

Meeting Place: **Senior Center**, (in front of Marion Diehl Center on Tyvola Road).  
**We meet & carve every Monday night!**

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### All About.... Karl Munn

Club member since: 1980's  
Carving since: Boy Scouts  
Occupation: Part-time, small business owner, emblems, patches, appliques.

Karl carves strictly for fun & relaxation. "It soothes the soul to make a few chips."

Goals Karl would like to achieve this year as our club president, are (1) Get the club organized administratively & hold elections annually. (2) Operate according to the budget. (3) Increase membership & interest. (4) To encourage the board to provide strong support for a successful Showcase. (5) To increase our public awareness through our newly updated website.

### Club Missions

This is a wonderful opportunity to share one of the missions of our club. To promote & to provide activities that allow, display & exhibit woodcarvings and their creation to the general public for enjoyment and entertainment.

### Club Picnic

We had a great turnout at our "picnic" on July 17<sup>th</sup>. There was a lot of great food and good company. We appreciate **Nancy Murray** for organizing it. We have had several visitors at our meetings over the past month. Several are students from Butler High School. They found out about us from **Judy Leftwich** at the Matthews Farmer's Market. Judy displays and carves every month and would love to have some of our members join her. It's great exposure for the club and a chance to display your carvings. You can also sell. If you're interested, please give Karl a call at 704-358-8020.

### COMING EVENTS

**Sept. 22-24, Helen Gibson** will hold a **workshop** at **Grace United Methodist Church**. If you are interested, please contact **Anne Davis** at 704-523-6384.

**Sept. 29-Oct. 1**, Pigeon Forge, Tn, 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Dollywood Woodcarving Showcase.

**Oct. 21**, Lexington, NC. Davidson County Woodcarvers annual show & competition during the Lexington BBQ Festival.

**Oct. 28**, Hickory, NC. Catawba Valley Wood Carvers judged competition and sale.

### What would YOU like to see in the Newsletter?

**Dana Mims** would love to hear from you regarding things you would like to see in the Newsletter.

Everyone would like to know some "tricks of the trade" and each of you have things to share. If there's something you would like to know more about let me know and I'll ask for people to share. *Chip Chaps* has great "how to's" and articles that we can print. If you read something of interest in any book, magazine, etc., I'd love to print it so everyone can benefit. Just be sure to give credit to the author, etc.

Please send this information to our P.O. Box listed at the top of the newsletter.

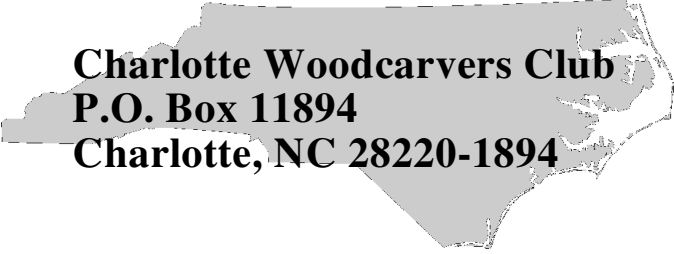
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### Wood for Sale!

**Mark Mire** has large blocks of carving wood for sale. Call him @ 704-554-9739.

### Chip Chats – Back Issues - Free

Barbara Connor has back issues starting as far back as the mid-'80's. She will bring them to the meetings for members to take.

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