

Shuswap School of Woodcarving

September 27 – October 3, 2009

A Nantucket Sleigh Ride – carving a SPERM WHALE

Instructor - Dennis Drechsler



Skill Level: All skill levels. Novice carvers are welcome as long as they have carving experience.

TOOLS AND MATERIALS REQUIRED

This is a power- carving course and students will need to supply their own flex-shaft power carver.

1.	A small table-mount dust collector
2.	Foredom, WeCheer or similar flex shaft power carver.
3.	Large hand-piece (1/4" collet)
4.	Small hand-piece (1/8" & 3/32" collets)
5.	1/4" carbide such as Kutzall or Typhoon (ball nose is best)
6.	1/4" cushioned sanding drum
7.	A selection of small bits (diamonds, stump cutters, carbide burrs, typhoons, split mandrel, etc.)
8.	Swiss sandpaper, 80 and 220 grit ●
9.	5 minute epoxy glue ●
10.	2 part epoxy putty ●
11.	Liquitex Acrylic paints, (Ivory Black, Burnt Umber and Titanium White) ●
12.	2 or 3 small paint brushes, round ends and flats. (special stippling brushes will be supplied for student use)
13.	One 1/2" round or flat brush for applying base colors
14.	One or two clean plastic margarine containers for water and the lids for paint
15.	Small jar of Gesso
16.	Comfortable dust mask
17.	Shop Apron
18.	Pencils and erasures
19.	Flex-arm lamp or light
20.	Hair dryer
21.	Reference photos and/or books
22.	A good dust mask or respirator

- Denotes items that the instructor will have available for student use.

A shop fee of \$35.00 for the blank, etc. is payable to the instructor during the session.