

# Catatonk Valley Woodcarvers

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## Club Project Corner

Roger Westgate has just completed a class in carving a Leprechaun. The carving consists of six parts carved individually and painted then put together. The hat is carved, then separated from the head, to make it possible to carve fine facial features. The hands and a cane are carved individually as well; the figure is then painted, assembled, and glued together to complete the carving. This was a fun project and the leprechaun was a good teaching tool for carving complex figures. Thanks, Roger!



## Ross Park Event

Bill Underwood has coordinated with the Ross Park Zoo in Binghamton for the Catatonk Valley Woodcarvers to display carvings at the park on Father's Day, June 21<sup>st</sup>. Carvings should feature animals. The event will occur starting at ten AM to four PM. If you desire to attend this event, please contact Roger Westgate at 659-7769.

The featured animal for this showing is the penguin. Roger Westgate has volunteered to teach a class on carving a penguin during the Catatonk Woodcarvers



normal Monday meetings. If you have not already signed up to take this class, please call Roger at the above number, so he can make the appropriate number of cut outs. You may take this class even if you are not planning to attend the Ross Park Zoo event.

## Woodcarving Show Planning

Charlie Beaudoin has taken on the responsibility of managing the raffle for the 2015 woodcarving show and sale. The committee for the raffle includes Dick Rogers, Randy Conner, Jere Conover, and Ed and Sue Driver.

The committee decided to have the members carve Christmas ornaments and place them in a wood box with a relief carving by Roger Westgate on the top.

The box is completed along with several ornaments, with more being completed each meeting. Thanks go to Charlie for organizing the raffle along with the committee. Thanks also to those who have completed their ornaments, and to those who are carving them now.

