of a recent picture of you and your spouse (if applicable). If you have it digitally, please email it to jahgonefishin@gmail.com. If you only have a hard copy picture, please mail a copy to John at 18136 Millstone Cove Rd., Unit 116, Gravois Mills, Mo. 65037 or bring it to the next meeting or the picnic.

If you don't have a picture you want to use, Pam Karl or John Heather would be happy to meet with you to take one. Give Pam (573 692 4274) or John (913 558 2023) a call and we will arrange a time and place.

Meeting Notes

Call to Order 6:58 pm

Members/New Members/Guests: Members 34, ...Guests 2, Ashlee Westmier, Don Crothmel

Treasurers Report: Bal. 7/31/23...\$5,714.06, Deposit...\$1026.75, Debits...\$953.08

50/50 \$20.00 won by: Tom Lease

Door Prize provided by: Jerry Robins won by Rich Ovans

Snacks: Provided by- - Lyle Mankey, Tom Reeder, Devonna Kopp

Club Project Stylized Nativity, do not paint, sand finely, need to get your pieces in Project Com.: Karen Ray, Loren Woodard, Pam Karl, Doug Bibles, John Heather

Show Com. Need to sell more booths, promote the show

Seminars: The club needs to sign up for seminars sooner than we have done in the last few months. It is not fair to the instructors to have to wait until the last few days before the class to decide if it must be cancelled or not. We have added a painting class by John Engler on November 1 & 2. The cost is \$65 per day and John will provide all the supplies. It will be held at the Community of Christ Church.

Classes: Beginners, Intermediate, Start Oct.12, end Nov.16

Picnics: Summer: Bennet Springs, Sept. 9th Shelter House B. Bring a dessert or side dish and your drinks, plates, and silverware.

Monthly Dinner Wed. Aug. 30th Wicked Willies, 5384 Osage Beach Parkway

Old Business: None

New Business: Board voted to buy wood for the show if the wood vendor doesn't commit to the show soon.

\$150.00 Max.

We are accepting gifts to be given at the Christmas Party.

Minutes: Accepted

Door Prize Providers 2023

September Fran Marsh

Refreshment Providers 2023

September Loren Woodard, Stu VanSickle, Marsha Middleton October Pam Karl, Judy McKinley, Carol Murray

Open Carving

There is an open carving on <u>Tuesdays</u> 9:00 to 11:30 at the Senior Center in Osage Beach and <u>Wednesdays</u> 8:15 to 11:15 at the Peggy Summer Library on Jefferson Street, in Lebanon, MO. The Laurie group is carving at the Senior Center on O Road on <u>Wednesdays</u> from 12:00 to 3:00. The Camdenton group is carving at the Senior Center on <u>Thursdays</u> from 9:00 to 11:30.

Club Meetings

Club meetings are the third **Monday** of the month at 7:00 PM at the **Community Christian Church** 1064 N Business 5, Camdenton. The church is located on North Business Route 5 near Casey's.

Raffle Project

Project Committee: (Karen, Pam Karl, Loren, John, Doug) The 2023 project is a Nativity Scene. Blanks are available. As this is a stylized project, we do not want the finished carving to be painted. Each carving should be sanded and ready to finish. John Heather and Loren Woodard will apply a clear finish to all the carvings to create a consistent appearance. Please get your finished carvings turned in.

Library Committee

Pam Kasiske and Doug Bibles have updated the library. The library is a great resource. Check it out. Members who have checked out materials from the library are asked to return items after a 2-month period. Items can be renewed.

Jocularity

- If you get lost in the woods, start talking about politics and someone will show up to argue with you.
- I really don't mind getting older, but my body is taking it badly.
- Unfortunately, there is no lifeguard in the gene pool.
- Getting older is just one body part after another saying "Ha Ha. You think that's bad? Watch this."
- Sometimes, my greatest accomplishment is just keeping my mouth shut.
- Those who confuse burro and burrow don't know their ass from a hole in the ground.
- At the store, there was a big X by the register for me to stand on... I've seen too many Road Runner cartoons to fall for that one.
- I drink coffee for your protection.
- Sometimes I panic and think there's a crazy person in my house. Then I realize, it's just me.

Pre-meeting Classes

The next class will be on tool sharpening. The class will start at 4:00 PM.

Seminars

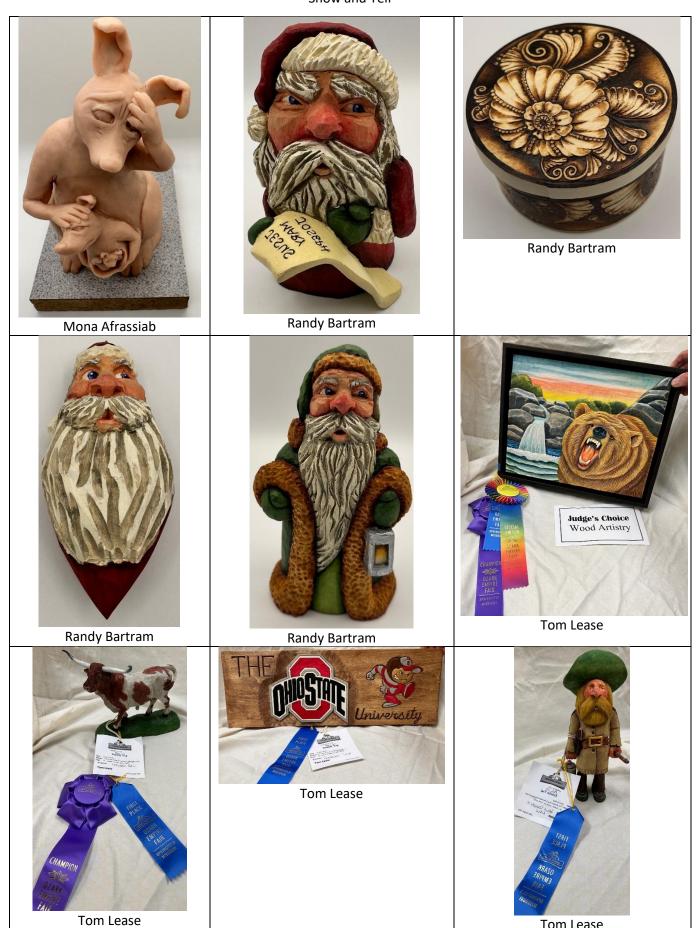
Our seminars are open to all woodcarvers. Unless otherwise stated, they will be held at the Community of Christ Church, 42 Sunset Dr, Camdenton (behind Hulett Chevrolet). If you have seminar information that you want to share or need more information about the upcoming seminars, please contact John Heather at 913-558-2023. All members are welcome to stop by during seminars to check them out and buy blanks.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Location</u>
September 18 19 20	Roger Stegall Caricatures Class	\$165 plus blank	Community of Christ Church
October 18 19 20	Debbe Edwards Realistic Animals Class	\$170 plus blank	Community of Christ Church
November 1 2	John Engler Painting Class	\$65 per day	Community of Christ Church
November 13 14 15 16	Fred & Elaine Stenman Relief Carving Class	\$160 plus blank	Community of Christ Church
December 4 5	Doug Bibles Painting Class	\$35 per day	Community of Christ Church

Editor's Note

It is my goal to issue the newsletter on the first Monday of each month. If you have something you would like included, please get it to me by the last Monday of each month. You can email it to me at jahgonefishin@gmail.com. Any comments or suggestions are welcome. I can be reached at 913 558 2023.

Show and Tell



Tom Lease



