

# September 2022 Newsletter

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## **MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES**

Our next monthly meeting will be September 15 at 6 p.m.at the Spring Creek Meridian Senior Living recreation center, 175 E. Calderwood Dr., Meridian. This will be our end of summer social and picnic. Bring a salad, side dish or dessert if you can. The club will provide burgers with buns and fixings. Bring your recent carvings for show and tell.

**OPEN CARVING AT WOODCRAFT** is held on Thursday evenings from 6-8 p.m. **OPEN CARVING AT MERIDIAN SENIOR CENTER** is held on Tuesday afternoons from 12:30 – 3:30 p.m. in the center at Kleiner Park, 1920

N Records Way, Meridian. Participants are asked to make a small donation of \$2-3 for each session they attend to help with overhead.

## WESTERN IDAHO FAIR

The Idaho Woodcarvers Guild was well-represented at this year's fair. Following is a list of awards to members reported to the newsletter editor. It may be incomplete or have an error or two, but congratulations to all who participated in the fair.

Ted Smith - blue bird 1st place ribbon and Best of Division, 1st place in Fine Arts for raptor Tara Jones - utensils 2nd place, feather 3rd place ribbon,

Eric Owens - wizard 2nd place ribbon, dancing cowboy 3rd place,

Don Brigham - mice and mushroom 2nd place and Special Award, robin carving Honorable Mention

Norm Sullivan - cowboy in a bar 1st place, cow 2nd place ribbon, relief flower Honorable Mention ribbon, Whimsical house

Michael Chamberlain - Beet farmer 1st place

Doug Rose - Mallard 3rd place ribbon, Judge's Choice award, 2<sup>nd</sup> place for songbird wreath Jim Jameson Quail 1st place, Ruddy Duck 1<sup>st</sup> place

Dave Roberts top 1st place

Beck Beus Junco Honorable Mention, Bark House

John Wilson 1<sup>st</sup> place for Western Scene

Steve Ussing 1st place for Eagle in Nest, Fine Arts Section

David Colliver 2<sup>nd</sup> place for Quail in Hobby Craft, 2nd place for Barn Owl in Fine Arts

Eric took pictures of most of these entries, but the inclusion of all of them in the newsletter would have created a file that was too large to send. They have been archived and we will try to include a few at a time with the next couple of newsletters.

## **CLASSES**

Eric Owens teaches classes at Woodcraft at regular intervals. Sign up at Woodcraft or contact Eric, at <a href="mailto:boiseowens@gmail.com">boiseowens@gmail.com</a> for more information. Larry Crist and Doug Rose plan to offer a bird-carving class in the fall featuring a Golden-crowned Kinglet. Talk to either of them if you are interested.

Gallery: Western Idaho Fair Entries



















