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National Association of Watch and Clock Collectors
Lone Star Chapter 124 Grapevine, Texas

"An Educational Group Dedicated to Preserving and Understanding Horology"

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President's Message

Greetings and Happy Holidays to Chapter 124 Members and Friends:

With the Holiday Season in full swing, you can be sure that the Chapter 124 Board and numerous volunteers are busy making preparations for the 2016 Lone Star Regional. The Regional is scheduled for March 4th-5th, 2016, so please mark your calendars for those dates. As in previous years, the Mesquite Convention Center (1700 Rodeo Drive, Mesquite, TX) will be the location of this year's Regional and the Hampton Inn & Suites – Mesquite will serve as the host hotel. You will find the Pre-Registration Form and a return envelope to register for the Regional in this newsletter. There is no time like the present to register at pre-registration prices. If you prefer to register and pay online, please visit the [Chapter 124 website](#). Also, if you will need hotel accommodations, I would suggest that you also book your hotel rooms at the Hampton Inn & Suites (972-329-3100; dial "0" to reach the front desk) to guarantee your accommodations at the special conference rates.

March 3rd, 2016

Mike Dempsey "Hairspring II" Workshop

March 4th, 2016

Peter Crum – Art Deco and it's Impact on Design

M. Dee Koch - Wooden Clock Case Restoration: Enhancement and Refinishing Techniques.

Don Bugh - American Clock Glass - the history of glassmaking, properties of glass and the types of glass typically found in antique American clocks.

March 5th, 2016

John Hubby – Chapter 168 International 400 Day Clock Chapter Meeting

As has become the custom, Mike Dempsey will be offering a pre-Regional workshop on March 3rd. The workshop is entitled, "Hairspring II" – a continuation of last year's class. For information, please contact Pam Tischler (972-612-0712 or FSWProgram@verizon.net) to register. The fee is \$75.

Jim Sargent, a licensed auctioneer, will be returning to lead our Friday night Auction. John Evans, our auction chairman, has been busy collecting auction items, and it looks like we have plenty of quality items. If you have clocks, watches, tools, books or other horological items that you would like to have included in the Regional auction, there still may be time. You can contact John Evans by phone (214-662-4035) or email (j.m.evans@sbcglobal.net) for details

Thursday evening (March 3rd) Chapter 124 will again host a Social Hour and Silent Auction. Please come early so you can join us for some light food, a cash bar, good company and, of course, the silent auction.



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President's Message continued;

The David Tips Volunteer of the Year will be awarded at the Friday night banquet on March 4th. If you know of someone deserving of this award, please nominate him or her. The nomination form can be found on the Chapter website

(<http://www.chapter124.org/regional/DTVYForm.html>). Information and/or completed forms should be sent to Pam Tischler (David Tips Award Chair) no later than February 5th. Please contact (972-612-0712 or FSWProgram@verizon.net) for questions or additional details.

Two final items

- Don't forget to RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP for the upcoming year. Your renewal date can be found in the upper left corner of your mailing label. Also, if you know of someone that may be interested in joining Chapter 124, please pass this application along, or put interested individuals in touch with any Board Member.
- UPCOMING EVENTS.
 - o Don't forget our upcoming One-Day, Mart & Silent Auction scheduled for Saturday, January 9th. Phil Gregory will be giving an educational talk (title pending).
 - o New workshops have been posted on the Chapter Calendar page (<http://www.chapter124.org/calendar/calendar.html>). So check them out and be sure to check back often, as new classes will be posted as plans become finalized.
 - o See you at the 2016 Lone Star Chapter 124 One Day (in January, 2016) and Regional (in March 2016).

HAPPY HOLIDAYS



Lone Star Chapter 124

2016 REGIONAL featuring ART DECO CLOCKS

MESQUITE CONVENTION CENTER

MARCH 4TH & 5TH

MESQUITE, TEXAS



HAMPTON INN & CONVENTION CENTER
1700 RODEO DRIVE, MESQUITE, TX, 75149

Hampton Inn (on site) 1-800 HAMPTON or 972-329-3100

Holiday Inn Express 972-288-9900 Marriott Courtyard 972-681-3300

Ask for Special Rates

TABLES RESERVED BY GROUP MUST BE IN ONE ENVELOPE

ALL PRE-REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED BY FEBRUARY 22ND WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL

REFUNDS WILL BE GRANTED UP TO FEBRUARY 28TH

TABLES MUST BE SET UP IN THE MART

ONLY HOROLOGICAL ITEMS MAY BE BOUGHT AND SOLD IN THE MART

ONLY MEMBERS OF NAWCC, THEIR SPOUSES & CHILDREN UNDER 18 WILL BE ADMITTED INTO THE MART

ALL EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS AND THE MART EXHIBIT ARE FREE & OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

NO PETS ARE ALLOWED IN THE MART, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF SERVICE DOGS

NAWCC OFFICERS & MEMBERS ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR LOSS, DAMAGE, INJURY OR TORT DURING THE REGIONAL
NAWCC RULES WILL GOVERN

REGISTER ON LINE AT WWW.CHAPTER124.ORG OR USE THE FORM BELOW

NAME _____ NAWCC NUMBER _____

PHONE(____) _____ EMAIL _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

NAME FOR BADGES INCLUDE SPOUSE & CHILDREN

	QUANTITY		TOTAL \$
MART ADMITTANCE (NAWCC MEMBER OR SPOUSE)		\$30 EACH	
MEMBER'S CHILDREN UNDER 18		FREE	
8-FOOT MART TABLE		\$35 EACH	
FRIDAY NIGHT BANQUET (PRE-REGISTER ONLY)		\$30 EACH	
NUMBER OF VEGETARIAN MEALS REQUESTED			

CHECK NUMBER _____ TOTAL \$ _____

I AM BRINGING CLOCKS _____ WATCHES _____ TOOLS _____ BOOKS _____

PAYMENT IN US CURRENCY

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO LONE STAR CHAPTER 124

MAIL TO GENE MEYSENBURG, 11028 CREEKMERE, DALLAS, TEXAS 75218

gm1000@PRODIGY.NET 214-328-1984



Dash board Art Deco Clock from a 1937 Art Deco Hudson
It works too! collection of Phil Goldberg

Got Time?

Join Us at
chapter124.org

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APPLICATION/RENEWAL FOR LONE STAR CHAPTER 124, NAWCC

An educational group dedicated to preserving and understanding horology.

Complete and send with applicable check made payable to: Lone Star Chapter #124

To Gene Meysenburg 11028 Creekmere, Dallas, TX 75218

Please PRINT:

Mr. ___ Mrs. ___ Ms. ___ (Please check appropriate blank.)

NAME _____

NAWCC # _____

STREET _____ PHONE _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

E-mail: _____

I'm most interested in _____

Check appropriate box:

☐ New #124 Member

☐ Renew my membership

Dues are \$10 per year.

Yrs @ \$10 =

Join/renew for 1-5 years



To join Chapter #124, you must be an NAWCC member, or have applied for NAWCC membership. Have you applied for National membership, but haven't gotten a membership number? Check here _____. (Date of your application/check to National.)