

**North Texas Woodcarvers Guild**

**President:** David Borg  
**Vice President:** Al Smith  
**Treasurer:** Ron Reeves  
**Newsletter Editor:** Paul DeMars  
**2011 Show Chair:** *open*

**Meeting: May 13, 2010**

Monthly meetings at the Fretz Recreational center, located at 6950 Beltline Rd. Meets occur on the second Thursday of every month from 7:30 PM to 9:00 PM.

**Next Meeting: June 10, 2010**

Input for the NTWG Newsletter must get to the Editor by the Monday of the week before the meeting. We will print information on items you might want to sell, instruction you may be giving at your studio or at group seminars, or other information that may be of interest to our membership. Input should be in writing via US mail or electronic via email. You may also contact the editor for input/comments at: Paul DeMars, 709 Juniper Dr, Allen, Tx 75002, ph. 972-971-2491, or email me at: [pdemars@sbcglobal.net](mailto:pdemars@sbcglobal.net).

**APRIL MEETING MINUTES:**

**Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order by Vice President Al Smith.

**Attendance:** Al Smith, Mike & Bev Chambers, Walter Wharton, Doug Sandling, Stan Kirtley, Ron Reeves, Bernice Reeves, Ray North, Don Smith, Dean Walden, Bob McIver, Bill Lacy, Paul Wellborn and Paul DeMars.

**Old Business**

- Treasurers Report
  - The 2010 Show returned earnings of \$316.74.
  - The club's insurance policy has been paid.
  - Club dues are due, see list below for who has paid or not.

**New Business**

- 2011 Show
  - The deposit of \$1300 has been paid to the Grapevine Convention Center.
  - It was approved that Richard Finch, of The Texas Wildfowl Club, will judge the bird categories.
  - Additional categories for bird carvings will be created.
  - We still need Show Chair Person(s).
  - Paul Wellborn has created a website for the club: <http://ntxwoodcarverguild.com>. Please let Paul know how much we appreciate what he has done.

**IN MEMORY OF TOM NELSON:**

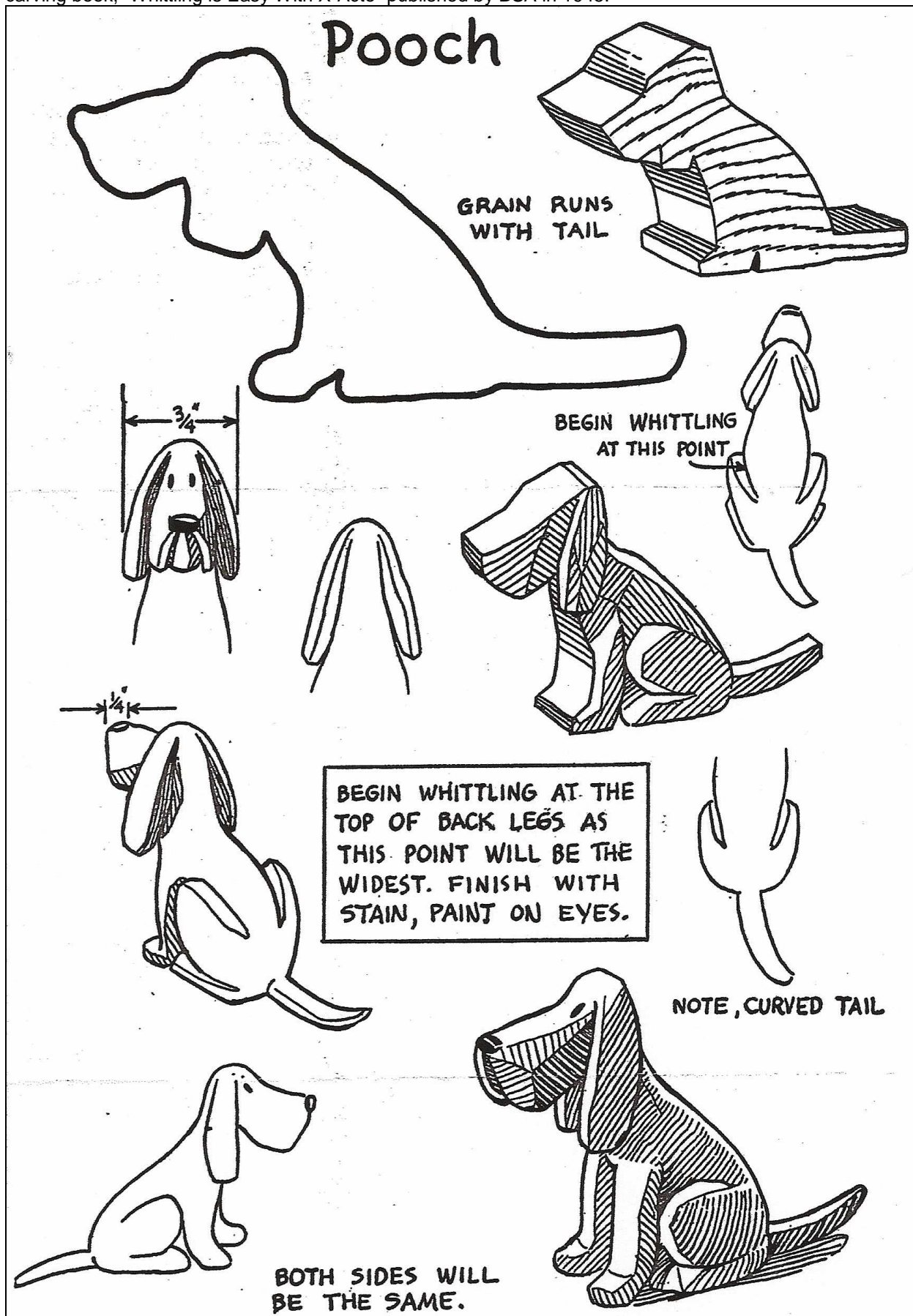
Tom Nelson was born in Daphne, Ala. July 20, 1926 and passed Saturday, April 24, 2010. Tom was an accomplished carver and an excellent judge. He judged the North Texas Woodcarvers Guild show many times and people were very pleased with his judging. We will truly miss Tom as a friend, carver and judge. Helen, his wife and a large extended family survives him and we pray for peace and understanding for them. God Bless them all.

**MEETING PROJECT:**

Ron presented the April project which was hearts.



Paul will present the May project which is a dog as shown below. Thank you Al for this project. It is from a Boy Scout carving book, "Whittling is Easy With X-Acto" published by BSA in 1945.



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**UPCOMING MEETING PROJECT SCHEDULE:**

The current schedule is:

May	Paul DeMars	November	Walter Wharton
June	Dean Walden	December	Christmas party
July	Mike Chambers	January	Bob McIver
August	Ray North	February	
September	Stan Kirtley	March	
October	Paul Wellborn	April	

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**2010 MEMBER DUES:**

The dues for 2010 must be paid by May 31<sup>st</sup>. Anyone who has not paid by that time will be taken off of the membership roster.

If you have not paid your dues please see Ron at this months meeting or mail it to him at:

Ron Reeves  
6707 Pimlico Dr  
Dallas, Tx 75214-1655

The following is the Treasurer's record of who has paid their 2010 dues as of the April meeting. An "X" indicates the dues have been paid:

Jack Allen		Wayne Hindman		Peggy Pierce	
David Borg		John & MichelleHolmes	X	Dirk Porter	X
Thurston Bridges		Larry Hulsey		Max Porter	X
Floyd Brigdon		Bobby Justiss	X	Ron & Bernice Reeves	X
Andy Broiles		Dennis Keelan		Larry Robinson	
Fred Caldwell		Sarah Kendrick	X	Doug Sandling	X
Bob Case		Bill Killian	X	Richard Schaub	
Mike & Bev Chambers	X	Robert Kirksey		Don Smith	X
Frank Chavez		Stan Kirtley	X	Alan Smith	X
Fred Copeland		Bill Lacy	X	Dan & Pat Stephens	
Tommy Deeds		John Laffey	X	Johnny Stevens	
Dallas Deege		Sean McGrath	X	Linda Stockstill	X
Paul DeMars	X	Jim McGrath	X	Bud Tabor	X
Chuck Dominy	X	Robert McIver	X	Otis Thomas	X
Ron Dorst		Randy Moore		Debon Thorton	X
Mark & Louise Duval		Ed Moore	X	John Vasek	
Mark & Linda Eskew	X	Flo Morrison	X	Dean Walden	X
Richard & Jill Finch	X	Lynn Nash		George Walkup	
Ron Fox		Helen Nelson		Paul Wellborn	X
Tom Goetzinger		Dick & Joan Nelson	X	Walter Wharton	X
Sonny Griffin	X	Ray North	X		
Dick Hamilton		Carol Phillips			

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**UP COMING EVENTS:****2010**

**April 5-9: Glen Rose, Texas** – "Spring Rally": 5-9 Bird Carving, 10-11 Show, 12-16 Beginner and Advanced Classes.

**June 18-19: Tulsa, Oklahoma** - 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Wonderful World of Wood. Friday 10 am - 8 pm & Saturday 10 am – 5 pm. Contact Bill Payne 918-251-8734 [Wudcrvr@cox.net](mailto:Wudcrvr@cox.net)

**September 24-25: Big Spring, Texas** – Mustang Draw Woodcarvers' 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Contest & Show "Sculpture in Wood". 9 am – 5 pm at the Dora Roberts Community Center, 100 Whipkey Drive, Big Spring, Texas 31st Annual Show and Sale Baxter County Fairgrounds. For more information email [lloydmdwcsec@yahoo.com](mailto:lloydmdwcsec@yahoo.com).

**Oct 1-2: Houston, Texas** - Houston Area Woodcarvers Show and Sale. For more information contact Pete Reittinger at (281) 395-5735, Email: [pknk77494@yahoo.com](mailto:pknk77494@yahoo.com) or go to <http://www.houstonareawoodcarvers.com/>

**Oct 2-3: Mandeville, Louisiana** – Louisiana Wildfowl Carving and Collectors Guild's 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual "Louisiana Wildfowl Festival" 8:00 am to 6:00 pm & 9:00 am to 4:00 pm at Pelican Park, Casteen Center, Mandeville, La. For more information go to [www.lwccg.org](http://www.lwccg.org)

**October 7-15: Kerrville, Texas** - Texas Woodcarving Guild Fall Extravaganza. For more information contact Bill Bang at 830-367-3304 or see [www.texaswoodcarversguild.com](http://www.texaswoodcarversguild.com)

Setup: 7<sup>th</sup>; Judging 8<sup>th</sup>; Show 9-10; Class Registration & Setup 10<sup>th</sup>; Classes 11-15.

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**October 30-31: Oklahoma City, Oklahoma** – Oklahoma City Woodcarvers Club's 44<sup>th</sup> Annual "Artistry in Wood". Guild Fall Extravaganza. For more information call 405-255-6168, email [redalke@gmail.com](mailto:redalke@gmail.com) or go to [okcarver.org/artistry.htm](http://okcarver.org/artistry.htm)

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**2011**

**April 17-23: Kerrville, Texas** - Texas Woodcarving Guild Spring Classes. For more information contact Bill Bang at 830-367-3304 or see [www.texaswoodcarversguild.com](http://www.texaswoodcarversguild.com)  
Pre-registration & Setup: 17<sup>th</sup>; Classes 18-23.

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**September 15-25: Kerrville, Texas** - Texas Woodcarving Guild Fall Extravaganza. For more information contact Bill Bang at 830-367-3304 or see [www.texaswoodcarversguild.com](http://www.texaswoodcarversguild.com)  
Setup: 15<sup>th</sup>; Judging 16<sup>th</sup>; Show 17-18; Class Registration & Setup 18<sup>th</sup>; Classes 19-25

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**2012**

**April 29-May 5: Kerrville, Texas** - Texas Woodcarving Guild Spring Classes. For more information contact Bill Bang at 830-367-3304 or see [www.texaswoodcarversguild.com](http://www.texaswoodcarversguild.com)  
Pre-registration & Setup: 29<sup>th</sup>; Classes 30-5.

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**September 13-21: Kerrville, Texas** - Texas Woodcarving Guild Fall Extravaganza. For more information contact Bill Bang at 830-367-3304 or see [www.texaswoodcarversguild.com](http://www.texaswoodcarversguild.com)  
Setup: 13<sup>th</sup>; Judging 14<sup>th</sup>; Show 15-16; Class Registration & Setup 16<sup>th</sup>; Classes 17-21.

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