



# Triple C Carving Group Newsletter

## April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025



25 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:** No report today.

**Cookies:** Thank you Keith G. for goodies this week. Next week is Susan and Judy.

**Guests:** Logan, a good friend of Rick H., came today to tell us that Rick H. is currently receiving end-of-life care at Marchall Gowland Manor. A card was circulated today for Rick H. and we thank Logan for informing us.

**Website:** Thank you to Dennis for keeping up the website during his absence and thank you to Susan for continuing to take photos for us.

**Business:** **Birthdays** – No birthdays this week.  
**Rosewood Manor** – Today we had a free raffle for 3 items of furniture which were donated to the club from Janet, a Rosewood resident that we met last week. She told us she had purchased the cabinet from Triple C back in the 1980's. Rick J. won the footstool, Doug C. won the child's chair, and Jennifer won the cabinet. Also, a Thank You card for Jim for his kind invitation to Rosewood was circulated today. Comfort birds were distributed at Rosewood last week. There were some extra's and these will be reserved for distribution at summer's 'Carving Under the Bridge'. A few were also set aside to contribute to Judy's Japan birds. We will hear more about Japan from Judy in the coming weeks.

**Forgotten carving on the display table** – As per our new tradition, Doug B's carving was fashioned into a stylish necklace. He is a good sport for wearing it today!

**Bark Carving Contest** – Reminder that the bark carving contest is in 2 weeks. It has been clarified that only bark carvings from this year's class are eligible for prizes, however everyone with a bark carving of any sort is encouraged to bring it in to display.

**Year-End BBQ** – Thank you to Ernie and Joan for offering to host our BBQ again this year. The timing will be June, same as last year. UPDATE: The BBQ date is Wed, June 11<sup>th</sup>. Please mark it in your calendar!

**True North Caricature Carving** – The next zoom meeting is tomorrow evening (Thursday, April 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:30PM). Here is the meeting link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82127418634?pwd=68e1HChjbLEiN49K7axrvnarUfyvUS.1>

Meeting ID: 821 2741 8634

Passcode: 630676

**Tech talk:**

Terry told us about carving bibs, something he learned about from a 1978 carving book he owns. He made a few extra's and these are available for free. Thank you Terry.

What is a carving bib? Picture a board of wood with a leather string hanging around your neck. Something like as shown below, however Terry's were much nicer.



**Upcoming Events:**

- April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2025** - Bark Carving Contest. There will be prizes!!
- May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025** - Tentative date for: Judy's Japan Connection.
- June 11<sup>th</sup>, 2025** - Year-End BBQ at Ernie and Joan's place.
- July 6<sup>th</sup> (1-4PM)** - Mooretown Museum Model Train Day, featuring Triple C carving display and demo.
- Upcoming shows** - Waterloo (June 6 - 8, 2025). Canadian National Wildfowl Carving Championship & Wood Art Competition.
  - Saginaw, MI (Aug 23, 2025).
  - Louisville, TN (Oct 1 - 5).

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