

# LAKE of the OZARKS WOODCARVERS

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## President's Notes

**Board meeting** at 6:30 PM, prior to the meeting.

I believe that we have our busy season behind (hey Wally) behind us. I want to take this opportunity to thank our club members for all your hard work and support of our club. I believe the next big deal we have is our Christmas meeting. Don't forget that we have an annual ornament exchange at the Christmas meeting. This is open to all levels from beginner to the more advanced. If you need help on your ornament please ask one of the more advanced members for help. I'm sure they would they would be happy to help you.

Doug reported that there will be a Christmas Lighting on the square on 12/1/2019 with a reception at Bill's Art Shop afterwards.

Carol Murray needs biographies of our club members for the web site.

**Jim Long** is the door prize provider for October.

## Meeting Notes:

The September meeting was called to order by Loren Woodard at 7:00 PM on Monday, October 22, 2019. The secretarial notes were presented and passed. The treasurer presented her report and it was passed as well. The 50/50 drawing of \$16.50 was won by Joyce Ebling and the door prize, Christmas ornaments, was won by Vicky Jo Wallace.

### **Pre-Meeting Classes:**

Jim will be going a snowman ornament for the class this moth. Please let Jim know if you are taking the class so he has plenty of cutouts.



### **Open Carving:**

There is open carving on **Tuesdays** at the Osage Beach Senior Center, just off Osage Beach Parkway from 9:00 to 11:00. **Wednesdays** from 12:00 to 2:30 at the Laurie Senior Center on O Road. Also, on **Wednesday** 9:00 to 12:00 at the Peggy Summer Library on Jefferson Street, in Lebanon, MO. **Thursday** mornings from 9:00 to 12:00 at the Camdenton Senior Center on South Highway 5.

### **Club Meetings:**

Club meetings are the **Third Monday** of the month at the Camdenton United Methodist Church. The church is located west of the Camdenton Square and across Highway 54 from R J's Restaurant.

### **Raffle Project:**

I believe that all of the raffle spoons have been turned in. Also, I think that revenues from the project are in line with projects for the last couple of years as, far as sales go. Please don't forget to sell your raffle tickets and turn your sales money in. Remember, your club is counting on you.

Also, we will be discussing next year's project at the meeting. The only project that I have heard about so far is the friendship staff projects done from a 2" x 3" block. Carole and I have a couple of staffs that we can bring to show the possibilities. If anyone else has one please bring it to the meeting.

### **Library Committee:**

Pam Kasiske and her committee is doing an excellent job with the library. Check the many different things the library has to offer. If you have book, etc to return please do so.

### **Cheri's Musings**

1. Happy Thanksgiving and remember to set your scales back ten pounds!
2. You know it's not about the minutes eating your Thanksgiving dinner that puts on the weight? It's about the "seconds"!
3. Remember to eat healthy this month by consuming a lot of vegetables; such as carrot cake, zucchini bread and my favorite, pumpkin pie!
4. In our family gravy is considered a beverage enjoyed with the holiday!
5. I don't know if you've noticed, but women who carry a little extra weight "do" live longer than the men who mentioned it!
6. Jim feels tight's should definitely have a weight limit!
7. If you should ever see me jogging, please kill whatever is chasing me!
8. Do you ever feel like your body's "check engine" light has been on and you find yourself still driving like "nah, it will be fine"?
9. Why is it we can spend a day giving thanks for all we have and then go out the next day, "Black Friday" and spend our time pushing, shoving, and trampling people for more cheap goods we really don't need?

Remember, it is not happy people who are thankful, but "thankful" people who are happy!

"Spread A Little Love Around!"

Cherie

### **Seminars:**

Our seminars are open to all woodcarvers. If you have seminar information that you want to share or need more information about the upcoming seminars, please contact Rich Wallace at 573-346-3859 or Loren Woodard at 573-480-2003. All of our club's classes will be held at the Community of Christ Church. From the corner of Highway 54 and Old Highway 5, go north on Old Highway 5 to Bowling Electric, on the left corner of Mulberry Street. Go left on Mulberry and take the first right hand turn. Go around the curve to Sunset Drive, the first road on the right. The church will be on the corner, on the right. Seminars are in the lower level. All members are welcome to stop by during seminars to check them out.

### **2019 Seminars:**

**Gary Falin – November 21, 22 & 23.** Gary Falin will once again be teaching caricature carving. Gary's class will be on carving your choice of his blanks. The cost is \$160 plus the cost of the blank.

**Loren Woodard – December 12 & 13. **New Dates**** Santa and Christmas ornaments. Cost is \$70.00 plus the blank. Open to beginners and advanced carvers. (I inadvertently put November in our last newsletter instead of December.)

**John Engler – December 17. **New Date**** John Engler will once again be doing a one-day paint class. Cost is \$55.00.

The **LTCT carving classes** started on October 24 and will run through December 4. The beginners are doing a shorebird and the intermediate carvers are doing Split Rock Lighthouse. There are 14 students in the beginner class and 13 in the intermediate class. Please volunteer to help instruct. We would really appreciate it. If you can't make all the classes just help as you can.

We had an issue with the pictures for the newsletter this month. We got the pictures but not the names of the carvers. I know who did a couple of the carvings but in order to be fair to all, I am not including any names.





