



# Waldorf WoodCarving XX

July 15 -17, 2011

Waldorf College, Forest City, Iowa

Sponsored by North Iowa Woodcarvers Guild—Titonka, Iowa

## CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

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**The purpose of Waldorf WoodCarving is to give woodcarvers an opportunity to get together with other carvers and refine their skills by spending two days taking classes offered in various styles of carving.**

PLEASE NOTE: There are several classes offered for non-carvers.

**1. WILDLIFE RELIEF CARVING**                      2+ days                      Fri eve, Sat. & Sun                      **Shirley Meng**

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Shirley is from Yankton, SD. She will be teaching Wildlife **Low Relief Carving** with details woodburned and then finished using watercolor pencils. New this year is a combo deep and low relief, a barn with a fox chasing a rabbit, a pheasant scene with a dog, along with other scenes of deer, buffalo and more. Size 9" x 12". Students should bring a large V tool and a large gouge #3 or #5 sweep, woodburner and tips. You will need additional lighting. Watercolor pencils will be provided for student use. May borrow a burner (1 of 2) if student doesn't have one. Material cost is **\$25** for one basswood board. **Bring a light.**

SKILL LEVEL: All levels of carvers

CLASS SIZE: 8-10

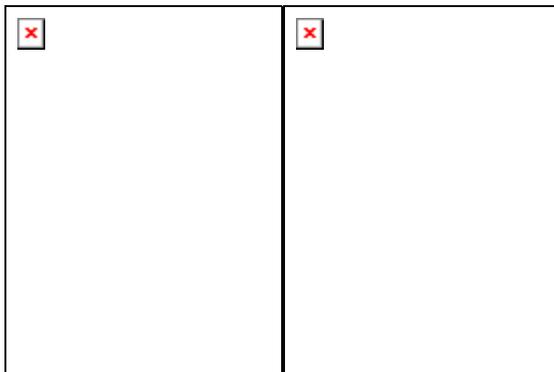
**2. CIVIL WAR BUST**                      2+ days                      Fri eve, Sat. & Sun                      **Roger Beane**

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Roger will instruct a Confederate or Union soldier bust in honor of the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Civil War. He will use a practice block to work on face detail before they are put on the bust. A lot of time will be spent on eyes and hair. This project can also be used as a bottle stopper. Tools needed: knife, #3 3/4" gouge, 1/4" and 1/8" V-tool, Dockyard set of gouges, #11 3, 5, and 7 mm gouges. Blank, practice block, pattern, pamphlet on doing faces, paint, brushes and stain will be provided. Cost \$40. **Bring a light.**

SKILL LEVEL: Anyone

CLASS SIZE: 10 - 12



**3. TREENWARE**                      2+ days                      Fri eve, Sat. & Sun.                      **Karen Henderson**

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Karen is from St. Francis, Minnesota. There are ancient traditions in Scandinavia of carving a spoon for someone you care about. This class is reviving the folk art and will allow you to produce beautiful, durable, and useable wooden ware for your own culinary pleasure. We will be working with hardwoods, kept "green" to keep them soft enough to carve with hand tools. We will start with a butter spreader and move on to carving an eating or serving spoon. Sanding & finishing materials will be available. Wood blanks available include buckthorn, lilac, apple, and maple at a cost of \$5-\$15.

**Tools Needed:** Sharp Palm gouges, knife, carving glove. **Bring a light.**

SKILL LEVEL: Advanced Beginner

CLASS SIZE: 10-12

**4. CHIP CARVING**                      2+ days                      Fri eve, Sat. & Sun.                      **Wayne Gildseth**

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Wayne joins us from Red Oak, IA and will be instructing in the Swiss style of chip carving. The selection of objects and designs to be carved will reflect the skill level of the student. Basic fee of \$15 will cover a chip carving booklet, practice board, and finishing materials. Tools needed: chip carving knife, honing board, sandpaper (400, 600, 800 and 1000 grit) pencil and a plastic ruler. A variety of objects will be available for purchase: plates, boxes, crosses, angels, ornaments, chip carving knives, honing boards, lacquer finish, graphite paper, and sand paper. Cost will range from \$25 - \$75 depending on number and types of items each student elects to purchase. **Bring a light.**

SKILL LEVEL: All Levels

CLASS SIZE: 8 - 12

**5. CAROUSEL ANIMAL**                      2+ days                      Fri. Eve, Sat. & Sun.                      **Larry Longtine**

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Larry Longtine returns to Waldorf with Carousel animals. A lion, rooster, giraffe and horse will be available. Heads, legs and body are band-sawn separately. Some parts will be glued before class; pole and base are included with each kit. You will choose which project you want at the beginning of the class. Models and reference material will be available. Basswood blank is approximately 7" long. Tools needed: sharp bench knife and a variety of palm tools. Cost per blank: \$30. **Bring a light.**

SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate

CLASS SIZE: 10-12



**6. CARICATURE BONANZA**                      2+ days                      Fri. eve, Sat. & Sun                      **Lloyd Meng**

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Lloyd, from Yankton, S.D. will offer students many choices of in-the-round projects. New this year is a Black smith caricature. He is 9" tall dressed in blue jeans and long apron. He has a hammer in one hand, a plow share in the other. Lloyd will offer friends from the past such as the Riverboat Captain, Hobo, Doctor & Nurse, Golfer, Baker, Pirate, Teacher. Blanks cost \$25. Tools needed: sharp bench knife and a variety of palm gouges.

SKILL LEVEL: All levels **Bring a light.**

CLASS SIZE: 10-12

**7. ACANTHUS**

2+ days

Fri eve, Sat. & Sun

**Izo Becic**

Izo Becic, a native of Bosnia, has been carving since the age of 14. He has instructed Acanthus classes at both Wahpeton & Snow Daze, Doane, and Branson Mo. Students have a choice of projects. Izo will be offering a 24" shelf, a clock with a new design, a 36" shelf, and a 36" oak leaves shelf.

**Cost: \$55 Tools Needed:** Various large gouges, mallet, & clamps. Izo will have a few loaner tools available & will advise you on the correct gouges to purchase for the projects. Izo will also have gouges available for purchase.

SKILL LEVEL: Anyone

CLASS SIZE: 12

**8. STYLIZED MUSKIE/NORTHERN**

2+ days

Fri eve, Sat. & Sun

**Darwin Berry**

Darwin is from Hayward, WI and Naples, FL and has been carving for 20 years. He will be instructing a 12" upright fish on a base in butternut.

Tools needed: #5, #7, #9 gouges about 1/2" wide, bench and detail knife. Also sanding sponges, coarse, medium and fine. Finishing materials will be furnished. Cost \$40.

SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate or above

**Bring a light.**

CLASS SIZE: 10



**9. BEN THE TROLL**

2+ days

Fri eve, Sat. & Sun

**Lee Olson**

Lee has been carving since '92 and taught classes at Metro and Snowdaze Weekends Lee likes to make his carving come alive with action or expression and will help students learn to do the same. Ben is a cute, mischievous young troll with an expression to match and makes you wonder what he's been up to, maybe letting the cattle out of the barn. Tools needed: sharp bench knife and palm tools. Cost: \$20 **Bring a light.**

SKILL LEVEL: Anyone

Class Size:

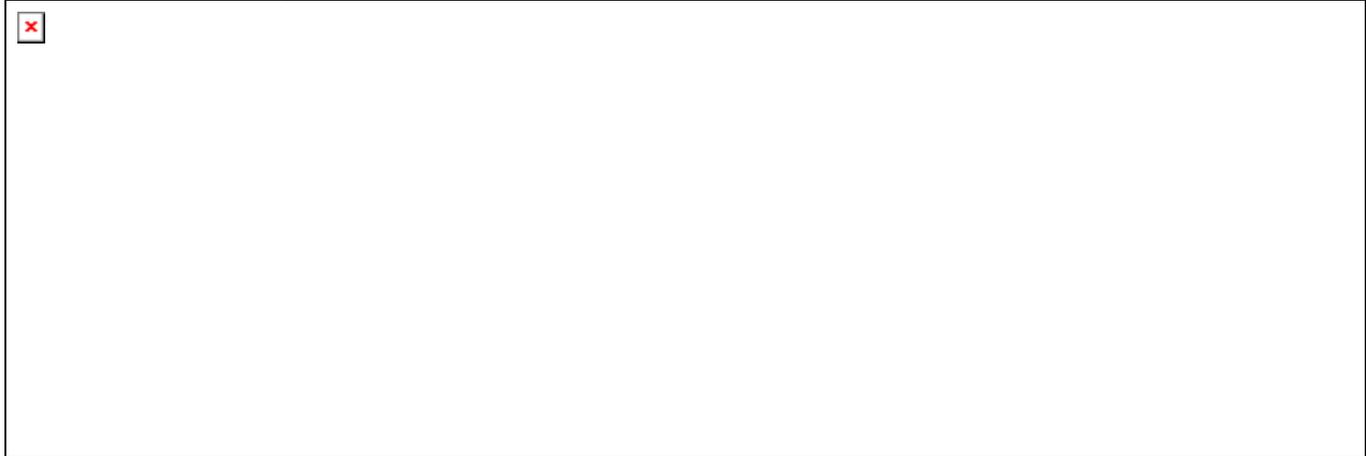


**10. WHITE TAIL BUCKS**    2+ days   Fri eve, Sat. & Sun **Al Gerads**

Al is a member of Central MN Wood Carvers of St. Cloud, MN and has taught in several workshops. He will instruct a walking, leaping or standing 8 point buck from an 8" basswood blank. The antlers are a wireframe, to be covered and textured by you, then assembled on the body. This surprisingly easy project includes: blank, antler frame, cover materials, eyes and base. Cost: \$26 Tools need: safety glove, sharp knife, and small gouges and a woodburner. **Bring a light.**

SKILL LEVEL: Anyone

CLASS SIZE: 10



**11. WOOD SPIRITS & WALKING STICKS**    2+ days   Fri. eve, Sat., Sun **Chris Whillock**

Three classes in one! First, you'll create a woodspirit practice stick learning the step-by-step process for eyes, nose, mouth and hair. Then, use what you've learned to carve on your own spirit face in cottonwood bark discovering even more techniques. Finally, you'll create your own wood spirit walking stick, a weekend full of learning! Tools needed: glove, knife and basic palm tools. Tools and supplies available for use or purchase. Chris travels throughout the Midwest teaching woodcarving workshps, he is the current editor of Carving Magazine. His web site is [www.spiritcarving.com](http://www.spiritcarving.com). **Bring a light!**

SKILL LEVEL: Anyone

CLASS SIZE: 18

**12. CARVER'S CHOICE**    2+ days   Fri. eve,Sat., Sun **Tim Rundall**

Tim is from Urbandale, Iowa, and is a woodcarving instructor, a show judge, and has won numerous Best of Show & Carvers' Choice awards. He is the owner of The Woodchip Shop and is one of our vendors at Waldorf Woodcarving XX, This year you will have your choice of several projects. Santas from a Rough-Out, Bark Carving (Faces, Houses, In The Round), Face Carving, Ornaments, Grinch Candle Holder, Relief, Woodburning and more. Tim hopes to have something for everyone. If you have a special request, contact him at [woodchipshop@mchsi.com](mailto:woodchipshop@mchsi.com) or 515-283-2171. Cost for materials is \$50. **Bring a light.**

SKILL LEVEL: Intermediate/Advanced

CLASS SIZE: 10



**WOODCHIP SHOP**-Tim Rundall is providing woodcarving supplies from his store in Des Moines. His shop is set up in the Atrium.

### SHOW AND TELL

Students and instructors are encouraged to bring completed pieces for show and tell. We will have a special table set up in the Atrium for display the Show and Tell items. John Krantz and Tim Rundall will be sponsoring a special “Show and Tell” competition. The theme will be a “open category”. John and Tim will be the judges. A separate table will be set aside for those wishing to enter carvings to be judged. Open to everyone.

### HOW TO FIND US AT FOREST CITY, IOWA, & WALDORF COLLEGE



1. Waldorf College
2. Student Center-this is where to register