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**SUNCOAST WOODCARVERS MEETING  
MINUTES**

**November 13, 2012**

**Seminole Recreation Center**

President Bill Briggs opened the meeting and obtained agreement with the minutes of the October meeting. Treasurer Greta Murphy was absent and will provide her report at the December meeting.

Bill noted that Club Librarian Glenn Fry was in the hospital and that Joe Kane had been absent due to illness of his wife.

**OLD BUSINESS**

None

**NEW BUSINESS**

Much of the remainder of the meeting focused on the Annual Show status of preparations. It was agreed that we will proceed with the ticket price of \$4 with a \$1 discount offered in our advertisements and by personal contact with members.

Show Chairman Joe Lutz brought us up to date in the status of one of our greatest Show costs, the rental of tables. Joe has talked to Rec Center Director Becky Gunter and she has offered use of the Rec Center's tables, including setup and takedown. Joe has studied how these rectangular and circular tables may be used. It is

not known at this time if additional tables will be required.

The December 11<sup>th</sup> meeting will be an important one to attend as the final Show plans should be available, with last minute info available at the January 8<sup>th</sup> meeting, a week before the Show. Remember, the Show is January 19-20, 2013, with registration and setup on Friday, January 18<sup>th</sup>.

**Members need to do two things to participate in the carving competitions: be a paid-up member of the Club for 2013 and register your carvings.**

There is a single \$5 fee to compete in both the Judged Competition and People's Choice events.

All are urged to sign up for a table to display their work to the visiting public at the Show.

Bill Dewald is collecting 2013 dues and Greta Murphy is taking table reservations.

Bill Briggs announced that Jack Simpson, from our Tampa affiliate, will be demonstrating Dremel tools at the Show.

Carl Smith requested authority to buy a front trailer wheel to permit movement into and out of its storage location. Approval was granted.

## SHOW AND TELL

**Jack Stewart** showed a horse and rider in motion and a baseball pitcher in windup. Both were mounted and painted with acrylics.



**Richard Gage** had a pair of full sized ducks with detailed feathering, carved and woodburned.



**David Johnson** showed a couple designed by Harley Refsal in the Scandinavian flat plane style.



### TAMPA AFFILIATE

**Charlene Powers** has been scrolling for about 10 years. The Carousel is made of Poplar, Red Oak, and plywood. She is currently carving the animals from basswood.



**SHOW AND TELL** (photos recently provided from the Sept. meeting)

**Alan Anderson** showed and played a native American flute made of sumac.



**Don McKerrow** showed an intarsia tiger in Spanish cedar, aspen, walnut, and alder. This piece has been in progress all year.



### MISC. NOTES

The next Business meeting is on Tuesday, December 11, 2012 at the Seminole Rec. Center at 7 PM.

Dues payments for 2013 (\$15, made out to Suncoast Woodcarvers) can be sent to Bill Dewald at 9555 Commodore Dr., Seminole, FL 33776.

If you have any changes in your contact information (street address, email address, or phone number), please call Bill Dewald at 727-595-7542 or send updates by email to: [suncoast\\_woodcarvers@comcast.net](mailto:suncoast_woodcarvers@comcast.net)

A variety of information is available from our Club Website at

<http://suncoastwoodcarvers.com/index.htm>

Contact Webmaster Richard Samay with comments or corrections via the link on the website.

Thanks to Richard Samay, Bill Briggs, and Jack Simpson, and Charlene Powers for providing the photos for this edition of CHIPS.

Bill Dewald, Secretary