

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Central Coast Woodcarvers (CCW), Chapter 7 of the California Carvers Guild will be presenting the 45 th Annual Woodcarvers Show and Sale on Saturday September 20 th and Sunday September 21st at the Cambria Veterans Hall from 10am to 5pm on Saturday and 10 am to 4 pm on Sunday.

The CCW is a chapter of the California Carver's Guild, a nonprofit organization dedicated to teaching and preserving the art of woodcarving. The show features a carving contest each day at 1pm. Saturday's contest is open to all woodcarvers and Sunday's contest is a "Best of the Best" contest where only carvers who have previously won a first-place contest can compete. Also, at the show is a "People's Choice" contest where carvers enter woodcarvings and the visitors each get a ballot to vote on those carvings. The winners will be announced on Sunday afternoon.

This year's carving show will feature up to 25 California carvers from novice to professional with various styles and techniques on display. From super realistic birds to abstract, fantasy and the practical. A chance to see and talk with local carvers about woodcarving and how to start and complete a project. You will be inspired by the variety of projectsand techniques. Woodcarvers are a friendly and helpful group and willing to share with anyone interested in learning. Not only carving is shown but woodburning, finishing techniques and painting techniques.

The CCW meets at 2 locations, a weekly Tuesday meeting from 9 am - 1 pm at St. Timothy's Catholic Church in Morro Bay, the other in Paso Robles at the Pioneer Museum on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays each month, from 1 to 3:30 pm during museum hours.