



# LOUISIANA WILDFOWL CARVERS AND COLLECTORS GUILD



## NEWSLETTER



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### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

#### NO MEETING IN APRIL

Because many members are attending the World Show, the board decided to cancel the April meeting. The next meeting will be held on the last Wednesday in May. Hope to see you there with news and pictures from Maryland. We are also making a list for the Show & Sell at the Maritime Museum. If you plan to attend and

have not signed up, please be sure to get on the list as soon as possible as the space is limited.

There will not be a newsletter before the May meeting, so please put a reminder on your calendar:

**MAY 25, 2011 AT 7:00 P.M.**  
**Don't forget your Show & Tell!**  
**Hope to see everyone there!**  
**Richard**

### NOTICE

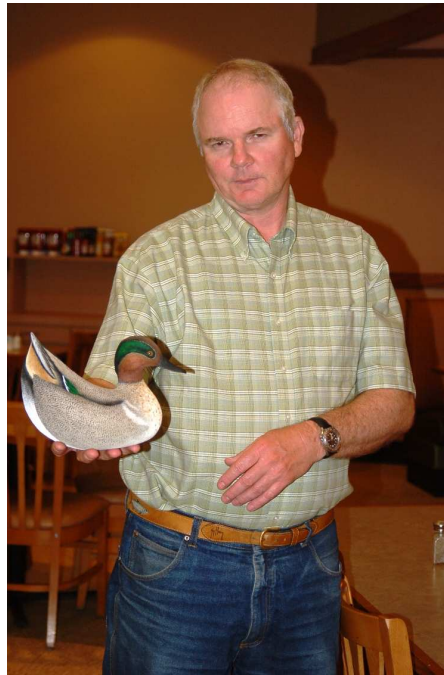
#### NO MEETING FOR APRIL

**NEXT LWCCG REGULAR  
MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING  
WILL BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY  
MAY 25, 2011 7:00P.M. PICCA-  
DILLY CAFETERIA, 2222 CLEAR-  
VIEW PKWY., SUITE 107.**

## SHOW & TELL – MARCH MEETING



Don Fought shows a decoy head he is working on from some he and John Scallan took home after last year's show. They will donate them to the auction this year.



Chris Weaver holds a Green Wing Teal made of Cypress Root which he chip carved and painted with oils.



Dick Bonner holds a Speckled Trout he carved and hand painted. There is no air brushing on the piece.

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**MINUTES GENERAL  
MEMBERSHIP MEETING  
WEDNESDAY March 30, 2011**

Meeting started at 7:00 P.M.

Dickey Autin and Gene Hebert gave a report on the Ohio Show.

Several of our members won ribbons for their entries. Among them were: Richard Reeves; Second Best of Show Professional, Open Marsh Duck

Dickey Autin: First Best of Show Novice with a Shoveler, Second Best Of Show with a Drake Hen Mallard.

Gene Adam: First Best of Show Amateur with a Confidence decoy.

Gene Hebert: First and Second with his Widgeon and a Pintail. He also took a second place in Head whittling with a Canvas Back.

Gene said there were 40 Redheads in the pool at one time for the floating competition.

Maritime Museum Show is set for Saturday August 20, 2011 from 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Set up opens at 8:30 A.M. Carvers can bring business cards to put on their tables with prices they want to sell their carvings for. Ten percent of anything sold goes to the Maritime Museum. The Museum promises better adds, and an effort to reach out to prominent areas such as Television, Radio, Newspaper, There will be twenty-two tables available to carvers with additional space for 4 if needed. Tables will be issued on a first come first serve basis. Carvers on additional tables will have to furnish their own tables. A Round Exhibition Table will be available to display auction items, booklets, etc., for our show.

World Show: we plan to buy some machine birds at the World show for our carvers to paint before the LWCCG show in October. Let Richard know if you plan to paint one and if you have a specific preference. The World show is next week, so please call Richard asap.

LWCCG Banquet: The banquet is scheduled for Wednesday September 14th, 2011 at 6:00 P.M. at Piccadilly same as last year.

Advertising: Need volunteers to put up signs right before show for advertising. We will bring signs to the banquet to put up the Friday evening or early Saturday morning before the show. We will have large posters to display in businesses.

Division B in the Professional Category will now become North American Champion along with Division A. This is for Professional Class only. Winners names will be placed on a large trophy permanently kept by LWCCG.

Club Historian: Still need old pictures, memorabilia, old booklets for our History display at the show.

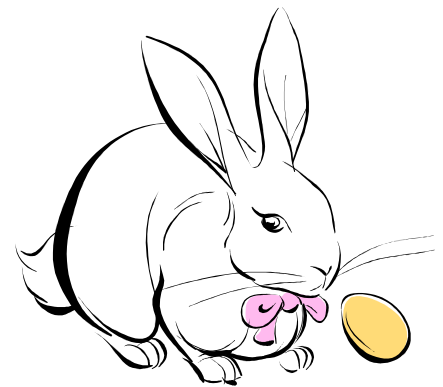
Chris Weaver brought free dental picks, and other tools to anyone who can use them.

Mr. Gerard Ruth is in the Hospital with PUENOMONIA. George Dugas passed away 3 weeks ago.

Treasury Report: Report was given by Dickey Autin which showed the show as profitable.

Motion was made to close the meeting by Gene Hebert and seconded by Mike Bonner

Being no further business the meeting was closed at 8:30 P.M.



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