

Metro Carvers of Michigan

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Curt Chastain, President

September 2015



NEXT MEETING

Club meeting Tuesday Sept. 8th 2015:

Next meetings are: Oct.13, Nov.10, Dec.8, - 2016
Jan.12, Feb.9, Mar.8, Apr.12, May.10, Jun.14
The doors open at 6:30 p.m. for social time, libraries
and supply purchases. The Business meeting starts at
7:15 p.m.

Treasurers Report: By Margaret Gout

Remember that your club dues (\$15.00) are due at the September Meeting. If you cannot attend the meeting please send a check for \$15.00 payable to "Metro Carvers of Michigan". Send the check to; Metro Carvers of Michigan, c/o Mararet Gout, 1398 Lakeville Rd., Leonard, MI. 48367.

New Members

Jean Martin –
2500 Clamar Dr.,
Washington, MI
48095



Jean Martin



Mike Shall

President's Corner: By Curt Chastain

At the time of this publication there was no President's article submitted so the meeting dates have not been confirmed.



Theme Carvings for this 2015-16 season:

- September- ???

Volunteering for Office: By Marcy Larson

As we start a new club season it brought the thought of people in our club and those who volunteer to be on the board, president and all the other positions that need members to step up and fill. It opens up a chance to see how the club is run and the things we do as a club. If you don't like the way certain things are runs this is your chance to get involved.

I know my position on the board will be up at the next election in May. It may seem early to be thinking about it but the need for others to step up and run for opening positions next election. I'm sure mine isn't going to be the only one that will be opening up. I'm not walking away from the club, just the board next spring. Retirement has brought many changes to my life, one is I'm going to be away from Michigan for several months

Carve Fest XI: By John Sabina

The 2015 XI addition of the Washington Carve Fest Instructor list and Flyer details are provided in the following:

Metro Carvers of Michigan

| Instructor | Thursday AM (9:00 to Noon) | Thursday PM (1:00 to 4:00) | Friday AM (9:00 to Noon) | Friday PM (1:00 to 4:00) |
|------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Arlene Murphy Judy Sabina | Woodburning - Limit 6 | | Woodburning - Limit 6 | |
| Don Schneider | Caricature Long Neck Bottle - Limit 7 | | | |
| Pat Murphy | Wooden Chain | | | |
| Archie Huggins | One-piece Pliers | One-piece Pliers | One-piece Pliers | One-piece Pliers |
| Gary Baker | Christmas Ornament | Christmas Ornament | Christmas Ornament | Christmas Ornament |
| Jim Foster Piqua, OH | 3-D or Deep Relief | | | |
| Gary Bityk | Whimsical Cottonwood Houses | | | |
| John Saarinen | Chip Carved Icicles | Chip Carved Icicles | | |
| Jim Reagan | | | Moebius Strip | Moebius Strip |
| John Sabina | Chip Carving Intro | | Chip Carved Canes | |
| Don Shook | Anri Mechanical Bottle Stopper | | Anri Mechanical Bottle Stopper | |
| Dick Mann | Carvers Choice: Bear in Log or Santa Face | | | |
| Rizal Baysa | Fan Bird Carving | | Fan Bird Carving | |
| Dawn Laatz Ingrid Santti | Woodburning Gourds | | | Room Not Available |

2015 Carv Fest XI

An informal, hands-on
woodcarving/woodburning festival

When:

Thursday, September 24 - 8:30
AM until 4:00 PM

And

Friday, September 25 – 8:30 AM
until 4:00 PM

Where: Washington Senior Center

57900 Van Dyke Road, Washington Twp, MI
(north of 26 Mile Road on the east side.)
At rear of Washington Township Offices

Admission is free. Nominal charge for carving blanks. Lunch available for purchase. Tools and carving supplies will also be available for purchase.

Projects and demonstrations will vary to show a wide variety of ideas and techniques. Bring your own tools/ woodburner – no power carving!

Anyone interested in wood art is welcome.

Sponsored by the Metro Carvers of Michigan and the Washington Senior Center.

Watch www.metrocarvers.com for more info.

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Gary Baker



Paul Blanchard



Dwain Lusk



Greg Lutz



Dolores Meitz



Bill Myers



Bruce Olsen



Tom Samanen



Don Shook

Metro Carvers of Michigan

Monthly Carving Competition

Coordinated by Sharon Baker -

Beginners

Intermediate

Tom Samanen – Rocket truck

Advanced

Bill Gugan – Bark Mask

Peoples Choice

Greg Lutz – Manhole cover

Gary Baker – Country scene

Don Shook – Bark house

Bruce Olsen – Cheetah

Dwane Lusk – Cross

Marcy Larson – bear

Paul Blanchard – Native American

Theme – Wildlife

Bill Myers - Cowboy

Dolores Meitz - Donkey

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Meeting Location: Helen Keller School
near I-75 & 12 mile 1505 N. Campbell Rd.
Royal Oak, MI

Meeting Day: Second Tuesday of each month.
(No Meetings July & August)

Meeting Time: 7:15pm (doors open at 6:30)

President: Curt Chastain 248-609-5341

Vice Pres.: Mike Murdock

Secretary: Harold Green

Treasurer: Margaret Gout

Directors: Greg Lutz Marcy Larson

Directors: Bill Ebinger Carl Sikes

Directors: Rizal Baysa

Show Chair: Mike Murdock 248-689-5468

MWCA rep: Pat Murphy

Newsletter: Terry Zobl

Webmaster: Terry Zobl, Marcy Larson

Carving Groups Location and Times

Mon. 8:30am-11:30__Troy Sen.Ctr.

Mon. Noon-3pm __Sterling Heights Sen.Ctr.

Mon. 9am-Noon __Warren Stillwell Manor

Tue. 9am-Noon __Washington Twp. Sen.Ctr.

Tue. 1pm-4pm __Chesterfield. Sen. Ctr.

Thur. 9am-Noon __Warren Stillwell Manor

Thur. 9am-Noon __Washington Twp. Sen.Ctr.

Thur. 6pm-9pm __Shelby Shadbush Nature Ctr.



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