

the Cutting Edge

Newsletter of the Central Texas Woodcarvers Association

Meeting Notes

The June meeting of Central Texas Woodcarvers was held 7:00 PM, June 13, 2019, at Hancock Center. There were 12 members present.

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News

We discussed places where we could go to carve during the week, since we cannot meet at Hancock during the Summer.

Round Rock Senior Center might be a possibility on Tuesday mornings.



Clarence had received a phone call from a woman whose husband had died and she wants to sell his carving tools. Tom said he could take the tools to Kerrville when we have the TWG Show & classes.

Blank of the Month

Blank of the Month was Christmas Trees, brought by Tom.



Next meeting will be Thursday,
July 11, 2019, 7:00 PM,
at the Hancock Center in Austin.

Show and Tell



Marvin brought a collection of many canes and staffs that he has found or carved.



Betty carved a small Santa and painted it in Patty Rucker's class. She also had a rabbit carved and painted in Leah Goddard's class. She said Leah does not seal the final carving because she feels that changes the paint color.





Clarence brought a nice collection of his pendants.



Sun Lee and her husband were back from their trip and had carved a small Santa, an Indian, a cowboy, a Santa on a sleigh from a Patty Rucker Blank. Also a mouse with big ears and a cowgirl and cowboy that her husband had carved (she carved the faces on those).



Dan carved a small butternut angel.



Tom said his daughter wanted a Santa in a blue suit, so he carved that, then he made another in a darker blue. He also brought some found wood mounted on a base after sealing. One he used tung oil to finish. He also brought a Santa with a wide hat and small Santa carvings which will be Christmas gifts for his grandchildren and other relatives.

