CONNECTICUT WOODCARVERS ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER



MARCH



My Fellow Woodcarvers,

Cabin Fever be gone!!! Go carve something! We have had a great few days of nice weather, and even though spring has yet to be sprung, we have work to do!

A large number of fairy wands need to be stripped, and we don't expect Dan and Jim to do them alone. So when we have some to be stripped, we will be bringing them to meetings so the club can help.

Due to a scheduling conflict recently noticed (Easter Holiday weekend), the April 15th Flanders Nature Center walking stick demo has been postponed. A new date will be announced as soon as it is set.

The New England Carousel Museum will be holding a new art class, watercolor painting. As soon as dates / times / pricing are announced, we will share that information.

As you will notice on the next page, we have several events coming up, and even more may be added. The club really needs people to attend these events, and not the same old group that always attends. We have a lot of new blood in the group, share your talents and participate every time you can. It is a great way to learn new talents as well.

Thank you,

l eo.....Mr. President

Treasurer's Report from Bob M.

Current Balance \$2,557.51

As of Feb. 5 2017

Due to a recent resignation, the club is in an immediate need of a secretary and a CWCA Show Coordinator. Please see Leo to assist in filling the void.

THANK YOU ANDRE!

Although we don't have any pictures to share here, Andre showed our club members the art of Chip Carving during our February meeting.

Hoping to get photos to share in next months newsletter.

CWCA CALENDAR

CLUB MEETINGS ARE HELD AT CT FOREST & PARK IN MIDDLEFIELD, (Old Route 66) 10 AM-2PM UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

MARCH	- 5: Club meeting—Project —Wood Spirits by Grant Lauer & Part 1 of Knife sharpening
APRIL	- 2: Club meeting — Project —Knife Making & Part 2 of Knife sharpening
	Train Show —No details available yet.
	POSTPONED NEW DATE TO FOLLOW- Walking stick demo @ Flanders Nature Center
MAY	- 7: Club Meeting — Project— Walking sticks
	- 20: Farm Days @ Flanders Nature Center, Woodbury — General demo, sale of items encouraged.
JUNE	-2: Set-up for Show!!! As many people as possible neededtimes to follow
JULY	-8: Mystic Annual Woodcarvers Day Show/Sale "OLDE MISTIC VILLAGE" EXIT 90 off I-95 9:30am-3:00pm
0021	-15: Fairie Fest @ Flanders Nature Center, Woodbury, CT. Details to follow.
	- 22 : CWCA Annual Club Picnic (rain date the 23rd) Times and location info to follow. This is the monthly meeting.
AUGUST	No events or meetings scheduled at this time.
SEPT.	-10: Monthly meeting-Project TBD
<u> </u>	Family Nature day @ White Memorial
	Run for the Woods @ Sessions Woods State Park, Burlington, CT

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Our show is coming!!
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Get yourselves ready...
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MEMBERSHIP CORNER

2017 Yearly dues! Please see Mark Austin to get your 2017 membership! Updates to address/e-mail should be sent to Mark. \$15 for 2017 calendar year, and checks should be made to CWCA and the following mini form mailed to:

CWCA Membership 258 Campville Rd Northfield, CT 06778

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DUES ARE DUE!!

Membership dues need to be paid for the 2017 calendar year.

See Mark Austin to get current!