



# News at 11

Activities of the NAWCC Maryland Chapter 11

OUR 57th YEAR  
1952—2009

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DECEMBER 13, 2009

MEETING NOTICE...

**Sunday, December 13, 2009**

## **English Regulator Movements** *(presented by Bob Butler)*

Kiwanis Hall in Pikesville Sudbrook Lane, between Reisterstown Rd. and Old Court Rd. Pikesville, MD

Mart & Set-up 8:30 am / Breakfast buffet 9:45 am / Program 10:30 am

*Directions: from Beltway Exit 20 turn southwest toward Baltimore on Reisterstown Road. One (1) mile to Sudbrook Lane. Turn left on Sudbrook Lane for 1 block. The Kiwanis Hall is a stone building on the left between the State Police HQ and the fire station.*

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## **Acting President's Column**

Our program of October 25, 2009 featured Frank Goad. Frank's presentation was on Railroads and Time Keeping. Thank you for your Power Point program and supplementary remarks.

Next came our fall-back to standard time. I hope you all enjoyed your extra hour of sleep.

I'm looking forward to Bob Butler's presentation on English Regulator Movements. Hope to see you there.

After that comes 2010 with our Ugly Clock Contest and Show & Tell on January 17. Please continue to look in all the unusual places for your special clock.

With the Holidays fast approaching, consider making a fast buck by selling some of your excess inventory at our next meeting. In fact, you can make so much money that you can purchase that special item you have always wanted.

Just a reminder, this year is the 57th year (1952-2009) for Chapter 11 and Chapter 12. On September 14, 2002, we held a joint 50th Anniversary Celebration at the NAWCC Museum in Columbia and the nearby Accomac Inn in Wrightsville, PA. Let's hope our run continues for many more years.

Just a reminder, dues for 2010 are now due.

Respectfully,

**Frank Blahut**, Acting President

## *2009-2010* **Important Dates**

### **Maryland Chapter 11**

DECEMBER 13, 2009

Pikesville, MD

Breakfast Meeting

JANUARY 17, 2010

Pikesville, MD

Coffee & Donuts

FEBRUARY 28, 2010

Pikesville, MD

Coffee & Donuts

### **Philadelphia Chapter 1**

FEB. 7, 2010—Oaks, PA

APR. 18, 2010—Oaks, PA

MAY 23, 2010—Oaks, PA

### **Washington Chapter 12**

2nd Sunday  
of each month

### **Free State Chapter 141**

2nd Wednesday  
of odd months

### **Harrisburg Chapter 158**

3rd Wednesday  
of odd months

**GRAND COMPLICATIONS:  
ART OF THE WATCHMAKER**

**National Watch & Clock Museum**

*Exhibit Dates: April 2010 – December 2010*

Fine watchmakers have always combined both technical expertise and artistic awareness in the designs of their watches. This exhibit will present fine watches from the earliest pocket watches to the modern wrist-watch, and the artistic and technical skill of the watchmaker.



In addition, the exhibit will also incorporate artwork from artists who used watches in their artwork (Dali, etc.).

**This exhibit is currently seeking funding support and sponsorship.**

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

**CHAPTER 11**

- December 13, 2009 – Sunday Meeting with Coffee & Donuts  
Program: English Regulator Movements  
Presenter: Bob Butler
- January 17, 2010 – Sunday Meeting with Coffee & Donuts  
Program: Annual Ugly Clock Contest, Show & Tell
- February 28, 2010 – Sunday Meeting with Coffee & Donuts  
Program: Cuckoo Clocks  
Presenter: Frank Blahut

**OTHER EVENTS OF INTEREST**

- January 14–17, 2010 – Florida Mid-Winter Regional– Kissimmee, FL
- June 16–20, 2010 – NAWCC National Convention – York, PA

**ONLINE EVENT REGISTRATION**

A new option is available to NAWCC members, in addition to the traditional mail-in registration form. Online registration is now in place to provide a faster and more efficient way to register for the National (and other events). The process is absolutely secure; all personal information is encrypted by our registration software. To register online, simply go to our new and improved website at <http://www.nawcc.org>, log in, and follow the instructions to register for events.

**RESERVATION FOR BREAKFAST MEETING**

Mail to **BILL MILLER, 4301 MEADOWCLIFF ROAD, GLEN ARM, MD. 21057**

Please reserve the following for me, for the meeting of **DECEMBER 13, 2009**

- ( ) Dues @ \$10 (now being collected for Jan-Dec 2010) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ( ) Admission to the meeting @10.00 each for self and guest(s) other than spouse. \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ( ) Admission for spouse @ \$5.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ( ) Tables. First come, first served. FREE

**NOTE: THERE IS AN ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF \$2 EACH FOR ADMISSIONS PAID AT THE DOOR.**

**MEMBER MUST ACCOMPANY AND IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL GUESTS**

I enclose a check payable to MARYLAND CHAPTER 11, NAWCC for

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

SPOUSE/GUEST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_