



Triple C Carving Group Newsletter October 18th, 2023



33 Carvers attended today's meeting.

Important Note: Hall opens at 8:30 AM. The meeting will start at 9:00 AM. We have the Hall till 12:00 pm

Treasurer's Report:

We will report monthly to the members in attendance at the meeting near the beginning of each month.

Cookies:

Thank you to Keith G. and Gord for the goodies this week. Next week cookies will be brought by Ernst. Please sign up at the meeting for bringing cookies.

Guests:

Welcome to Murray Lincoln and Alida Lincoln.

Website:

Photos, etc, from this meeting have been uploaded to the website.

Business:

March 9th for Return of the Swans, possibility for the club to carve little swans and sell them at the event as a Triple C fundraiser.

Dennis will pursue a food serve certification. This is required for us to have access to the kitchen.

Spoon cut-outs are available for you to take for free, please help yourself. Cherry and Poplar.

Murray Lincoln spoke about his life and his involvement with OWCA, and he explained how he came to making wands. The class was well attended and all attendees were forewarned that this wand, the Elder Wand, is said to be the most powerful wand ever to have existed within Harry Potter's world.

Dan Phillips, former Triple C member, recently passed away. His name will be added to the Triple C memorial.

Tech talk:

Dennis explained that he used gorilla glue instead of carpenter's glue on the eyes of his rooster. This resulted in the eyes changing colour. Update: Rubbing alcohol dissolved the glue and the eyes have been salvaged.

If you are going to wait a bit before making your spoon, the wood can be kept green by soaking a paper towel in water, wringing it thoroughly, and then dip in vinegar. Place this damp papertowel in a sealed plastic bag with your spoon cut-out.

Upcoming Events:

Tentative mid-Nov. Wayne will present a fabricating bird legs and feet demonstration and training in November.

Tentative March 9th Return of the Swans at Lambton Heritage museum.

Christmas ornaments info:

Follow this link to Doug Linker's Youtube [Moravian star demo](#) (advance to about the ½ way point of the video to see the demo). Grab one of the cube cut-outs on the display table to make one for donation. Other Christmas cut-outs are also available. Icicle cut-outs are now also available. Eyelet screws are provided - please take as needed.

Finish the ornament any way you want or donate it unfinished and others will do the finishing (ie. paint, varnish).

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