

the Cutting Edge

Newsletter of the Central Texas Woodcarvers Association

Meeting Notes

Clarence called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM, June 24, there were 15 members.

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News

Clarence had several suggestions for improving the website. We discussed these and Russell will work on them. If you have any ideas or would like to have your work featured in a gallery, contact Russel or Fred for more information.



Clarence said he will have a carving display at the Round Rock Public Library during July.



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Raffle

- Betty won large gouge donated by Tom;
- Marvin won a knife donated by Diann Small
- Jerry won a "Carving Pins & Bows" book.

Blank of the Month

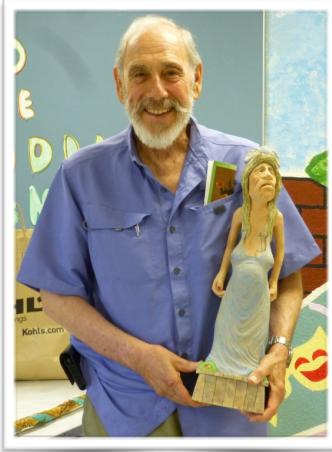
Blank on the Month was a Santa Face from Tom Sarff. He said to carve the profile first then the beard.



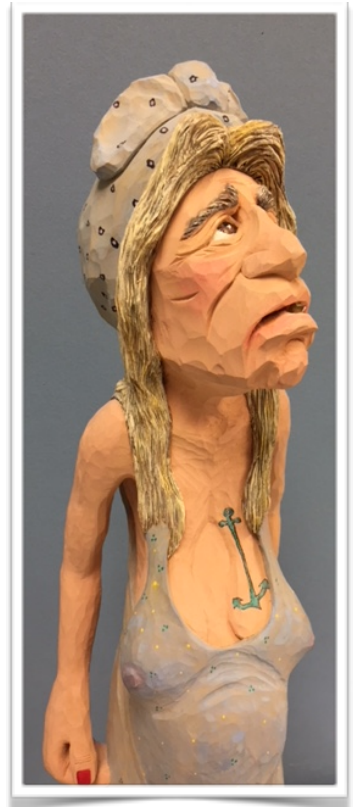
Show and Tell

Helen taught a class on ornaments and brought samples.





Marvin had a carving of an old lady in her nightgown; also he had made a "Carpenters' Friend".



Clarence had two relief carvings, one was Dora, the other Paddington Bear. One of the ladies who work at Hancock had asked him to do one for a friend of hers.



Tom had the 4th of his four cowboy with his tooth pulled out carvings. He also brought a tennis shoe with a Michael Jordan type design and one of a cowboy hat resting on a pair of boots.



Sun Lee and her husband were back from their trip to see their new grandbaby . Welcome Back!!! They have been carving with Dan and she a carving of a cowboy face on a wooden liquor bottle. Also she and her husband had each done Santa ornaments and skunks.





Jerry carved an aspen totem stick with bear, wolf, eagle, deer, river, glacier, and a mountain man on top. She bought the walking stick at Glacier National Park and did a great job on the carving.



Next meeting will be Thursday,
July 12, 2018, 7:00 PM,
at the Hancock Center in Austin.