

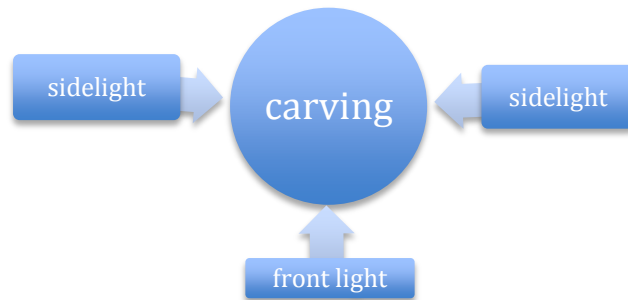
VIRTUAL SPIRIT OF WOOD SHOW

Coming Soon!

Photography Requirements

Below are the requirements for all photos submitted to the 2020 Virtual Spirit of Wood Show. Please follow the guidelines carefully to ensure that your photos get judged fairly.

1. For NEWC members in good standing, the entry fee for the first item is \$11; each additional item is \$5. For non-NEWC members, \$16 for the first item; \$5 for each additional item. A maximum of three photos per item may be submitted.
2. Photos must be high resolution (minimum 300 dpi) with NO names, ribbons, medals or other identifying items in the photo. Photos not adhering to these guidelines will be eliminated from competition. Further instruction for labeling photos will appear as an addendum to this page on the NEWC website.
3. When taking your photographs:
 - a) Place your item on a stand or table large enough to accommodate the item; drape the table in a neutral colored, wrinkle-free cloth.
 - b) Choose a neutral background. If you do not have a blank wall, drape a sheet of a neutral color, unwrinkled, behind your table.
 - c) Set up your lighting so it softly highlights the front of the object to be photographed and provides soft sidelights (see the diagram below).
 - d) Take your first shot straight on from the front and at the same level as the carving. Side shots should be taken the same way. For birds, one of your three shots might be from overhead.



4. View each shot critically for shadows, overly highlighted areas, depth of field (areas not in focus) and appropriate coloration.
5. Send only those photographs that best represent your carving.