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Lone Star Chapter 124

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President's Message

Greetings Chapter 124 Members:

Our Chapter held another successful regional. We had 408 in attendance and 222 tables sold. Although not all the bills have been paid, it looks like we did better than breakeven. I want to send a special thank you to all the volunteers: **Phil Ball, Brian Schmidt, Debbie Hoganson, Larry Thomas, John Acker, Tim Henz, Jon Anderson, Myron Patrick, Mike Brazil, Tom Hefner, Wayne Hall, Hugh and Evelyn Slough, James Edwards, Gerald Greener, Jim Sargent, Richard Cox, Craig White & Mike Dempsey**, and those who donated their calendar clocks for the exhibit: **Arnold Madnick, George Augustas, John Acker, John Okonski & John Sparks**.



Our auctions were successful, too. The live auction was started by **Bruce Wooldridge** to help with our educational classes and those that have no avenue to sell their horological items.

Geoff Parker was our national representative. He gave a nice speech on the Swatch. He used the innovation of the Swatch to draw an analogy for NAWCC to attract new and younger members. Geoff also presented the awards.



Hugh Slough presented the David Tips award to **Larry Thomas**. Larry has been a great asset to our Chapter. **Myron Patrick** won the grand door prize of \$250.00 in mart bucks.

Planning for the 2025 regional will start after the next annual meeting. We will be at the Hampton Inn again in 2025, but they gave our weekend away for 2026. We are looking for a new location now. Due to other Chapter regionals, we can only reserve a venue for the 1st or 3rd weekend in March. We would like you to serve on a committee to help locate a new venue.

Our next One Day will be held in the Hurst location again. This will be our Annual Meeting. At this meeting we will start with a mart, Membership meeting with elections for a new board and officers, an auction and BBQ lunch. This is an important meeting and we hope to see you there.

Hurst Conference Center
1601 Campus Drive
Hurst, TX 76054





We could use some help with a few things going on with the Chapter. Some examples are: Web Site, Location for the Regional, Membership, Location for our Classes, Regional Exhibit, Regional Volunteers etc. I will have a better explanation of duties at the next One Day and signup sheets.

One other note, we will be updating our membership roster starting April 1st. Your expiration date is located on the Constant Contact you receive by e-mail. If there is any discrepancy please contact us so we can make changes to the roster. After June 1st members with expired memberships will no longer receive notifications of events. If you wish to rejoin in the future, please read the by-laws regarding membership. The Board of Directors has proposed an amendment to the by-laws, and the membership will vote to accept or reject the amendment at the June 1 Annual Meeting.

Proposed Amendment:

Article III Section 19 Reinstatement. Any member whose membership has been terminated for non-payment of dues or because of his or her resignation may be considered for reinstatement upon submission of a new application to the Secretary of the Corporation, accompanied by a reinstatement fee, if any, as determined by the Board of directors and ~~payment of past dues owing, if any.~~

The amendment removes the following clause: *“and payment of past dues owing, if any.”*

Tim Brownlee
President



Community Service

There is a street clock in Graham, TX that needs restoration, and at the Civil War Museum in Mansfield there is a wall clock in need of case restoration. Our McClintock Clock needs to be completed, too. Work sessions will be scheduled for the McClintock Clock.

Scholarship Program

A Scholarship will be awarded at the next One Day Annual Meeting. Please get your application in ASAP if you are interested!

Phil Gregory has donated funds for someone that wants to take a specialty class such as case restoration, clock appraisal, reverse glass painting etc. Please contact a board member if you are interested.

Education

Open Bench is Saturday, April 13, 2024, 9am – 3pm – Hosted by **Tim Brownlee and Mike Brazil**. A McClintock work party is scheduled the same day.

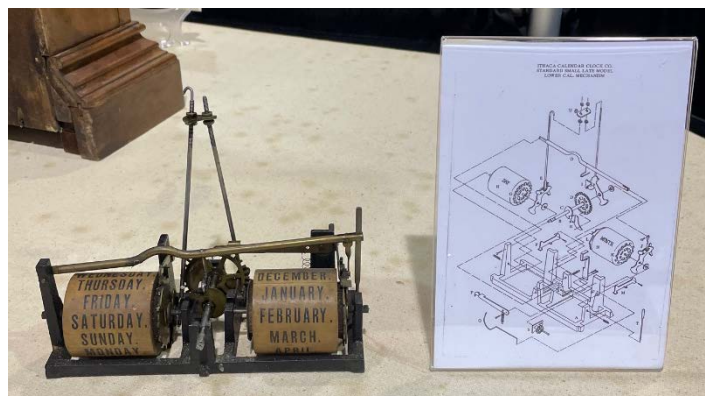
CR100 - Kitchen Clock Repair Class will be held April 20,21 & 27,28.
Instructors: **Tom Hefner & Larry Thomas**

Open Bench Tuesday, May 14

CR 200 - Spring Barrel Clock Repair Class, will be held June 22,23 & 27,28. Instructors: **Tim Brownlee & John Acker**

CR 300 - Chime Clock Repair Class is tentatively set for October.

CR 400 - Weight
Driven/Grandfather Clock
Repair - TBD



Library Exhibit

The Library Exhibit by Evelyn and Hugh Slough will be set up in Paris, TX in May.



New Members

We welcome our new members!

David Reynolds	Wylie, Texas
Doyle Welch	Colleyville, Texas
Thomas Moore	Dallas, Texas
Bobby Grubbs	Waxahachie, Texas
Cardell Velez	Waxahachie, Texas
Aiden Bennett	Paris, Texas
Alexandra White	Austin, Texas
Mark Kinney	Pilot Point, Texas
Susan Utter	Dallas, TX



APPLICATION/RENEWAL FOR LONE STAR CHAPTER 124, NAWCC

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Save \$25

NAME _____ NAWCC # _____

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I'm most interested in _____

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.)

I am enclosing an additional contribution in the amount of \$ _____ for the Fred Tischler/John Erickson Scholarship Fund.

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2024 Regional Exhibit



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