



Richmond Carvers Society NEWSLETTER

Richmond Carvers Society

meets every Wednesday from 6:30-9:00 pm during the school year at Hugh McRoberts School, 8980 Williams Rd at Garden City Rd

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President's Ponderings

"Welcome back everyone to the new carving year of 2025, and thank you so much to Beryl and Linda for all their efforts in organising the Christmas Dinner, and Mike for running the auction - it was a really enjoyable evening, and your work greatly appreciated.

Just a reminder about Wednesdays - doors open at Hugh McRoberts school at 6.30pm, please try and make it as close to 6.30 as you can as we aren't able to leave the doors open, if you happen to be first in and no-one else is there, please wait by the doors to allow others to enter so we don't have to call the caretaker to re-open the doors.

We will try and have one person at the door to let people in up to 6.40pm, after that you will need to phone someone to let you in using the number on the sign which will be on the door. The sign is in the lockers if needed.

As a reminder we are meeting on the 22nd January, then there is no carving on the 29th and we are then back again on the 5th of February - there is a Calendar on the website if you need to double check which days we are at McRoberts:

<https://www.richmondcarvers.com/calendar>

We will be having the Annual General Meeting on Wednesday 22nd of January, and would like as many as possible to attend, thank you Linda in organising the AGM Notification and proposal list for executive roles for 2025.

The Carving show for 2025 has been confirmed with Britannia Shipyards for the 7th and 8th of June and Dan has started reaching out to the other local carving groups, we will be discussing planning for the show at the AGM

Kind Regards,

Nathan"

Remember there is no Meeting on January 29th



Coming Events



Our club fees are due so

Please see the membership

Person to pay

AGM January 22

Richmond Carvers carving
show

June 7th & 8th 2025

Smiles

Why do seagulls fly over the sea?

If they flew over the bay, they'd be bagels

Why does a chicken coup only have 2 doors?

If it had 4, it'd be a chicken sedan

Web Sights

Something for those interested in
carving cottonwood Bark

[https://www.youtube.com/
watch?v=pJHleQbZaYY](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pJHleQbZaYY)

[https://www.youtube.com/
watch?v=GBcjGIXuQAI](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GBcjGIXuQAI)

Newsletter ideas

If anyone has any photos, articles, non of-
fensive jokes, or anything they think the
club would be interested to see in the news-
letter please Email it to Maple-
head1@hotmail.com and if possible I will
include it . If it is time sensitive please send
it by the 10th of the month for inclusion



Richmond Carvers Christmas
Party
December 18th Photos



Thanks to those who made this possible.

It was a very enjoyable night



Some photos from our first meeting of the year

Some of the work of our new members



IN LOVING ♥ Memory

It is with sad hearts we have lost one of the Founding members of our club. Our hearts go out to his friends and family.

After our club he move to the Okanagan and was important in setting up teaching carvers in the area, as well as running the store Chip Bin selling tools and supplies.

He will be missed by many. The following is a photo from Enderby arts council.

Mike Sykes passed away the end of 2024.

Enderby and District Arts Council's Post





Time out for a Laugh

Eighty-year-old Bessie bursts into the recreation room of the retirement home.

She holds her clenched fist in the air and announces, "Anyone who can guess what's in my hand, can take me out to dinner tonight!"

A witty, elderly gentleman in the rear shouts out, "An elephant?"

Bessie thinks a minute and replies, "Close enough!"

Three dinosaurs come across a magic lamp. They rub the lamp and out pops a genie who grants them three wishes. The first dinosaur asks for a big hunk of meat. The second dinosaur, looking to one-up the first, asks for a shower of meat. Not to be outdone, the third dinosaur asks for a meatier shower

Below is a calendar for this years meetings

Green are the nights we meet red stay home

Richmond Carving Society – Hugh McRoberts Open Dates

2024 to 2025



Jan 2025						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
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Feb 2025						
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Apr 2025						
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May 2025						
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Jun 2025						
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29	30					

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