

Training October 2,3 and 4. And 7,8 and 9

Gary Falin (caricature carving) \$150 +Roughout, Oct. 2,3,4
(class limit 12)

Richard Houlden (caricature) \$100 includes first 1.5x1.5-6 block material Oct 3,4
(Class 6 min 10 max)

Linda Feagans (Pyrography) \$150 October 2,3,4 includes two projects; or you can
bring your own.

Bill Johnson (chip carving) Oct 2,3, 4 \$225 +project cost (\$9-75) 2.5 days

Ed Lampert (carving off corner, flowing hair/beard) \$60 Oct 4,
includes the first 'corner' (Class limit 10)

Allen Goodman Caricature Walking Stick , Oct 3, 4 \$150 plus \$5 for materials

Rich Wetherbee, Bark or Caricature roughout Oct 7,8, 9 \$85 per day, plus
material cost.

Gary Falin Caricatures

Most of you know Gary's work and in taken his classes. He has more that 40 roughouts to choose from and his teaching skill is unsurpassed. He is currently emeritus status in the CCA. He has great roughout prices. A few examples of his work attached below. He has many Santa, cowboy, Indians, elf and even big foot options to pick from. Items below are his carvings and not necessarily available as roughouts. Although some are.

Bill Johnson Chip carving.

Bill received his training from Wayne Barton who is regarded as the best of the best. He teaches 2-3 times a year at the John Campbell Folk school in NC. His achievements in the competitions are too numerous to mention, but you can see some of his work on this link. <https://www.carolinamountainreefs.com/>. In addition, he is known for creating many ready-to-carve items complete with the patterns in place. Google Bill Johnson Chip Carving to see more examples of his awesome work.

Ed Lampert 'Carving on the Corner'

Ed is very well known in the area for his great Santa Claus and is very sharing with his talent for us less talented carvers. His one-day class will focus on carving on the corner. This will be a great help for folks wanting to design their own work plus avoid the high cost of roughouts. Ed has won ribbons in the CCA competition and is always a winner at our show. Examples of his excellent Santa caricatures

are attached below. All completed from a block of wood (\$5 each after the first one included with class fee).

Allen Goodman Walking Sticks

Allen creates a tremendous face from scratch. You can see examples below and I can tell you from experience, his setups are unique and when completed look very similar to his work. In his class, you can pick up great ways to show expressions and make those noses stand out. This class will emphasize hand tools and will be using time saving techniques to roughout and carve details in a green sweet gum sapling that will turn into a stout walking stick to aid in hiking or walks around the neighborhood. You will be provided a walking stick with leather for \$5.

Minimum 6 Maximum 10

Rich Wetherbee Bark or Caricature Roughouts

Rich is multi-talented with skills in bark, caricatures and even clay. However, this class will focus on the first two. He is a member of the CCA and is a full-time instructor traveling across the country sharing his skills with the carving community. Rich is a great instructor and I have taken his class many times. Every time, the result is a great carving....with his assistance of course. He does a fantastic wood spirit face and is willing to change things up if you have ideas. His charge is daily and you can select the number days you want (2 or 3), and he has many choices for roughouts and will sell the bark for your project. 8 minimum and 12 maximum students. You can see examples of his work on [Rich Wetherbee | Woodcarver | WetherbeeCollectionllc.com](#)

Linda Feagans Pyrography

At the age of 50, Linda started a new journey in life when she was challenged to "finish what she started" years earlier by her dad. Linda graduated from Middle Tennessee State University in 2003, in the top 10% of her class, with a degree in Liberal Arts. Her major was silver smithing with minors in graphic design, computer art, book arts, letter press, and social work. Upon graduation, along with the help of her husband, Linda started selling jewelry at craft shows. Tree Of Life Creations was really taking off and in 2016 she was invited to become a vendor at Dollywood's Harvest Festival. Linda and David always knew that they wanted to retire in Pigeon Forge, so they took that plunge in 2018. They visited the My People Senior Center in 2019 and saw many fun opportunities for them to enjoy, one such class was wood burning with Diantha Currier. Our first pyrography was an owl, and we were "hooked". Even though new to the pyrography world Linda has won dozens of first, second and third place ribbons in shows, sold her pyrography at Dollywood for several years and has taught for 3 years. She has taken several classes from the amazing Michele Parsons and online classes from Valarie Connell. She love's the challenge of completing custom pieces for her customers and teaching others how to "draw with fire." Examples of her work are attached below. Minimum 6 Maximum 12