

Connecticut Woodcarvers Association Newsletter October 2019



My Fellow Woodcarvers,

Thank you to Ryan Duck-boy for last months project of the dunlin shorebird! There were a lot of interested carvers.

Thanks to Michael, Gary, Rene, Mark, Grant & Leo, working through the rain to collect 250–300 sticks at Peter Litwin's Arbutus farm in Litchfield for the White Memorial walking stick demonstration. A special thank you to Gary for sacrificing his truck for a load of walking sticks, and for Jack who came to the rescue by loading all the sticks from Gary's truck and carrying them (& Gary) to White Memorial.

Thanks to Michael, Mark, Gary, Paul, Mike, Rene, Grant & Leo who guided the next generations of woodcarvers (& their parents) in peeling walking sticks. Many thanks to the support crew Geoff & Sue (thanks for the goodies) Kevin & Shirley, Chuck, Jack, Fabienne & Kathy for their moral support.

Thanks to Lynda Zibbideo and Linda Syphers for representing CWCA at the Parkerville Open house in Manchester CT.

Thanks to K+S for the donation of a shaving horse to the club.

Leo.....Mr. President

Calendar:

Note: Club Meetings are held at Connecticut Forest and Park 16 Meriden Road, Rockfall CT Oct 6th **CWCA Monthly Club Meeting** Linda Cotton Bark Houses

Oct 11th-14th Mystic Woodcarving Retreat-Exeter, RI

Oct 20th "Spirit of the Wood" Show New England Woodcarvers

at Woburn Senior Center, Woburn MA

Nov 3rd Monthly Club Meeting-Project TBD

Nov 16th Bizarre Bazaar at New England Carousel Museum-Club Demonstration 10am-4pm

Dec 1st **Monthly Club Meeting**-Holiday High Jinx – Wrapped Carving Swap & Sweet Treats

Jan 5th Monthly Club Meeting-Project TBD

TBD **-Stick Harvesting** - Nassahegon State Forest Burlington CT or Arbutus Farm in Litchfield CT

Jan 10th-12th Woodworking Show-Young Building Big E West Springfield MA

Feb 2nd **Monthly Club Meeting**-Project TBD

March 1st Monthly Club Meeting-Project TBD

March 27 **Set-up for Show!!!** As many people as possible needed...

Noon till Leo says we are done!

New England Carousel Museum 95 Riverside Avenue, Bristol CT

March 28 **The CWCA Woodcarving & Art Show & Sale**- 8 am-4 pm – (Setup begins at 6 AM) New England Carousel Museum 95 Riverside Avenue, Bristol CT

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Currently	Servina	CWCA	Officers:

President	Leo Hein	860-675-5473	Secretary	Dan Holiday	860-620-2255
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Newsletter	Grant Lauer	860-997-4753	CWCA Show	Will you help?	



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CWCA's September monthly meeting...









Family Nature day @ White Memorial Conservation Center





Parkerville Open House Manchester

Cotton Wood Bark Houses Linda's October Project







Various works by our members





Our CWCA Show is only a 180 days away!

A short 6 months to prepare for the BEST Show ever!

We are looking for volunteers to help with the

Organization & planning of this event.

Someone to wrangle woodcarving clubs and groups.

Someone to manage publicity to build general attendance.

Someone to coordinate trainings & demonstrations.

We need you the members of this club to participate!





Please volunteer & contribute your ideas for making a sucessful CWCA Show!



"Membership & Treasury"





"Gary & Burl"



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Membership 2020 Yearly dues- Please see Mark Austin to get your 2020 membership! \$15 for 2020 calender year, and checks should be made to CWCA and the following mini form mailed to: CWCA Membership 258 Campville Road Northfield, CT 06778				
Name	New Member?			
Address				
Phone	Email			
All newsletters will be emailed. No email? Check box for a mailed copy. \square				

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