



Bella's Traveling Library Exhibit Now at the J. Erik Jonsson Central Library!



**Located on the 5th Floor of the library.
Now thru December 7th.**

Chapter of the Year 1996-1998-2001-2005-2010-2013
"An Educational Group Dedicated to Preserving and Understanding Horology"
**National Association of Watch and Clock Collectors
Lone Star Chapter 124 Grapevine, Texas**

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A close-up photograph of a clock face. The clock has a dark wooden frame. The words "BOARD OF DIRECTORS" are written in large, gold, serif capital letters, arched over the top half of the clock face. The clock face itself is light-colored with black Roman numerals for the hours. The hands of the clock are visible, with the hour hand pointing between VI and VII, and the minute hand pointing towards I. At the bottom of the clock face, the letters "NAWCC" are printed in a small, black, sans-serif font. Below "NAWCC", the word "CLOCK" is partially visible.



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Greetings Friends and Chapter Members.

Now that summer has come and gone, the Board is busy working on our upcoming 2019 Lone Star Regional, as well as the schedule for upcoming classes and One Days. Our next One Day Meeting will be Saturday, **October 6th** with coffee and donuts. Remember to bring clocks, watches, tools or books you may want to sell and don't forget **William Slough** will be conducting a **Silent Auction**. Our educational for the meeting will be Past President and Instructor **Kelsey Downum** speaking on **"Using a Sherline Mill as an Alternative to a Bushing Machine."** I feel certain the membership will enjoy his program, plus picking up tips for future use. The educational will be followed with a Buffet Lunch.

Our August 4th One Day was a success with **Barry Kilfoy** explaining **"Drawing with Power Point."** Barry made it look so simple; however, I am not a computer literate person, so a lot of his information was way over my head. I do think this will appeal to our instructors and anyone doing clock or pocket watch repair as a business. Several members commented how informative Barry's lecture was and are eager to give it a try!

"Thank You" to those members who remained after lunch to help clean up. **Tom Mattox** and the Board appreciate it because otherwise we would have to do it all after our Board Meeting. **Kudos to those of you who remained to help out!**

For those of you who want to make reservations at the **Hampton Inn & Suites in Mesquite** for our **2019 Regional Convention**, call **972.329.3100** and use the **Code LSR**. If you have any issues, you may ask for the Administrative Assistant only during normal working hours, as she will not be there in the evenings. The rates are \$90 for a Standard Room and \$109 for a Suite. The Regional dates are **March 1st and 2nd, 2019**.

Hope to see you at our next One Day in October!

Keep Smiling,
Pam





AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED

We are always in need of Auction items whether it is clocks, watches, tools or books! If you are or know of someone who wants help in disposing of these items, please contact Bruce Wooldridge by emailing bawool@suddenlinkmail.com or phoning 903.571.3093. You may also contact any Board Member. We will also accept "It's for Free" items, which we put on a table at our Regional. Bruce Wooldridge, Mike Granderson and Joe Richards are always picking up Auction items from members whose spouse has passed or else one who is wanting to size down with their clocks, pocket watches, books and tools. Look around and see if you have something worthy of putting in our Auction, Let's Make a Deal or It's for Free.





2019 REGIONAL EXHIBIT

The theme of our 2019 Regional Exhibit is titled "***Time to Make Music.***" **Bill Edwards** is the **Exhibit Chair** with **Chuck Edwards** as his **Co-Chair**. Please contact **Bill** at **817.980.7105** or thistledome2@gmail.com if you have mechanical music devices such as musical clocks, music boxes or related advertising you would be willing to loan for the Exhibit. It will be most helpful if you send Bill a photo and brief description. This will be an interesting Exhibit and one we have not done before.

!Time to Make Music!
March 1st & 2nd, 2019
Mechanical Musical Instruments & Classic Clocks on Exhibit

A collage of four images showing mechanical musical instruments and clocks. The top left image shows a violin and a mechanical music box. The top right image shows a gramophone with a large horn. The bottom left image shows a large, ornate clock face. The bottom right image shows a wooden box containing a mechanical music box.

LONE STAR CHAPTER 2019 REGIONAL
Mesquite Convention & Expo Center
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Nominating and Elections Committee (NEC)

Dee Koch is chairing the Nominating and Elections Committee (NEC) once again with **Mark Vozar** and **Kelsey Downum** as Committee Members. If you know of someone who may be interested in being on the Board, please contact Dee, Mark or Kelsey. You may reach **Dee** by emailing mdkoch@att.net or phoning **903.939-0950**. Stop any member of the NEC at a One Day if you have any questions. Being on the Board is a lot of work, but also fun. Please be open to joining the Chapter Board in the future, as every Board strives to make our Chapter one of the best within the NAWCC.

Awards and David Tips Volunteer of the Year Committee

In 2009 the Chapter Board established a "**David Tips Volunteer of the Year Award**" to honor our first Chapter President. It is given to members who continue to give their time to the Chapter; however, it is not required to give one every year. The committee continued to grow and not long afterwards became the "**Awards and David Tips Volunteer of the Year Committee,**" who also work with others to nominate members for the NAWCC's Fellow Award or Silver Star Fellow Award. I will be chairing this committee once again with Bruce Wooldridge and Hugh Slough as members. The nomination form can be found on our website under [DTVYForm](#). On the NAWCC website you will also find the Fellow Award and Star Fellow Award forms, so remember to nominate your fellow members who deserve this honor. I am currently on the NAWCC Awards Committee and am willing to help you with filling out the form. I am not able to write it for you; however, I am willing to assist. It is time consuming but well worth the time to recognize your deserving fellow members.



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Dates to Remember

- **October 6th, 2018** is Chapter 124's One Day Meeting at the Founder's Building in Grapevine, TX. Educational on "Using a Sherline Mill as an Alternative to a Bushing Machine" by Kelsey Downum.
- **October 9th, 2018** – Evening Open Bench at the Founder's Building in Grapevine.
- **October 13th & 14th, 2018** – "Top 25 Tips for Clock Repair" with Mike Dempsey at the Founder's Building in Grapevine.
- **October 26th & 27th, 2018** is the MKOA Regional in Oklahoma City, OK.
- **January 12th & 13th, 2019** is the "Beginners Sherline Lathe Course" with Jerry Kieffer at the Founder's Building in Grapevine.
- **January 19th, 2019** is Chapter 124's One Day Meeting at the Founder's Building in Grapevine, TX. The educational will be "Art Deco Clocks" given by Peter Crum.
- **February 28th, 2019** will be a course given by Mike Dempsey prior to the 2019 Lone Star Regional. Look for more information in the December Newsletter.
- **March 1st and 2nd, 2019** is the Lone Star Chapter 124's Regional at the Hampton Inn & Suites and the Mesquite Convention Center & Expo Center. We have our speakers lined up, as well as Demos in the Mart.
- **June 27th – 30th, 2019** is the National Convention in Springfield, MA.



Peter Crum

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Bella's Traveling Library Exhibits started in 2009, Bella was 9, with a small exhibit of clocks and horology information. They were found in glass cabinets in schools in and around Dallas. They were used to educate students about horology and the presence of NAWCC and our local Chapter 124.

This expanded to the Dallas Central Library in 2012 as part of a large exhibit by the whole of Chapter 124. This was in the library for several months.

At the age of 17, Bella again has an exhibit this time at the J. Erik Jonsson Central Library thru December 7th, 2018. The library is located just across from Dallas City Hall at 1515 Young Street Dallas, TX 75021



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You can also apply on line at NAWCC.org & Chapter124.org