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AUGUST WOOD SPLINTERS



Dick Watkins learns to Carve Ivory (left) as Nick Sciortino teaches basic Chip Carving at the EBACC. (right)



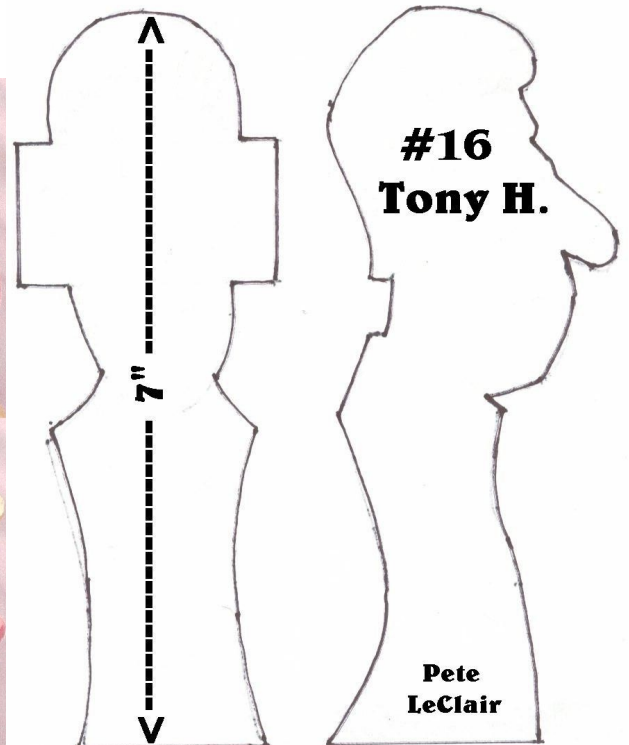
Special Dates of interest

- August 17 will be the next meeting! We will hold our annual badge competition for the August meeting!
- September 7 is our annual picnic!
- We will have a competition for a carving to be raffled off at the annual show. The winner will receive \$250 for the carving!

Get Carving!

- Our next show meeting will be Tuesday September 9 at 7:00pm at the EBACC! Everyone is welcome.

Pattern courtesy of Pete LeClair



The Honesdale experience includes "A day of watching" for Bill Martin and Nick Sciortino!

Meeting Notes

The meeting was called to order at 2PM by president Ernie.

Raymond Kane began our meeting by leading us in a prayer for Charlie who passed away in July.

We welcomed our guests and, to our surprise, John Lovett was "BABY SITTING"!

We discussed the need for a new treasurer no one stood up during the meeting to take on the job. Ernie found out that

Doug Gabel is still on the account. Doug agreed to help us get the new treasurer on the account. After the meeting Jim Hiser said he would be treasurer if someone took over membership, John Lovett said he would do membership.

Since the meeting, Cliff and Ethel Rosborough have agreed to be our Treasurer, John Lovett has taken the membership responsibilities and Jim Hiser is left free to concentrate on setting up our Seminars!

Congratulations!

Robert Lusk and wife Ruth celebrated 60 Years of Marriage on July 6 of this year.



Everyone is Carving in Honesdale!



Honesdale Report

It was great to see approximately 18 Conewago Carvers joining more than 200 others in this Year's North East Woodcarvers Roundup in Honesdale this year! The Rain even stayed away for a couple of the days we were up there!

Otto, Jim and Joan Hiser, John and Rose Huth, Jesse Hinson, Raymond Kane, Linda Murphy, and Gary Peiffer! (Sorry if I missed anyone!)

We all had a great week of carving and socializing with fellow carvers and look forward to doing it again next year!

Painting Primary Bird Feathers By Bernice Culver

Tressa Barnhart introduced Bernice Culver from Carroll County Carvers.

Bernice is an experience BIRD CARVER she was well known to our long time members who came out in great numbers. Great to see them all.

Bernice lead a discussion of the color make up on a birds primary feathers. The coloring is very subtle. She then proceeded to lead a group in painting a primary Red Tail Hawk feather.

Tressa Barnhart was again carving as many different things as she could utilizing every waking moment! Karl Barnhart was also a busy carver!

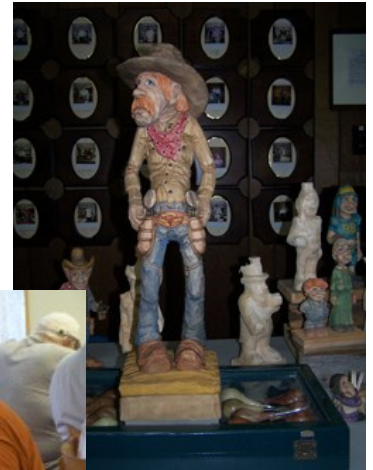
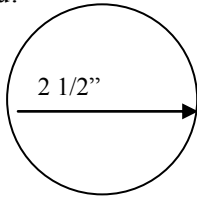
Nick "Koz" Sciortino, Nick W. Sciortino, Jack Miller, Bill Martin and Ed Otto Shared their expertise by teaching seminars while they were up there.

Other members in attendance included Nikki, Alex and Kira



Show Notes

- **Design a badge** for the 2008 show and you could win a \$25 prize! All entries are due and will be judged at our August Meeting! The badge is to be circular, 2 1/2 inches in diameter, black and white or color and must be reproducible. It usually includes Conewago Carvers and the show dates of October 25 - 26, 2008 however the design is totally up to you!
- **Carve a piece to raffle at our show!** Enter a carving to be raffled off at the show and you could win \$250. All entries must be taken to the annual Picnic where our members present will vote on which carving to raffle off during our 2008 show. The winning carver will be compensated \$250 for the carving.
- **Our next show meeting will be Tuesday September 9 at 7:00pm at the EBACC!** This will be the final meeting before the show, Everyone is welcome.
- **Table applications have been sent!** Please let Nikki Otto know if you know of someone new who may want to enter our show but did not receive an application.



Members Teach at Honesdale!

Show and Tell

Tressa Barnhart- Bark House

Rod Flinchbaugh- Cowgirl
And her horse

Jim Hiser - Carving from Pete
LeClair's class

Ernie Castelli- Circus ring with
a Segmented Juggling Clown
and Seal on a stand.





Conewago Carvers

Conewago Carvers 2008 Seminars
Contact Jim Hiser 717-243-0644 or hiser@pa.net

Date	Instructor	Project	Price
September 20th, 21st & 22nd	Dave Stetson	Caricatures	\$175 plus roughout
October 27th & 28th	Peter Ortel	Caricatures	\$145 plus roughout

Jim is setting up the seminars for next year, suggestions?? Rod Flinchbaugh has agreed to teach a class on Flat Plane carving of a horse.



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