



CAPITOL WOODCARVERS

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NEWSLETTER

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President's Message

Hello Capitol Woodcarvers,

Its crunch time! Our annual show is just around the corner. As the snow came and went last week, so did our ability to gather at the club meeting. It was disappointing to us all, but to none more that Kathy Dalton as she was hoping to see you all in person and get your table registrations confirmed. If you haven't already done so, please reach out to Kathy as soon as possible and get signed up. The empty table spaces are filling up fast.

At the club meeting you would have also heard a plea for instructors. Kelly Kirsch is putting together a slate of classes for the club show and could use your help. If you are interested in teaching a short class, please let her know. I know that in addition to carving, there is specific interest in finishes, pyrography and much more. I hope that you will consider it.

It is not too late to secure raffle and auction items for the show. Everett Carter and Don Fromherz have been gathering up some very nice items that will certainly draw a lot of interest. But there is always room for more. If you have something that you'd like to donate to the club, please reach out and let us know.

Since the February club meeting was cancelled, we'll get back on track at the end of this month with the ball carving project and then the ball races in April. In May, we will welcome Tom Siep to our meeting as he demonstrates how to carve a Native American mask

From the Past

with traditional tools.

It was three years ago this month that I had to call our Club President and interrupt his Hawaiian vacation to discuss the cancelation of the annual show. We all know what followed shortly thereafter. We look forward now with such optimism. With the club show in just a few weeks, it's incredibly refreshing. There is a lot to be excited about as some really great things are headed this way. I'll look forward to sharing them with you. Happy carving everyone, Terry

2011 Capitol Woodcarvers Show

Did you have a table in the **2011** show?



Classes at Everett's Studio

Classes at Everett Koontz Studio

Ron Lunde -- April 19-22 Mayan Jaguar Mask \$150
Four Openings

Terry Moss -- May 20-21 Uncle Sam \$100 Class is full.

Everett Carter -- June 20-22 Buddha Cat in Robe
\$100 Three Openings

Rich Wetherbee -- July 5-7 Roughout Class \$255 +
roughouts Ten Openings

Eric Owens -- August (TBD) \$225 + blocks Ten
Openings

Terry Moss -- September 23-24 Halloween Caricature
\$100 Ten Openings

Chris Hammack -- October 4-8 Design Class \$495
Class is full.

March Club Meeting

Plan on Attending the Next Club Meeting

March 28 at Center 50+



At the March club meeting, carvers will be given two basswood cubes to carve into balls using only a knife *(no sanding allowed). these are regulation cubes, so if you cannot attend the February meeting, contact Don Fromherz to get yours. The champion from the 2019 derby will be present at the February meeting to display the winning ball and give some tips on how to create a monster roller.

The derby will be held at the March meeting. Carvers will select their finest ball to enter.

The balls will be rolled down a new and improved ramp system designed by John Cereghino. Prizes will be awarded for accuracy and distance. The Club President will resolve any disputes and maintain crowd decorum.

The second ball may be carved and/or painted for entry in the new category of "Most Unique". This will be a people's choice award and a prize will be given.

Bring your favorite knife to the February meeting so we can start chipping away.

*An official sandometer much like the TSA scanners will be employed.

This will be a fun event. Plan on attending and participating.

2023 Capitol Woodcarvers Show

The Show is Fast Approaching

25th Annual Woodcarving Show April 1 - 2, 2023

Sat 10 - 5, Sun 10 - 4

www.capitolwoodcarvers.org

Free admission
Open to the public
Displays and demonstrations
Live auction
Catered dinner
Supplies
Non-juried show
Featured artist: Don Fromherz



Center 50+

2615 Portland Rd NE Salem, OR

This show is always great, and it really shows off the talent of our club members.

**Let's make this show our best by
having full participation of our
members.**

Show Registration Form

Capitol Woodcarver's Annual Show Registration Apr. 1st & 2nd, 2023

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Table Request:

- _____ 6' Table \$5.00 non-sales
- _____ 6' Table \$15.00 non-vendor sales
- _____ 6' Table \$20.00 vendor per table

Participants must be paid members of Capitol Woodcarvers to participate in the show. Membership is \$12.00 (or \$18.00 for family) payable to Capitol Woodcarvers.

Lunch boxes will be available through the Café at the Center 50+. They will include a sandwich, cookie, piece of fruit and drink for \$10. The café will also be open for ala cart items.

Sandwich choices (circle and indicate quantity of fox lunches):

- | Saturday | Sunday |
|------------------|------------------|
| _____ Turkey | _____ Turkey |
| _____ Roast Beef | _____ Roast Beef |
| _____ Ham | _____ Ham |

There will be a dinner Saturday Night. All participants and helpers with the show (spouse/significant other) are invited as our guests. The dinner will be upstairs in the craft room at 5:00 PM.

If you do not sign up for the dinners, we cannot guarantee a meal. Write names of those coming to the dinner below.

Please indicate if you will be attending. Yes No
Your guest's name _____

Set Up Times are Friday, March 31, when tables are set up at 3:00 until 5:00 PM, and Saturday, April 1, 8:30 until 10:00 AM

For more information contact:
Kathiedalton@gmail.com

Print and Mail this completed form and payment to:

Capitol Woodcarvers
P. O. Box 13321
Salem, OR 97301

We will have a raffle and auction during the show. Any donations are greatly appreciated. The raffle will be drawn Sunday afternoon and the auction will be held at the dinner Saturday night.

Online Registration Form

Friday Lunch Schedule

Lunch Schedule

Lunch is at 11:30AM each Friday.

3/10/2023

Elmer's Restaurant, 3950 Market St. NE, Salem

3/17/2023

The Yard (food trucks), 4106 State St, Salem

Wildfowl Carving Sessions

Wildfowl Carving



Prior to COVID we had a group of wildfowl carvers who met once a month to carve and learn from each other. We are going to startup similar group sessions April 2023. The focus of these sessions will be wildfowl carving but other carvers are welcome to participate as well.

These gatherings will be held the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of

each month in the classroom at Keizer Art Association, 980 Chemawa Rd NE, Keizer Oregon 97303. The classroom will be open from 9:00AM – 1:00PM. These no-cost sessions are possible thanks to KAA allowing us free access to their space.

Plan on attending to share experience and techniques of carving realistic wildfowl.



Peregrine Falcon and Green Wing Teal by Mary Davis

Club Supporters

(Please check out our supporters. They really help in making our annual show a great success)



<https://cascadecarvers.com>



<https://www.cityofsalem.net/community/things-to-do/seniors-and-center-50>



<https://mychipcarving.com>



<https://sites.google.com/view/coastal-carvers/home>



<https://woodcarvingacademy.com>



<https://www.flexcut.com>



<https://www.foxchapelpublishing.com>

If you would like to support our club at our upcoming carving show, please contact us:
capitolwoodcarvers@gmail.com

We are happy to include your business/organization in our monthly newsletter and on our website,
capitolwoodcarvers.org

We will have a "Club Supporter's" table on display during the show.