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**November 19, 2006**

President John Lovett called the meeting to order promptly at 2:00 pm. New member Jacquelyn Garling joined us at our meeting.

**Membership**

Membership dues are now due. Those members who have not paid their dues can send their \$15 (\$20 for family membership) to Bill Zech 1739 Oakley Dr., Dover PA 17315. Also, remember to update your mailing address or email address if it has changed.

**Show Report**

The show committee would like some input on how to recruit more youth and amateur carvers. If you know of an event or group that may be interested in letting us promote the art of woodcarving please let one of the committee members know.

We have decided to continue the Theme carving for 1 more year, If you have any ideas on a theme or how we can get carvers excited about entering a theme carving, please contact Nikki Otto at (717) 243-9114 or ottoe@pa.net

**Congratulations**

To Jim Hiser for receiving the Larry Kampbell extra mile award this year! Jim is a past Conewago Carvers President as well as the current president at the West Shore carving club. He stepped in to organize our seminars when Butch Dahl decided PA is too cold, and he pitched in to help with our annual show. We all appreciate your dedication to our club as well as to the art of Woodcarving. Thanks Jim.



**Outgoing President John Lovett**

**Join Us**

The Next Meeting is December 17, at 2:00 at the EBCC. This will be our annual Christmas party so bring goodies to share! We will also hold our tree ornament competition!



**Health News**

Joe Legore is scheduled for Cancer surgery on December 20. We will keep him in our thoughts

**Hat Found**

Bob Ziegler found a hat at the banquet. Bill Zech brought it to the meeting and George Maurer said he had been looking for a new hat, unfortunately it was not his size! Please contact Bob Ziegler if this hat belongs to you.

**Treasury Report**

Charlie Lockwood was in Easton instead of at the meeting this month so Nikki Otto stepped in and gave his report. The beginning balance was \$4,197.56 with income totaling \$3,693.00 and \$2,261.45 in expenses.



**2007 Officer Elections**

The names of the nominees were read and Bill Zech promptly moved to close the nominations and vote! The vote was unanimous our 2007 officers will be:

- Ernie Castelli– President**
- George Maurer– Vice President**
- Charlie Lockwood– Treasurer**
- Ed Otto– Secretary**
- Nikki Otto– Newsletter Editor**



**Incoming President Ernie Castelli**

# Show and Tell

**Braden Ausherman**– an angel carved from a *Woodcarving Illustrated* pattern.

**Ed Otto**– an Indian carved from a piece of a copper beach tree that was planted on Carlisle Barracks in 1784.

**Bob Lusk**– a Dragon which was originally a woodburning pattern in *Carving Magazine* that he turned into a relief carving. He also brought in a Santa Clause in relief.

**Jack Moxley**– A dog on a fire hydrant and a small comic book character suspended by a paper clip. Jack took the patterns from comic books.

**Jackie Garling**– Dog, Elephant and Swan pins

**John Lovett**– Shore bird done in Jack Miller's Class



## Caption Contest of the Month



I couldn't resist bringing back the caption contest for this one! Submit your caption for this Photo of Nick J and Nick W. Sciortino to [ottoe@pa.net](mailto:ottoe@pa.net).  
The winner, who receives absolutely nothing, will be selected by Ed and Nikki Otto.

### 2007 Seminar schedule

If you are interested in a seminar please contact Jim Hiser by email [hiser@pa.net](mailto:hiser@pa.net) or phone at (717) 243-0644.

Date	Instructor	Project	Price	Openings
January 13	Rod Flinchbaugh	Sharpening by hand	\$45	Yes
January 27	Rod Flinchbaugh	Eyes, Nose, Mouth & ears	\$45 + Roughout	Yes
February 10	Gay Foltz	Santa or Wizard	\$65	Yes
February 24	Gary Akers	Antler Carving	\$65	Yes
March 3	Nick J. Sciortino	Beginning Chip Carving	\$35	Yes
March 24	Ed Otto	Bark Houses	\$45 + Bark	Yes
April 14	Nick J. Sciortino	Letter Carving	\$35	Yes
April 21,22,23	Vic Hood	Human Bust	\$175 + Blank	Yes
May 5, 6 (class1) June 2, 3 (class2)	Charlie Lockwood	Carving a bluebird start to finish (This is a 2 weekend class)	\$185	Yes
June 22(evening) 23, 24	Frank Rauscher	Fox in stride (power carving)	\$125	Yes
August 17 (evening) 18,19	Peter Ortel	Caricature Carving	\$145 + roughout	Yes
September 14, 15, 16	Harley Schmitgen	Caricature Carving	\$185 + roughout	Yes
October 29,30	Dennis Thornton	Caricature Carving	\$145 + roughout	Yes
November 10,11	Jack Miller	Carving and painting a shore bird	\$45 + Blank	Yes