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MAY 16, 2020 – CANCELLED
3RD SATURDAY

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**MEETING LOCATION: Winona Grange #271,
8340 SW Seneca Street Tualatin, OR**
<http://www.winonagrang271.org/>

BRING TOOLS AND A PROJECT. PRESENTATION –
RON TYRRELL – USING AN ADZE
BARBARA SUMMER – MAKING A BASKET

HOT WATER FOR COFFEE AND TEA PROVIDED BY WWA.
SNACKS PROVIDED BY MEMBERS

**2020 CARVING SHOWS – ALL ARE CANCELLED
SO FAR**

PRESIDENT CHIPS

I sent out a survey to all WWA members on email to see if they wanted to meet in May. I got several replies with the majority saying NO. VP Jim Mishler was a yes and I was a whatever. At any rate I made the decision to cancel. Governor Brown has declared July 6 to maybe allow gatherings. So it looks like June will be cancelled also. I trust all of you are holding up well and getting a lot of carving done. I asked for members to share their carvings and only Jerry Boone provided some photos. Let me know what your are up to and I will post in the next newsletter. Stay safe – stay healthy.



RONALD A. WILLIAMSON March 30 1947 – February 20 2020

Ron joined WWA in the late 90's. My claim to fame was getting him started. He did a carpenter project for me and saw my carvings. We did a small angel ornament together. He met with several club members to learn their skills and became very proficient in the subjects he chose. He became an expert Eagle Head carver and Native American Flute maker. He also did Marquetry. He was an Army Vietnam veteran. He did many volunteer carpentry projects for his church. Ron's smiling face will be missed at our club gatherings and his participation in woodcarving shows.

NEXT ISSUE: If you have any information or items you want to share with the readership, send them to Tony Rizzutto by e-mail or by snail mail (12805 SW Watkins, Tigard, OR 97223) MAY 29 2020

EMAIL FROM MEMBER LARRY WADE

Tony - could you include this information in your next newsletter? The Guild is experimenting with Zoom as a tool for helping teach and I've scheduled four free meetings each Thursday in May at 1:00 on four different carving related topics. Chuck Rinehart will be the focus person but the meetings are intended to also be a conversation. I have no idea how many will attend. Each session is nominally an hour but could go longer.

ONLINE CARVING CHATS WITH CHUCK

Join us for free hour-long meetings to explore how online learning could work.

Thursdays, 1:00 PM, nominally one hour

Weekly on May 7, 14, 21, 28

Register by [clicking here](https://guildoforegonwoodworkers.wildapricot.org/event-3825810) (<https://guildoforegonwoodworkers.wildapricot.org/event-3825810>)

You will be emailed the Zoom meeting link two days before each meeting

Weekly topics will be Signs, Lettering, Borders, Tools & Sharpening

We don't know how practical or desirable it will be to learn this way, but we need to start somewhere. We want to build experience using this technology, gauge interest and provide some content.

Chuck Rinehart is our resident expert carving instructor and has been teaching the topics above for three years.

For questions contact Larry Wade, lpwade@gmail.com, 503-312-7745.

AN ANNOUNCEMENT PLACED ON OUR WEB SITE - I declined to be on his mailing list but check it out for your personal preference

[Nancy Napurski Grove](#) commented on [Welcome!](#)

MEETING: 9a.m. to Noon MARCH 21, 2020 - CANCELLED DUE TO VIRUS MEETING LOCATION: Winona Grange #271, 8340 SW Seneca ...

Scott Grove, master craftsman, is offering a wide variety of IRD (interactive remote demonstration) classes, and we'd love to get you on our mailing list. Can you please send me an appropriate email address?

Please visit his educational website at ImagineGrove.com, and his personal site at ScottGrove.com for more information.

Thank you.

My email is info@easyinlay.com

Nancy Napurski Grove

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**CARVINGS BY
JERRY BOONE**

