



THE CUTTING EDGE

Ozarks Mountain Woodcarvers

<http://www.ozarkmtnwoodcarvers.com/>

OFFICERS		MONTHLY METINGS	MEMBERHIP DUES
President	Gerry Gerhart	We meet the first Thursday evening of the month at 7pm at the Senior Center in Kimberling City, MO.	Membership dues are \$15 for an individual and \$18 for a family. Dues were due in August.
Vice President	Stew Blain		
Secretary	Susan Spoley	<i>(If Reeds Spring schools close due to weather, we do not have meetings.)</i>	Send dues to Sue Spoley 940 Alyeska Point Rd. Lampe, MO 65681
Treasurer	Stew Blain		
Class Coordinator	Open		
Librarian	Bob Ryder		
Membership	OPEN		

MINUTES OF LAST MEETING

Stew Blain opened the October meeting at 7:00. President Gerry Gerhart was out of town. There were only 6 members in attendance due to the bad storms. The secretary's report was read by Barb Blain and approved. Barb also took the minutes of the October meeting. Stew reported that there we have \$1,423.73 in our bank account. Please **read the rest** of the newsletter to get the details of what was discussed during the meeting – I am not repeating the information here. The meeting was adjourned at 7:30.

OLD & NEW BUSINESS:

Website	Jackie Stoner from the Art Guild offered to help Sue with the Website in December when she gets back into town. She uses the same service that Charles Wolfe uses. She said it is easy to design and update, but there is a charge if you don't want to see ads popping up when you look at the website. Sue will check it out and update the group.
Senior Center	Stew reported that the Senior Center said they would be more aware of the storage items in the Arts & Craft room that are limiting the space available for clubs to hold meetings. They have already cleaned out the closet where our cabinets are located.
New Carvers	It was reported that there have been 4 new carvers attending the open carve-in on Tuesday afternoons. If you know someone who would like to learn to carve or to polish up on their carving that has been left on the shelf invite them to come on Tuesdays for lunch at 11:30 and carve and learn in the afternoon. Some tools are available to use. There have been 4 new carvers attending the past couple weeks. Don't forget to come yourself!

Upcoming Carving Events

Oct 20 – 24: Fall Rendezvous II Woodcarving Seminar. For more information and registration forms check their website: www.woodcarvingrendezvous.com

March 23 – 27, 2015: Ozark Woodcarving Seminar (John Engler Carving Seminar). Springfield MO. For more information and registration forms check their website www.ozarkswoodcarvingseminar.com or you can contact Loren Woodard at 573-480-2003 or John Engler 417-209-6842.

Learning on Wed - KAL

At the November meeting Gerry will let us know what he needs for our clubs presentation at the Kimberling Area Library on Nov. 19th. Get your T-shirts ready. If you don't have one, stop by the Senior Center and pick one up.

December Christmas Party

We will start planning our December Christmas Party /meeting at the November meeting. Please come and share your ideas.

Oct Birthdays



Happy birthday to all of our October babies:

- Jim Spizewski Oct 2
- Cindy Avant Oct 24
- Mike Tidwell Oct 25

Refreshments

Sue's turn next month!

Roster

An updated copy of the club roster is available. Please review your info for accuracy. Let Sue know if there are any changes.

Show and Tell

Jerry Schmitt: Stylized White Oak
Stew Blain: Spalted Hackberry Bowl
Barb Blain: Barb Pen/ink Mule & wood burned Bunny



Jerry



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Stew

and



Barb's

Latest Creations