

HOUSTON AREA WOODCARVERS

Newsletter

President's Message

HAWC is now entering a new year. We have reached the first meeting of 2022. We will be meeting at Bayland Community Center January 22 from 9 am to 2 pm. If you check the 2022 calendar, you will notice that January 22 is the fourth Saturday of the month. The meeting was moved from the third Saturday due to MLK activities at Bayland. We will be back on the third Saturday meeting schedule starting in February and continuing through the rest of the year. We finished 2021 in the traditional HAWC style with excellent participation in the December carving gift exchange featuring Santa Claus. As we move into the

year, it's time to plan the monthly carving classes. If you are interested in teaching a class this year, there will be a signup sheet at the January meeting. The sheet will have a place for month, name and carving project. For the January meeting, Lance Rath will teach a tool sharpening class. The class should be of interest to most of our members. It will include techniques for putting a sharp edge on your knives and carving tools. It's important to note as we enter the new year it's time to start collecting HAWC dues. Our treasurer will be on hand to accept your dues for 2022. Here's a note of considerable interest to our membership. Lorraine

Lewis was transferred last week to the West Oaks Nursing Home and Rehab facility in Houston.

It was good to see JoAn Brueggeman at the December meeting participating in the annual gift exchange,

Overall, our monthly attendance was holding steady at a reasonably good number as 2021 closed. Nevertheless, there was room for improvement for us to return to the pre-covid number. The January meeting is good time to start closing the attendance gap.

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Gift Exchange and Other Fun













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The Houston Area Woodcarvers meet from 9am-2pm on the 3rd Saturday of the month at the Bayland Park Community Center, 6400 Bissonnet St., Houston, TX 77074.

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