

Houston Area Wood Carvers 2016 Fall Show
Carving Categories

All competition will be entered as Open category carvings, except for Rough Outs and Instructor Assisted carvings.

Entries carved from 'Rough Outs' will have a suffix 'A' following the number. Entries carved with Instructor assistance will have a suffix 'B' following the number.

1. Caricature (distortion or exaggeration of features) in round, single, or group
2. Realistic Human—single or group in the round
3. Animals or Dinosaurs (realistic)—in the round, single or group.
4. Fish
5. Reptiles, Amphibians
6. Wildfowl/Birds (realistic)

- 301 Song Birds
- 302 Birds of Prey
- 303 Ducks, Loons, Grebes
- 304 Shore Birds
- 305 Decoys (ducks, confidence decoys)
- 306 Game Birds
- 307 Miniature less than ½ size

7. Botanical (Plants, Trees, Flowers) realistic
8. Chip Carving
9. General (No distinction between Expert and Novice)

- 501 Carved in Bark-Open
- 502 Relief
- 503 Wood Burning – Open
- 504 Miniature less than ½ size
- 505 Miniature (no bigger than 2" Cube including base)- Open
- 506 Abstract of Stylized (free form subjects without detail)
- 507 Mythical, Religious, Kachina Dolls, Wizards, Gnomes, Angels
- 508 Santas
- 510 Canes and Walking Sticks

Miscellaneous (does not fit any other category)