

**Houston Area Woodcarvers (HAWC)
October 15 – 17, 2025**

Class Registration

**Houston Area Woodcarvers (HAWC) Fall Show, Sale and Competition
Classes**

Wednesday-Friday, October 15-17, 2025

**Faith Lutheran Church Community Room
4600 Bellaire Blvd., Bellaire, Texas**

Class Description

Classes will begin promptly at 9:00 am and end at 5:00 pm.

A \$10.00 non-refundable registration fee is required to help pay for operating expenses. A \$10.00 class deposit is requested to reserve your space in class. Registration must be received by October 1. Refunds on the class deposit may be obtained if cancellation is received in writing prior to September 15, 2025.

Class 001: David Borg — Hatching Dragons and Other Critters or Santa in relief

The 3 day class is for the advanced to novice carvers. The student will pick among several rough outs of hatching dragons (or other critters). A handout showing the caricature options will be provided. Your pieces will be carved using knives, gouges and other hand tools. There are multiple methods for texturing your project, i.e. woodburing, power or carving tools (no power required). Bring your rotary tool and dust collector or woodburner if you intend to use them for texturing. If you don't have either, a few will be available from the instructor. This class will allow you to learn new techniques that may be applied to many other types of carvings.

Equipment:

Your project will be carved using standard carving tools (knives, gouges, etc.)

Texturing Option 1- standard carving tools (no power equipment required).

Texturing Option 2 - rotary tool, small carbide ball and dust collector.

Texturing Option 3 - woodburner

Cost: \$40.00 per day + \$15 to \$30 for blanks. Minimum 6 students; Maximum 10

Skill Level: Beginner to Advanced

Class 002: Lance Rath – Miniature Green Heron

The heron is about five inches tall including the base. Standard carving tools and safety equipment will be needed.

Cost: \$40.00 per day + \$10 for the blank. Minimum 6 students; Maximum 10

Skill Level: Novice to Advanced