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PRESIDENT'S NOTES

LYNN BELLAH

At our October meeting we had our annual in-house show. We were fortunate that Joey Horn and Don Rinehart agreed to be our judges. It is always inspirational to see what our fellow members are able to create. This year we had a wide variety of projects entered for display. Everyone has his/her own special style of working with wood and I enjoyed seeing them all. Joey and Don did a great job of explaining what they like about each project. They also took time to tell us what other judges in an open show might look for in determining winners.

The last weekend of October we hosted another Robby Matherne workshop at Willis Johnson's house. Robby worked with us on a small wood duck carving. These workshops are always a great place to get some hands-on experience working with fellow carvers. Special thanks to Willis and Bobbie for opening their home and shop to us to use.

This month we will have our annual election of officers. If you would like to serve in a position next year, please let me know. Without members being willing to serve as officers, we would not be able to have a club.

Our program for the November meeting will be a discussion of ideas for carving Christmas ornaments. We have several people who are going to bring some ideas and examples of simple to carve ornaments. If you have carved Christmas ornaments that you think other members might want to try as a project, please bring them with you to the meeting.

On December 19th we will have our annual Christmas party at O'Charley's in Pearl. Everyone who brings a carved Christmas ornament to the party will get one that a fellow member carved. This will also be a great time to bring your spouse to a club meeting. Make your plans now to come enjoy the food and fellowship with us.

I'll see you at our next meeting, Monday, November 21, 2011

Lynn



PEARL RIVER WOODCARVERS GUILD AGENDA

November 21, 2011

1. Opening Remarks and Prayer – Lynn Bellah / James Buie
2. Introduction of Members and Guests
3. Secretary's Report / Minutes of Last Meeting – Wade Buie
4. Treasurer's Report – Gary Young
5. 2012 Wood Carving Show Report – Gary Young
6. Business and Events:
 - * Noah's Ark project – James Buie
 - * Wood duck carving workshop report
 - * Election of officers for 2012
 - * Dec. 19 - Christmas party at O'Charley's
7. Show and Tell
8. Door Prizes – Danny Fultz
9. Program – Ideas for carving Christmas ornaments

A WORD FROM MIKE MAYBERRY

“The November meeting will be sharing ideas for Christmas holiday carvings including ornaments, pins, decorations, Nativities, etc. We will have some presenters, but everyone is encouraged to bring ideas, samples, patterns, etc.”

MINUTES OF PRWC GUILD MEETING

OCTOBER 17, 2011

Started – 6:40

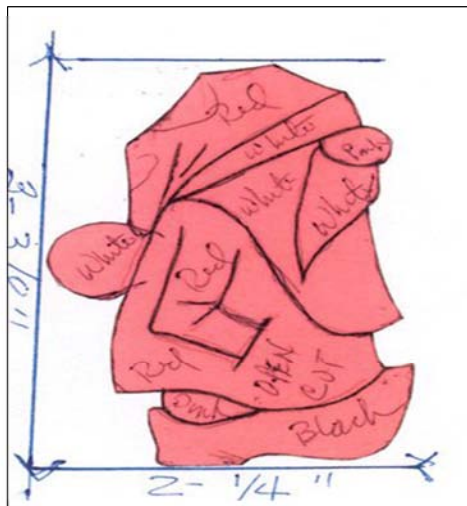
1. Meeting opened by Lynn Bellah.
2. Prayer given by James Buie.
3. Secretary's report of last meeting was accepted.
4. Treasurer's report of last meeting accepted.
5. Business:
 - A. Gary Young gave report on annual show.
 - B. James Buie gave report on Noah's Ark project.
 - C. Willis Johnson talked about the Robby Matherne workshop that would be held at his house.
 - D. Report was given on Christmas dinner and will be confirmed at November meeting.
6. Show & Tell:
 - A. Willis Johnson showed his fish that received second place in New Orleans Show.
 - B. Bob May showed crosses he carved.
7. Door prizes were given out.
8. Program:

In house show with items shown in several categories.

A NOTE FROM JOHN HOUSTON Picayune, MS

"Thanks for hosting a great weekend. It was entertaining and instructive. The guys are a great bunch. I am enclosing a set of Christmas Ornament patterns that I have carved over the years for family, friends and business associates. Thanks for the workshop...hope we can do it again."

John



INFORMATION ABOUT THE PRWC GUILD

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MEETING SCHEDULE

DATE: Monday, November 21, 2011

TIME: 6:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m.

PLACE: Brandon City Hall Building
1403 West Government Street
Brandon, MS

PROGRAM:

- *Exchange of ideas and patterns of Christmas ornaments
- * Election of club officers for 2012

Our meetings are once a month on the third Monday evening unless you are informed ahead of time by telephone, by postal service, or by e-mail.

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