

# Dayton Carvers Guild July 2016



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## **July Meeting: Christmas in July with a Carve-in**

We traditionally have Christmas in July to kick start the carving of ornaments to be raffled at Artistry in Wood. Then, we have had a wrap-up of the ornaments job at our October meeting. But, this year Artistry in Wood is early, September 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>, so the wrap-up will have to be our August meeting. That's just a month away.

At Christmas in July there will be some sort of contest, maybe for the cutest, prettiest, finest and or the most artistic. The prizes might be something like restaurant gift cards. This is not serious competition; it's just some fun.

Some carving clubs exist so folks can get together to carve. We can have these once in a while. If you don't carve at meetings, get yourself in gear to bring something to carve at our July meeting. Ornaments would be really great. It's a meeting to relax and enjoy carving with other carvers.

## **What is The Dayton Carvers Guild?**

It's a group of wood carving enthusiasts. Some are experts and some are beginners. All are welcome.

We meet monthly. See info below.

At a typical meeting, we start with Show and Tell. Bring a carving, finished or just started. One of those showing something wins an item such as a knife or some glue from a grab box. We break for coffee and cookies, and then have a program. It might be a "how to" demonstration or a presentation of something related to wood or carving.

Artistry in Wood is a big two-day show exhibiting carvings, selling carvings, tools and wood and a competition. The Dayton Carvers Guild members put on this show.

Carvers and folks that might be interested in carving are invited to come to meetings. Bring a carving.

If you have questions you may contact Marshall Stearns at [Istearns@erinet.com](mailto:Istearns@erinet.com) or (937) 837-0728.

**Next Dayton Carvers Guild Meeting:** Tuesday, July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2016, 7:00 pm at United Rehabilitations Services Building, 4710 Old Troy Pike (at Needmore Road), Dayton, Ohio. Meetings are the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month except there is none in December and the October Pot Luck meetings start at 6:30 pm.

**Program:** Christmas in July with a Carve-in

**Carver of the Month:** tbd

**Cookie Contributor:** Gary Walker, Sam Slagle and Rob Liptak



### **Raffle Prizes at Artistry in Wood**

Sandy and Bill Gordon organize the items to be raffled at Artistry in Wood. Buy yourself lots of tickets. You probably may get packs of tickets early so you can stick on your address labels prior to the show. Include your phone number. One of these years I'm going to win those ornaments.

1. \$500 in gold coins
2. \$500 Woodcraft gift certificate
3. Christmas ornaments
4. Terry Brasher carving
5. Mark Waninger creation
6. Gerstner Solutions Chest
7. Gerstner 4 drawer mini-chest.

### **URS Construction Schedule**

The construction at our meeting place is scheduled to be completed in September.

### **Demonstrations at Artistry in Wood**

The demonstrations will be:

- Mike Allen - acanthus relief
- Roger Strautman - chip carving
- Harry Limings, Jr - probably something with miniatures
- Scott Phillips (our regular from Ohio, not the Special Exhibit Scott Phillips) - woodworking tools and tips

Ken Bedel organizes the demonstrations. He said Rick Harney won't be able to do a hoped-for demo so he will try to get a couple of the Caricature Carvers of America members to fill in.

### **At Marion's, the carvers**

always greet each other with breath mint cheek kisses, then high fives, then pump-the-well's-pump pump-handle handshakes. It's mastication at its best about noon on the first Wednesday of the month in Marion's North Piazza. Marion's North is at 3443 North Dixie Drive in Dayton. Join us if you can.

### **Special Wood Orders for Lukens' Quality Hardwoods**

If you want wood of unusual sizes for pickup at Artistry in Wood, you may order it ahead of time from Jim and Rita Lukens. Call them at (765) 345-2971. Even if you want to be sure they will bring what you need, you may call them for regular stock. They sometimes will make glue-ups for special sizes.

### **Special Wood Orders for Heinecke Wood Products**

Similarly, you may place advance orders with Tim Heinecke for delivery at Artistry in Wood. Order by phone at (715) 822-3524 or by using their website, [www.heineckewood.com](http://www.heineckewood.com). Order special sizes and, also, you may order regular stock so it is packaged for your pick up during the show.

### **Dayton Carvers Supports the Buckeye Woodcarvers Roundup**

Club voted to donate \$100 to the Buckeye Roundup to help cover expenses.

## **Buckeye Woodcarvers Roundup is in July**



It's simply the most fun carving get-together I know and, besides that, it's really inexpensive. The roundup runs Wednesday through Saturday, July 20<sup>th</sup> through 23<sup>rd</sup>. Class times are 9 - 5 and registration is at 8.

The focus is on nothing but carving. The kinds of carving cover almost everything. Their tentative list of instructors are:

- DON WORLEY-NO-SEE-UMS & SANTA
- DON MERTZ-SMALL CARICATURES
- LORI ANDREWS-POWER CARVING (HORSES) contact [Lori at lori.andrews85@att.net](mailto:Lori%20at%20lori.andrews85@att.net) [FOR HER INSTRUCTIONS AND TOOLS FOR HER PROJECTS](#)
- GARY FREEMAN-GOLF BALLS
- MOLLY HANNA-BARK CARVING BEGINNERS AND YOUTH
- JOHN GUILLOZET-BARK HOUSES
- SANDY CZAJKA-BIRD FEATHERS & SUCH
- WAYNE SHINLIVER-CARCATURES

- BRUCE HENN-CARICATURES
- LINDA MURPHY-WED.- ANGELFISH THURS.- PAINT BIRDHOUSE GOURD
- JOEL OPPERMAN-NIGHT CLASSES MAKING A HUMMINGBIRD
- ALLEN WOODS-NIGHT CLASSES SHELF SITTERS
- RANDY TRUE
- JIM FOSTER-3D PICTURES & OTHER THINGS check [jim.barbfoster@att.net](mailto:jim.barbfoster@att.net)
- KAREN BROWN-WOODBURNING AND GOURDS
- BILL HASTINGS-RELIEF CARVINGS
- ROD BEAMISH-BEGINNER PROJECTS
- THERESA BALSBUGH-WOODBURNING
- DEBBIE WILLIAMS-WOODBURNING
- JOHN SABINA-CHIP CARVING
- GAYLE BINGHAM & MARSHA ZINK-WOODTURNING MAKING A BOWL OR PENS
- JUDY & BOB WOODRUFF-WOODBURNING

It's held at POOR FARMERS CAMPGROUND, 7211 LOSTCREEK-SHELBY RD, FLETCHER, OHIO 45236 [937-368-2449](tel:937-368-2449), It's 9 miles from exit 82 off I-75.

The cost is \$20 (or \$15 in advance) for the four days of classes plus the materials you use and tools you buy.

See their website [www.](http://www.buckeyewoodcarversroundup.webs.com)

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**June 50/50**

Lee Puckett pocketed \$14. So, so did the club.

**June Show and Tell**

Don Stephenson won that and chose a Ramelson V-tool.

**June Visitor**

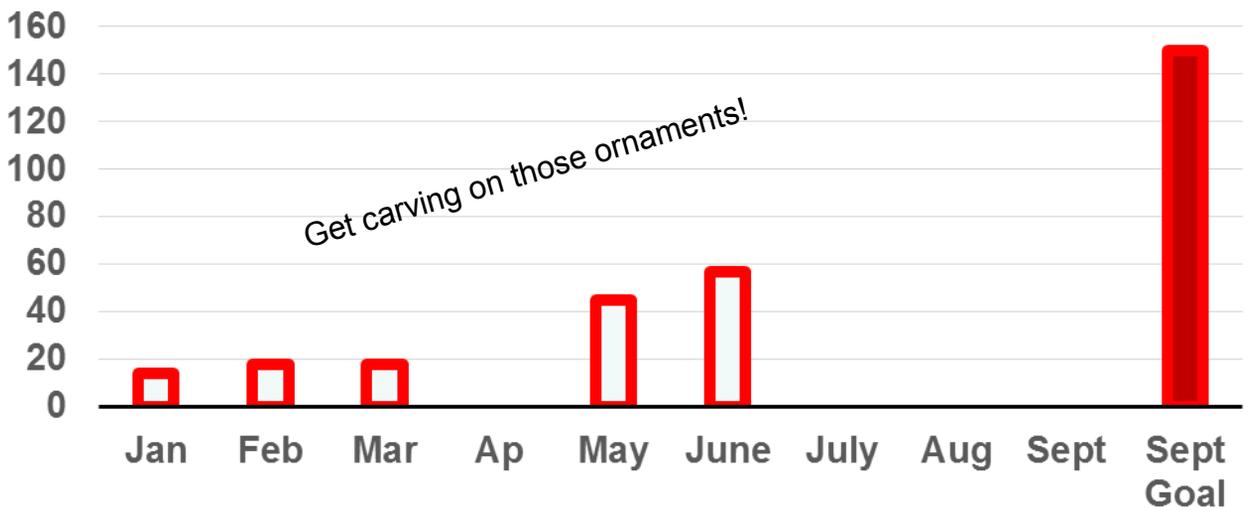
We were pleased to have Terry Garlow and anticipate him joining.

**Dayton Carvers Winners in Iowa**

Our members did very well at the International Wood Carvers Congress in Iowa and Don Stephenson did very very well. Congratulations to you all.

Barb Belcher collects and assembles the winners list which follows in the newsletter. It's not a quick task. You are appreciated, Barb.

**Ornaments for 2016 Artistry In Wood**



**2016 International Wood Carvers Congress**  
**Dayton Carvers Club winners**

Terry Borger	"Winter on the Farm" - 5th Place, Relief, Scene Other Than Nature: Buildings, Bridges, etc.
Jason Gordon	"Hobbit" - 1st Place, Young Carvers Open Class 15-18 years old "Worry Bird" - 2nd Place, Young Carvers Open Class 15-18 years old "Jolly Dragon" - 3rd Place, Young Carvers Open Class 15-18 years old
Bruce Henn	"Ellie" - 2nd Place, Impressionistic/Free-form/Stylized Carvings, Animals "Jimbo" - 3rd Place, Relief, Mythical - and cash award donated by Greg Wirtz
Ed Johnson	"Canyon Winds" - 3rd Place, Unusual Woods, Bark, Humans
Joe Moots	"We Both Share this Mountain" - 3rd Place, Unusual Woods, All Other, Animals
Don Stephenson	"The Farm House" - 1st Place and Best of Group, Pyrography - Scene other than Nature "The Wild Dog" - 1st Place, Pyrography - Picture or Design, Animals, Birds, Fish, etc. "Freedom Flyer" - 2nd Place, Pyrography - Picture or Design, Animal, Birds, Fish, etc. "Mother of Dragons" - 1st Place, Pyrography - Mythical "The Song of Bernadette" - 1st Place, Pyrography - Picture or Design, Religious "Nevermore (Poe)" - 1st Place, Pyrography - Picture or Design, Combining 2 or more of above classes "Kublai Kahn" - 2nd Place and 3rd Best of Group, Pyrography - Picture or Design - People Involvement "The White Flower" - 2nd Place, Pyrography - Picture or Design - Nature Scene, Flora
Dick Belcher	"Rhino" - 3rd Place, Impressionistic/Free-form/Stylized Carvings, Animals "Gambrinus" - 4th Place, Human Figure Not to Exceed 15" Tall, Realistic, Painted "Flounder" - 5th Place, Impressionistic/Free-form/Stylized Carvings Fish, Aquatic Creatures



**The Artistry in Wood Special Exhibit will be Space Shuttles in Wood by Scott G Phillips**

Scott Phillips worked as an engineer on the space shuttle program for Lockheed Martin Space Systems at the NASA Marshall Space Flight Center for 33 years. He was able to join his two passions, the space shuttle and woodworking, in his space shuttle tribute display. This will be the 2016 Special Exhibit.

Scott recently released a book, Remove Before Flight, recounting his experience in the space shuttle program. That's what's on tags to be removed when the last work has been completed prior to a launch, something Scott had experience with. The book is by Scott Phillips and his wife, Dianne Phillips.

You may find more info by searching "shuttleman" and then finding

[Shuttleman' Scott G. Phillips Keeps Shuttle Spirit Alive ...](#) . Also, he has a Facebook page, [www.facebook.com/scottphillips.wood](http://www.facebook.com/scottphillips.wood) .