

Metro Carvers of Michigan

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Paul Blanchard, President

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NEXT MEETING

Club meeting Tuesday June 7th 2011:

Next meetings are: Sept, ?? 2011

The doors open at 6:30 p.m. for social time, libraries and supply purchases. The Business meeting starts at 7:15 p.m. *If you don't have a nametag please pick up a sticker at the door and put your name on it.*

TREASURERS REPORT: By Rizal Baysa

The following members will receive Metro Membership pins for 2011 during the June Meeting:

5 Year pins - Frank Burgy, Phylis Burgy, Bill Gugan, Dolores Meitz, Bill Myers, Janet Schutt, Roger Sonnenfeld

10 Year Pins - Bill Hagey, Norman Kandow

15 Year Pins - Barb Harris, Keith Harris, Walter Heidacker, Bill Jaquays, Dwain Lusk, Arlene Murphy, Pat Murphy

20 Year Pins - Marie Gasior, Mark Kedzior, Wayne Neff, Gail Sartele, Gerald Schukraft

25 Year Pins - William Kenny, Terry Zobl

Membership pins were not distributed for the year 2009 so the following members will receive Metro Membership pins for 2009 during the June Meeting.

5 Year Pins - Tom Baily, Norma Bauman, Larry Bauman, Jack Comben, Dave Copeman, Ronal Copes, Phylis Gurney, Andy Kominsky, Edgar Potestades

10 Year Pins - William Walker, Frank Cataldo, George Eldridge, George Hutton

15 Year Pins - Larry Lloyd, George Miriani

President's Corner: By Paul Blanchard

The annual Metro Carvers election results have been tabulated and certified. There were a few "chads" but I am happy to report that there have been no calls for a recount. For those members who were unable to attend "election night" I am happy to report the reelection of all the incumbent candidates. For president (me), vice president Bob Gallenek, secretary Harold Green, treasurer Rizal Baysa, board members Gary Bityk, Arlene Murphy and Pat Murphy. I want to thank every one who volunteered to run for these essential offices to ensure the continued success of our club. I know the newly elected leadership will endeavor to work to ensure another successful and informative year for our club. Please remember our club will only be successful with the support and input of all the members. Please contact any of the leadership with your suggestions and proposals.



I want to thank our guest speaker for the May meeting, Mr. Mike Byrne, who gave a great presentation. I agree with his statement that "we are all artists". I hear the comment all the time "I could never do that". Please forward any names or suggestions of potential guest speakers to any of the leadership. I hope see you at our June meeting. Bring a friend.

Theme carving for this season: June Patriotism

Carver of the Month Bruce Olsen – By Harold Green

Bruce is married and the proud father of three sons, with eight grandchildren. He has been retired about four years from the Machine Tool industry as an engineer.

Bruce got seriously interested in carving after attending the Metro Show four years ago. Since then he has been doing a lot of carving, animals being his favorite subject. He uses mostly hand tools, but does have a dremel. Bruce has been mostly self taught, but would recommend classes for a beginner.



Events - By Robaleen Bogden

We are selling some of the Clubs VHS tapes at our next Meeting on June 7th. Most of them will be only 25cents.

Some of you have asked for this information.

South Oakland Art Association[www.sooaklandart.com] meet at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church on the 1st Monday of the month, 814 N. Campbell Road, Royal Oak, MI 48067. The church is on the east side of Campbell between 11 Mile Road and 12 Mile Road. September 12th 7:00-9:00pm

Monthly Carving Competition

Coordinated by Sandra Huffman - Judges were
George Eldridge, Gail Sartele, Sandra Huffman



Display - Francis Fredal



Theme - Rizal Baysa



Intermediate - Phyllis Gurney



Beginner - David Stark

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Facebook site: Metro Wood Carvers of Michigan

Meeting Location: Helen Keller School
near 12 mile & I-75
1505 N. Campbell Rd.
Royal Oak, MI

Meeting Day: Second Tuesday of each month.
(No Meetings July & August)

Meeting Time: 7:15pm (doors open at 6:30)

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Secretary: Harold Green

Treasurer: Rizal Baysa

Directors: Dave Copeman Robaleen Bogden

Directors: Pat Murphy Arlene Murphy

Directors: Gary Bityk

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MWCA rep: Pat Murphy

Carving Events: Robaleen Bogden

Newsletter: Terry Zobl

Carving Groups Location and Times

Mon. 8:30am-11:30__Troy Sen.Ctr.

Mon. Noon-3pm __Sterling Heights Sen.Ctr.

Mon. 9am-Noon __Warren Stillwell Manor

Tue. 9am-Noon __Washington Twp. Sen.Ctr.

Tue. Noon-3pm __St. Clair Shrs. Sen. Ctr.

Tue. 1pm-4pm __Chesterfield. Sen. Ctr.

Wed. Noon-3pm __Clinton Twp. Sen. Ctr.

Thur. 9am-Noon __Warren Stillwell Manor

Thur. 9am-Noon __Washington Twp. Sen.Ctr.

Thur. 6pm-9pm __St. Clair Shrs. Sen. Ctr.

Thur. 6pm-9pm __Shelby Shadbush Nature Ctr.



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