

# CLASS REGISTRATION

24th Annual

# SNOW DAZE CARVE IN

**DATE: APRIL 26-28, 2024**

Sponsored by Central Minnesota Woodcarvers Association of St. Cloud, MN

**LOCATION: Loyal Order of Moose Lodge**

1300 3rd St. N., Waite Park, MN 56387

**LODGING-** *Here are places to stay. Best to call ASAP to get the best prices.*

Best Western Kelly Inn - 320-252-0606

Americas Best Value - 320-252-8700

Grandstay Residential Suites - 320-251-5400

Hampton Inn & Suites - 320-252-4448

We have reserved a block of rooms at the Hilton Garden Inn - 550 Division St., Waite Park, MN 56387

Phone 320-640-7990. When calling for reservations, be sure to tell them you are with **Snow Daze Carving**, so you can get these rates. Pricing is: **\$149 a night**

**YOU NEED TO BOOK ROOMS ON OR BEFORE MARCH 18, 2024 for the Hilton Garden Inn ONLY.**



**A - CARICATURE CARVING- Bruce Ankeny**

Pick from a variety of roughouts: Santas, Pigs, Hippies, etc.

Cost: \$60.00 + Roughout

Skill level: Intermediate

Class size: 12

**B - HAND CARVE AND PAINT A ROOSTER CUTOUT- Ken Ramler**

A version available for all levels. Blanks are 7" to 14" tall and 1/2" to 2" thick basswood. Carver decides on amount of detail. Woodburner may be used to add detail. Paint supplied by instructor.

Cost: \$30 blank cost \$3 and up Skill: Beginner to Advanced Class size: 10-12



**C - PATRIOTIC EAGLE - Mary Kimball**

Relief carve, wood burn and paint this stunning patriotic eagle on a basswood bark on board. Includes pattern basswood bark on board and all painting supplies.

Cost: \$60.00

Skill level: Beginner to Advanced

Class size: 8

**D - OLD WORLD CHIP CARVING - Jan Jenson**

Learn to do *Old World Chip Carving* with 3 easy cuts! Rubber cement the pattern on and start carving right away. First, do a practice piece to learn the technique. Students then choose a small project to carve on, such as a napkin holder, coasters, small boxes, trivets, etc. Projects range in price from \$5-\$30. You will need a good chip carving knife. There are many designs to choose from. Jan will have her books and chip carving knives for sale.

Cost: \$35.00

Project Material \$5-\$30

Skill level: Beginner to Advanced

Class size: 6-12



**E - HOBO or FISHERMAN / WITCH or WIZARD - John Overby**

Carve a Hobo or Fisherman from one cutout or a Witch or Wizard from another cutout in Flat Plane style. **Tools** - Knife and v-tool. Will show you how to mix and paint your carving.

Cost \$40 + Roughout

Skill level: Intermediate to Advanced

Class size: 12



## F - CARICATURE CARVING- Rich Wetherbee

Rich has taught in many of the the 50 states. He is a member of the Caricature Carvers of America.

**Cost: \$70.00 + Roughout**

**Skill level: Intermediate to Advanced**

**Class size: 12**

## G - WOODSPIRITS- Chris Willock

Learn to carve these whimsical faces in bark. Step by step instruction on nose, mouth, eyes and hair techniques. Special instruction on expressions and finishing. Students will begin by creating their own wood spirit teaching aid and then work on several more projects during the weekend.

**Cost: \$20.00 average**

**Skill level: Beginner to Advanced**

**Class size: 12**



## H - PYROGRAPHY - Brenda Lodermeier

Brenda has been carving & working with pyrography for the past 13 years. She is an active member of the Central MN Woodcarvers Association and on the Board of Directors for the Rio Grande Woodcarving Show in Mission Texas. If you are a beginner or advanced pyrography student, this is the class for you.

Let's learn or renew the basics and work with different techniques, emphasizing your style and

completing projects on a variety of wood species. Instructor will discuss preparation of wood, patterns, and use of burners including variety of tips and cleaning.

Students are encouraged to bring additional lighting, graphite paper and their burning units. Many patterns and designs available.

Student may start with a barn project or bring one of their own. I have many patterns to choose from. Brenda is an authorized Colwood Dealer with burners, tips, wood and supplies for purchase.

**Cost: \$50.00**

**Skill Level: Beginner to Advanced**

**Class size: 10-12**



## I - CARVING SPOONS TO USE- Karen Henderson

Carving beautiful and useful spoons. Students will create truly unique spoons that are as functional as they are beautiful. The wood is carved green. There is a variety of hardwoods available: Buckthorn, Apple, Lilac and Mulberry. They all have a beautiful grain and unique color.

**Cost: \$35.00**

**Blanks: \$5 - \$10 each**

**Skill level: Beginner to Advanced**

**Class size: 10**



## J - BARK CARVING - Derek Epping

Make a light house or a whimsy house. You will need glove and a thumb guard. I use my knife, v-tool, u-gouge, number 3, 9, and bring your Woodburner. I use a sharpie to use instead of a pencil. If you have a small hand drill bring that, if not, I'll have a drill to use for the class. Bring a strap to strap your knives. Bring a cord just in case.

**Cost: \$30.00**

**Bark: \$10-\$30**

**Skill level: Beginner to Advanced**

**Class size: 10-12**

WOODCRAFT from Bloomington will be selling tools, supplies, etc.

***If you would like to pre-order tools, supplies, etc, call Tim at Woodcraft at 952-884-3634 and he will bring them to the carving seminar.***

Contact WAYNE NICOLOFF AT 612-750-8716 or email: wayne.nicoloff@gmail.com if you have any ?'s.



### K - CHIP CARVING - Bill Ness

We will start with a practice board to learn/practice basic skills including traditional, old world, and free form chip carving. Then we will progress to a selection of projects including ornaments, coasters, trivets and boxes. If you do not yet have a chip carving knife, I have knives you can try before you buy. If you would like a box, contact me first.

**Cost: \$30.00 average**      **Blanks: \$9 - \$40 each**  
**Skill level: Beginner to Advanced**      **Class size: 8**



### L - COTTONWOOD BARK WIMSEY CONSTRUCTION AND INTRODUCTION OF BARK-TECTURE ENHANCEMENT - Norm Minske

Individual project subject matter is very flexible, and may include rustic structures, churches, small castles, light houses, bar and out houses, etc. Projects complexity will be driven by the carvers skill and fairly short amount of carving time. Experienced Bark Carvers recommended, though not necessarily required. Additionally, instructor will be introducing a variety of optional Bark-a-ecture enhancements including opening doors, framed windows, single or multileveled decks and platforms, dormers, stairs/steps and structural bracing. Bark-a-ecture enhancements techniques are introduced using miniature milled lumber.

**Cost: \$50.00**      **Blanks: \$15 - \$35 each**      **Skill level: Experienced - proficient**  
**Class size: 10**



### M - CARICATURE CARVING - Floyd Rhadigan

Many roughouts to choose from. These are just a few.

**Cost: \$50**      **Blanks: \$18 to \$40**  
**Skill level: Beginner to Advanced**      **Class size: 12**



### N - FUR TRAPPER - Bob Lawrence

Students will carve a 8-10 inch basswood "fur trapper" with both arms at his side. Facial features and structure will be explained and stressed.

**Cost: \$45.00 includes finishing materials**  
**Skill level: Beginner to Advanced**      **Class size: 12**

### O - QUILTING and other FIBER ARTS - Marion Fischer

This class welcomes anyone who wants to work on a quilting or fiber arts project. Each student needs to bring their own project(s) to work on. I will provide an ironing board, iron, Best Press, cutting board and several quilting rulers for your use. There will also be a demonstration with fiber arts/quilting. Come join us for a great weekend together. Questions - text or call me at 507-828-5056 or email at dmfisher08@charter.net

**Cost: None**      **Skill level: Beginner to Advanced**      **Class size: 10**