

Classes of Competition

Novice: Anyone that carves at the beginner level. Must not have won Best of Novice at our show. Instructor assisted, class projects and rough outs are allowed in all Novice categories.

Intermediate: Must not have won Best of Intermediate at our show. Instructor assisted, class projects and rough outs are allowed in all intermediate categories.

Open: Anyone may enter. Class projects and rough outs are **NOT** allowed in Open.

Youth: Anyone 16 years and under. Limit 2 carvings per person. No charge for Youth entries. First place ribbons to be awarded after entries.

Chainsaw: Anyone can enter. Carvings must fit in a 2 ft. square area and be no taller than 5 ft. tall. Carving must be able to be moved by hand or two wheeler. Prizes will be awarded.

Carvings such as Wood Spirits and Relief Carvings are required to have a stand.

Participants

Choose a Class then enter up to 3 entries per category (entries must be in good taste). Final decision as to Suitability, Class and Category is up to the Show Chairman.

Show Hours

Saturday, October 7 from 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM
Sunday, October 8, 12:00 PM to 4:00PM

Vendor/Table Setup Hours

Friday October 6, 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM
Saturday, October 7, 7:30 AM to 10:00 AM

Submission of Entries

Friday October 6, 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM
Saturday, October 7, 7:30 AM to 9:00 AM
Judging will take place starting at 9 AM, and doors will open at 10 AM or as soon as judging is done.

Booth Space

One 8' table is \$35.00

Carvers can display and sell their carvings by renting a table space. It is not necessary to rent a table to enter the competition

Carving supplies will be for sale by Smoky Mountain Woodcarvers Supply
(a 10% discount will be given on carving supplies to those renting tables)

Prizes

(Category and Ribbons)

Best of Open..... \$350.00
Best of Intermediate..... \$200.00
Best of Novice..... \$100.00
Peoples Choice..... \$50.00

Blue (First Place)..... \$10.00
Red (Second Place)..... \$5.00
White (Third Place)
Green (Honorable Mention)

For complete information about the Great Smoky Mountain Heritage Center, please visit their website at:
www.gsmheritagecenter.org
Or call (865) 448-0044

Admission to the Center and the Festival is only \$5.00 for adults.



7th Annual Smoky Mountain Woodcarving Festival (Show & Competition) October 7-8, 2017

Sponsored by

Smoky Mountain Woodcarving Assoc.
Smoky Mountain Woodcarvers Supply
Great Smoky Mountain Heritage Center
Ace Hardware (Townsend, TN)
Jeffries Wood Works

Show located at:

Great Smoky Mountain Heritage Center
(between the Townsend traffic light and the National Park Entrance on Hwy. 73
Townsend, TN 37882

For information about the Woodcarving Festival, Please contact Steve Baker at:
knotinwood@gmail.com
or call (865) 556-2946

Novice & Intermediate Categories

1. **Animals.*** Realistic, exactly proportional (must fall under the guidelines as per Rule 15.)
2. **Birds.*** Realistic
3. **Human Figures.*** Realistic, full body (exactly proportioned).
4. **Human Caricatures.*** Exaggerated.
5. **Animal Caricatures.*** Exaggerated.
6. **Wood Spirit Faces.** Carved in wood or bark.
7. **Walking Sticks and Canes.**
8. **Chip Carving.**
9. **Relief Carving.** Shallow and Deep
10. **Bark Houses.**
11. **Wood Burning.**
12. **Santa's.** Any Santa carving.
13. **Stylized Carvings.** Not realistic, general or implied details.
14. **Mixed Media.** A mixture of materials, such as, antler, bone, etc. (furniture will not be accepted).
15. **Miscellaneous.** Any carving that does not fall under any of the above listed categories.

Open Category

1. **Animals.*** Realistic, exactly proportional, any size.
2. **Animals Miscellaneous.*** Heads and Busts.
3. **Aquatic.*** Realistic.
4. **Song Birds.*** Realistic.
5. **Birds of Prey and Game Birds*.** Realistic.
6. **Waterfowl.*** Realistic, all forms.
7. **Birds Miscellaneous.*** Heads and Busts (any size).
8. **Human Figures.*** Realistic, full body (exactly proportioned).
9. **Human Caricatures.*** Exaggerated.
10. **Animal Caricatures.*** Exaggerated.
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13. **Relief Carving.** Shallow and Deep
14. **Wood Spirit Faces.** Carved in wood or bark.
15. **Santa's.** Any Santa carving.
16. **Walking Sticks and Canes.**
17. **Ornaments.**
18. **Bust.*** Any human carving. Shoulder up.
19. **Miniatures.** Must be in a 2" cube.
20. **Religious, Prehistoric, Mythical.**
21. **Wood Burning.** Flat surface (board).
22. **Found Wood.** Majority of piece must be carved.

23. **Bark Houses.**
24. **Mixed Media.** A mixture of materials, such, antler, bone, etc. (furniture will not be accepted).
25. **Miscellaneous.** Any carving that does not fall under any of the afore mentioned categories.

* Carved in the round.

Rules of the Competition

1. Entries must be carved by person entering.
2. Carvings must be wood but, glass eyes and metal feet are allowed.
3. Mailed or shipped carvings will not be accepted.
4. The show committee has the right to add, divide or delete categories as deemed necessary.
5. The judges reserve the right to award ribbons regardless of the number of entries in categories.
6. Entries are submitted at the sole discretion and sole risk of the owner. Security is provided, however, The Great Smoky Mountain Heritage Center, Smoky Mountain Woodcarvers Association and the shows sponsors are not responsible for the loss or damage of carvings.
7. All visible names on carvings must be covered.
8. Group carvings must be mounted on a single base. For judging purposes, the dominant subject will determine the category in which the multi subject group will be placed.
- 9 Ribbons from previous shows or descriptions cannot be displayed.
10. Carvings entered in competition will remain in the competition room and cannot be removed until the show is over at 4:00 on Sunday.
11. Carvings must be picked up at this time.
12. Judges decisions are final.
13. Smoky Mountain Woodcarvers Assoc. has final decision over any and all competition related questions.
14. Carvings entered in competition must have been completed in last two years.
15. Due to limited space all carvings must be no more than 18" square at the base and no taller than 30".

Smoky Mountain Woodcarving Festival Registration Form

October 7-8, 2017

Class (check one) Novice Intermediate Open Youth Chainsaw

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-Mail _____

First carving \$10.00 (additional entries \$3.00 each) \$ _____

Number of additional carvings \$ _____

Number of booth spaces requested (\$35.00 per 8ft table space) _____ x \$35.00 = \$ _____

Grand Total \$ _____

Make checks payable to: **Smoky Mountain Woodcarvers Assoc.**

Mail Payment to: **Dean Irving**

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