

Congress 2017 - Entry Classifications

GROUP A: Young Carvers Category

(Ages are as of the first of June)

- Class 100...0 to 6 years old
- Class 101...7 to 10 years old
- Class 102...11 to 14 years old
- Class 103...15 to 18 years old
- Class 104...Instructor Assisted: 0 to 6 years old
- Class 104...Instructor Assisted: 7 to 10 years old
- Class 105...Instructor Assisted: 11 to 14 years old
- Class 106...Instructor Assisted: 15 to 18 years old

Any Subject Matter Allowed. Dues and Entry Fees are waived for this entire Group.

GROUP B: Relief Carving

- Class 201...Nature Scene – Flora
- Class 202...Scene other than nature:
Buildings, Bridges, etc.
- Class 203...People Involvement
- Class 204...Animals, birds, fish, etc
- Class 205...Caricature Relief
- Class 206...Mythical/Santa Relief
- Class 207...Religious Relief
- Class 208...Combining 2 or more
of the Classes above

GROUP C: Abstract and Ornamental Carving

- Class 301...Ornamental Carving, i.e., frames,
gunstocks, furniture, musical instruments,
moldings, signs, geometric designs,
plaques, crests, lettering, emblems and
whittled pieces
- Class 302...Jewelry
- Class 303...Canes and Walking Sticks
- Class 304...Floral In the Round
- Class 305...Chip Carving, done on a flat surface,
i.e. plates, flat surface boxes, etc.
- Class 306...Chip Carving, done on other than a
flat surface, i.e. chip carved egg
- Class 307...Decorative Structures,
i.e. whimsical houses, buildings, etc.,
flat-backed or in the round
- Class 308...Any other decorative element,
i.e. toys, dolls, cars, etc.

GROUP D: Animal

- Class 401...Realistic – Full Figure, painted
- Class 402...Realistic – Full Figure, natural or stained
- Class 403...Realistic – Other, painted
- Class 404...Realistic – Other, natural or stained
- Class 405...Carousel Animal/s, all finishes
- Class 407...Combining two or more Group D
subjects in a scene, all finishes

GROUP E: Caricatures

- Class 501...Animal, Bird, Fish
- Class 502...Human Figure –
Figure not to exceed 15" in height
- Class 503...Human Figure –
Figure exceeds 15" in height
- Class 504...Human Figure – Bust, Mask or Head
- Class 505...Combining of two or more
Group E subjects, whether human,
animal, birds, or fish

GROUP F: Birds

- Class 601...Waterfowl, shorebird,
marsh bird, realistic, painted
- Class 602...Game bird or bird of prey
realistic, painted
- Class 603...Songbird – realistic, painted
- Class 604...All other species – realistic, painted
- Class 605...All species – realistic, natural or stained
- Class 606...Combining two or more Group F
Subjects, realistic, all finishes
- Class 607...Service Class Decoys – Ducks with a
keel (stands must be provided), shorebirds
on a stick, all finishes
- Class 608...Decorative Decoys, Ducks with or without
a keel, shorebirds on a stick, all finishes

GROUP G: Fish, Aquatic Creatures, Amphibians, Reptiles, and Dinosaurs

- Class 701...Realistic fish, natural or stained
- Class 702...Realistic fish, painted
- Class 703...Combining two or more Group G
subjects in a scene, realistic, all finishes
- Class 704...All other aquatic creatures,
all types and finishes

GROUP H: Human Figure –

Figure not to exceed 15" tall

- Class 801...Realistic, painted
- Class 802...Realistic, natural or stained
- Class 803...Combining two or more Group H
Subjects in a scene, all finishes

GROUP I: Human Figure –

Figure exceeds 15" tall

- Class 825...Realistic, painted
- Class 826...Realistic, natural or stained
- Class 827...Combining two or more Group I
Subjects in a scene, all finishes

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GROUP J: Human Figure – Bust, Head or Mask

- Class 851...Realistic, painted
- Class 852...Realistic, natural or stained
- Class 853...Mask, all subjects – The mask must be pierced and the backside hollowed out and contoured to be worn.
- Class 854...Combining two or more Group J Subjects, all finishes

GROUP K: Group Carvings – Exhibits of 2 or more subjects, Human and/or Animal

- Class 901...Combining realistic humans and/or animals in a scene, all finishes
- Class 902...Any combination of mixed subjects not covered by a more specific classification, all types and finishes

GROUP L: Religious/Mythical

- Class 921...Religious subject or object, all finishes
- Class 922...Religious group – combining two or more religious subjects or objects in a scene, all finishes
- Class 923...Mythical with dominant human characteristics, all finishes
- Class 924...Mythical with dominant animal characteristics, all finishes
- Class 925...Any group incorporating a mythical figure, all finishes
- Class 926...Santa or Mrs. Claus – Single figure, all finishes
- Class 927...Any group incorporating a Santa or Mrs. Claus figure, all finishes

GROUP M: Impressionistic/Free-Form/Stylized Carvings, wood being the predominant element

- Class 961...Human Figure not to exceed 15" tall
- Class 962...Human Figure exceeds 15" tall
- Class 963...Animal/s
- Class 964...Bird/s
- Class 965...Fish, aquatic creature/s
- Class 966...Combining two or more Group N subjects in a scene
- Class 967... All others

If you have any questions about the rules or classifications e-mail Larry Yudis, Show Chairman at thewoodcraftshop@mchsi.com or call his cell number, 563-676-8264.

GROUP N: Instructor Assisted Carvings

- Class 971...Human/s
- Class 972...Animal/s
- Class 973...Combining human/s and animal/s
- Class 974...Other

GROUP P: Carving from a Roughout

- Class 981...Human/s
- Class 982...Animal/s
- Class 983...Combining human/s and animal/s
- Class 984...Other

GROUP Q: Pyrography on Wood in the Form of a Picture or Design

- Class 985...Nature Scene – Flora
- Class 986...Scene other than nature: Buildings, Bridges, etc
- Class 987...People involvement
- Class 988...Animals, birds, fish, etc
- Class 989...Mythical, Santa
- Class 990...Religious
- Class 991...Combining two or more of the Classes above

GROUP R: Instructor Assisted Pyrography

- Class 992...Picture or Design - Human/s
- Class 993...Picture or Design - Animal/s
- Class 994...Picture or Design - Combining human/s and animal/s
- Class 995...Picture or Design - Other

GROUP S: Miniature – The entire presentation must fit in a 3" x 3" x 3" Cube

- Class 1000...Human/s
- Class 1001...Animal/s
- Class 1002...Combining human/s and animal/s
- Class 1003...Other

Group T: Intarsia

- Class 1010...Human/s
- Class 1011...Animal/s
- Class 1012...Combining human/s and animal/s
- Class 1013...Other

Group U: Chainsaw Sculpture - Chainsaw is the primary tool used but others can be used to complete the sculpture, all finishes

- Class 1020...Human/s
- Class 1021...Animal/s
- Class 1022...Combining human/s and animal/s
- Class 1023...Other