



The Orange County Scroll February, 2009 Orange County Scroll Saw Association

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President's Message



Congratulations to our very own, Emil Welden, who is the new California Ambassador for SAW! Way to go Emil! In his new position he will be a liaison for SAW within California. Emil will call SAW members in California and discuss the type of scrolling they prefer and find out if they would like to see something added to SAW programs. Emil will be opening up the lines of communications between the members and the Board of Directors of SAW. Emil, we are all very proud of your appointment and are thrilled that you are a member of the Orange County Scroll Saw Association.



Emil

This year, we would like to visit the other five scroll saw associations in Southern California at one of their regular meetings. We can all learn from one another and it is a good way to get to know other scrollers in the area. Our first visitation is scheduled for Saturday, February 14th. We will be meeting in the Tustin Senior Center parking lot and carpooling to the Regular Cut Ups meeting in San Diego. We will leave at 8 AM sharp! Chuck will drive and has room for 3 or 4 others. Let him know if you will be going and if you can drive. Pat Kowalke is their club's new president and she has the head judge of the San Diego Fair scroll saw entries speaking on what he looks for in a winning entry. Let's all try to go and show our support for Pat and get to know a few of our fellow scrollers. We will all be back in time to get cleaned up and take our Valentine's out to dinner.



Pat

January Program



Jerry Carter, Vice President, Sales and Marketing for Grex Tools explained what to look for when selecting an airbrush tool. In addition, he donate some super items for the raffle. The way he explains it, it's not that difficult especially if using one of the tools he represents. Total cost for an entire setup about 400.00. His talk was recorded on 2 DVD's and will be a included in the club library for check out.

February Program

In our continuing quest to improve our skills as scrollers, Larry Olsen has lined up another outstanding speaker for our February meeting. Dave Wade will be talking to us about sanding and has promised to deliver a very informative presentation. Now before you groan, and especially if you think sanding is as exciting as watching paint dry, come to the meeting and you will learn more about sanding than you ever thought possible. Those who attend will learn how to take their scrolling projects to the next level. Dave is a multiple award winner in the San Diego and Orange County Fairs and runs his own woodworking business in Orange. He is an artist who knows what it takes to finish a project for competition and is a kind hearted man who is eager to share his woodworking knowledge with the rest of us. This is a meeting you do not want to miss.

Dave has many wood working skills and has offered this as one of the Tips Of The Month.

When planning a board to thickness plane from both sides and save the middle (turn the board over with each pass). This should help to stabilize the wood from warping as much.

Toy Program

From Don Borchardt

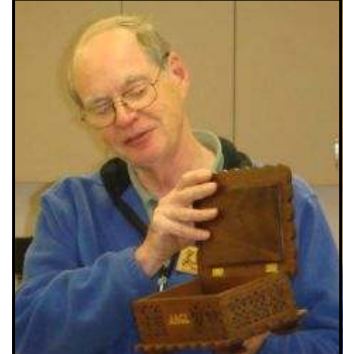
We have decided to hold the next toy workshop at my house on Saturday, February 28th starting at about 9:00a.m. Please signup at the next meeting or call Don since this is a special accommodation to those who cannot attend mid-week. Also, attendance is needed for the lunch program.

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Mark Your Calendars

February 14: Visit to Regular Cut-ups meeting.
May 1-3: Woodworking show at Ontario Convention Center
June 7: Tustin Chili Cook-off and Street Fair.
June 12-July 5: San Diego County Fair
July 10-August 9: Orange County Fair.

Show & Tell January



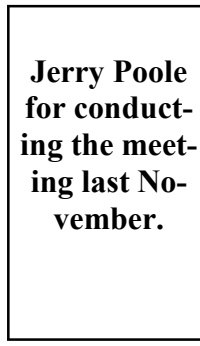
Show And Tell Notes

Show and Tell. One of our members suggested that during show and tell that we tell the types of woods we used in our project, where we got the pattern and what lessons we learned while completing the project. This is a great idea and one that started at our January meeting.

More Awards



Ron Posten
Certificate of
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Workshop.



Jerry Poole
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It Pays to Listen

This month's quote comes to us from a conversation overheard at Rockler's in Orange. "You can never have too many clamps, but you can have too many vices!"

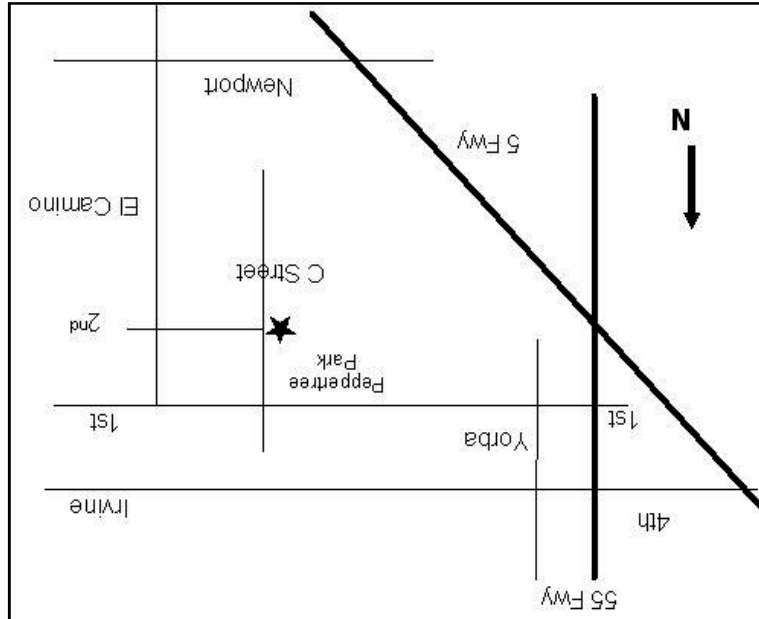
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Next meeting:
Thursday, February 12,
Tustin Community Center
200 S. "C" St.
Tustin.
7:00p. to 9:00p.



The Orange County Scroll Saw Association meets every second Thursday of the month. Our purpose is to promote, teach and share in the fun and fellowship of scroll sawing. Our club is open to all who have an interest in scroll sawing and at all skill levels from beginner to expert.

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