

HEART OF AMERICA

CHAPTER 36 NEWSLETTER

CHAPTER 36

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WATCH AND CLOCK COLLECTORS

OCTOBER, 2005

Meeting Date & Time: Sunday, October 9 - Mart begins at 1:00
Meal Begins at 2:00

Location: Home of Don and Mona Allen
4060 Par 5 Drive
Sedalia, Missouri 65301

Directions: Refer to map sent with invitation letters
or call a chapter member for a copy if you
have misplaced yours!

Reminder: Bring horological items for the Mart to trade or sell
and a vegetable, salad or dessert

Program: Viewing of the Allen's clock collection
and fellowship all afternoon

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Social in Sedalia at the Allen's on October 9th



Dear Heart of America Members,

Mona and I would like to extend a special invitation to you and your spouse to attend Chapter 36's October meeting which is to be a carry-in dinner at our house on October 9th. Plan to arrive at 1:00 p.m. or anytime thereafter. We will eat at 2:00. Visit as long as you wish.

Bring a vegetable, salad or dessert to share with other attendees. Meat, bread, drinks and table service will be provided.

Food, visitation, fellowship and a mart will be the order of the day. The activities will be centered around viewing our clock collection. The garage will be set up as a mart area with coffee available. A large mart always makes for a more interesting meeting so please plan to bring a few items to sell.

Please RSVP at 660-827-0584 by Monday, October 3rd if you ARE planning to attend. We will be available to receive your call after 5:00 p.m. on weekdays or anytime on the weekends.

Please plan to attend this special Chapter 36 activity. The fall season is a beautiful time of the year for a drive to Sedalia. The opportunity to enjoy excellent food, great fellowship, and talk about clocks and watches should make for an enjoyable Sunday afternoon. We hope you can be with us and make this event a special experience.

Sincerely,

Don and Mona Allen

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Chapter 36

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Meetings schedule:

October 9, 2005

December 11, 2005

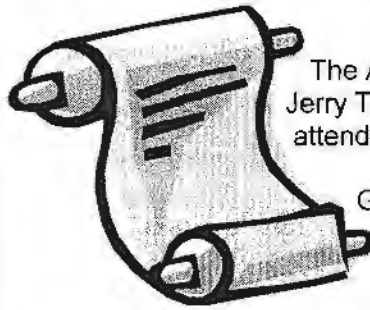
February 12, 2006

March 12, 2006

April 9, 2006

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August 14 HOA Meeting Minutes



The August 14 meeting was opened at 1:50 by President Jerry Thornsberry with 45 members and guests in attendance.

Guests included Gary Wages, a friend of Dwain Paugh, who is joining NAWCC, and will soon be joining Chapter 36.

Dan Ward introduced the program on Scottish tall case clocks, presented by Bill Dugan and Joe Gensheimer, who each brought an example from their collection. Both examples exhibited the mahogany case with top swan neck pediments and large arched dials typical of the Scottish tall case clocks. The two areas of Scotland that produced clocks were Glasgow and Edinburgh (East and West). There are minor, but easily discernible differences in the eastern and western clocks—the Edinburgh clocks generally have plainer cases. Scottish tall case clocks are known to have the finest movements of tall case clocks. They have the thinnest brass plates, pillar posts are not round, bells are very loud and made of a special bell metal. The movements are eight day with no 30 hour movements made.

An audit report was presented by Darrell Carr on the findings by Jim Shaefer, Steve Stoecker, and Darrell in their audit of the Chapter 36 books. The Regional produced a loss of \$462.82. The Regional account carried a balance \$7,044.03 and checking account a balance of \$1,735.83. The committee report the books were found to be in good order and the audit report was adopted.

Wayne Herrmann reported the Restoration Contest has five entries.

Education Program Surveys were made available again for members to indicate their interests. Dwain Paugh reported another movement class is to be held in September—those interested to call Dwain Paugh.

The October meeting will be held in Sedalia in Don & Mona Allen's home. There will not be a program, but we will have a mart. Jerry encouraged everyone to attend and view Don's outstanding collection of clocks. The December program will be presented by Richard Trombla; February will be gear-cutting.

Jerry report that Chapter 36 had three tables at the Denver Regional. It was a small regional with a lot of watches. Twenty-one from Chapter 36 attended.

Notice was given to watch for the October Mart ad for a Glenn LaRue clock auction in October.

Donna Stofer, Chapter #36 Secretary

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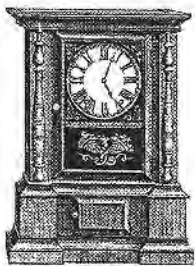
NAWCC Fellow

Wayne Herrmann

NAWCC Fellow



Chapter 36 members enjoy a pleasant summer picnic on the lawn of the Overton's in Carthage on Sunday, August 7th. Thanks to Chapter 57 for the invitation, and to Hugh and Ruth for their hospitality.



NAWCC Crafts Contest

Cleveland, Ohio

by Jerry Thornsberry

The NAWCC Crafts Contest Committee is initiating a new category for local chapters to restore a clock as a chapter activity and enter it in the Chapter Clock Restoration Contest at the National Convention. The NAWCC Crafts Contest will be held at the 61st National Convention to be held in Cleveland, Ohio, on June 21-23, 2006.

I am proposing that Chapter 36 participate in this activity. It will give chapter members the opportunity to bring together the individual skills learned in the educational programs to complete a common project. A more organized proposal will be developed for membership consideration at the December meeting. The proposal will include the identification of a readership team to organize and manage the project, target clock(s) to be restored and dispensation of the clock at the end of the project. Your ideas about the project are welcome, and possibly some discussion will take place among members at our October meeting at Don and Mona Allen's home.

The Chapter Clock Restoration Project promises to be a lot of fun and has the potential to involve several Chapter 36 members.



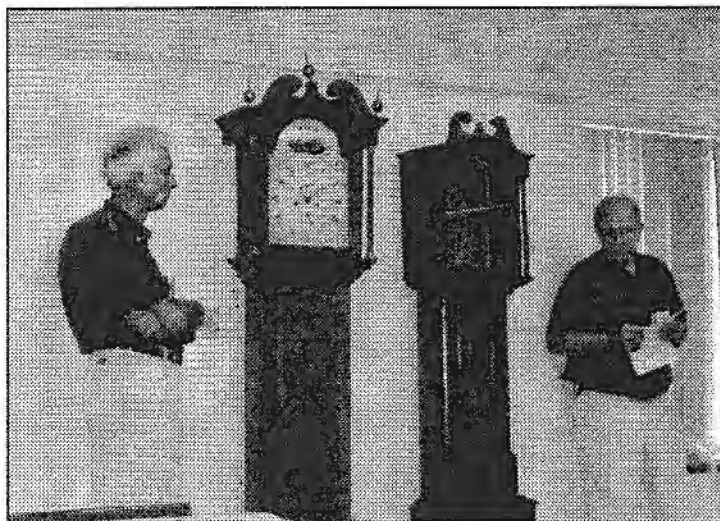
Need a Ride?

You will not want to miss the October meeting at the home of Don and Mona

Allen in Sedalia, Missouri. We

will not have a formal business meeting, but we will be busy observing and discussing their clocks and enjoying the good. There are plenty of opportunities to carpool, so do not hesitate to call Joe Gensheimer at 816-210-0500 if you would like to ride with another member. You will have a great time! Call Joe!

August Program - Scottish Tall Case Clocks



Thanks to Joe Gensheimer and Bill Dugan for an interesting program in August on Scottish tall case clocks. Examples are from their personal collections.

Fall/Winter Educational Program Planning Underway

Some classes will be taught by Chapter 36 members; others by guest experts with travel involved, so advance scheduling (and budgeting) is a must!



Two workshops will be held in October. One will be on disassembling and reassembling a movement. The other will be on synchronizing chimes and time.

Call Dwain Paugh 913-239-8134 for information on these two workshops, or catch up with him at the Sedalia meeting on October 9th. Sign-up sheets will be available in Sedalia, and Dwain will be available to answer questions.

Chapter 36 Membership Application

Please complete this form and a \$10.00 check made payable to NAWCC Chapter 36 and mail to: Jerry VanLanker, Treasurer, 1715 S. Vermont, Independence, MO 64052. Or better yet, come to the next meeting and join in person.

Name _____ NAWCC # _____
Street Address _____ City/State/Zip _____
Phone _____ Email address _____



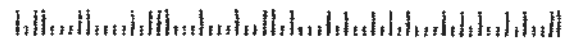
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Start Now! **Gold Leafing**

to prepare your item to enter the
 NAWCC Crafts Contest.

Painted Dials *24 Categories* *Reverse Glass Painting*




Clock and Watch Cases

NAWCC National Convention
 Cleveland, Ohio
 June 21-23, 2006

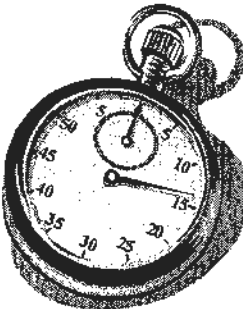
Rules and Entry Form in December Mart!

Mart Man sez:

Bring clocks and horological items to the October meeting for the Mart tables. We may be meeting in Sedalia, but we'll still have a Mart, by golly!



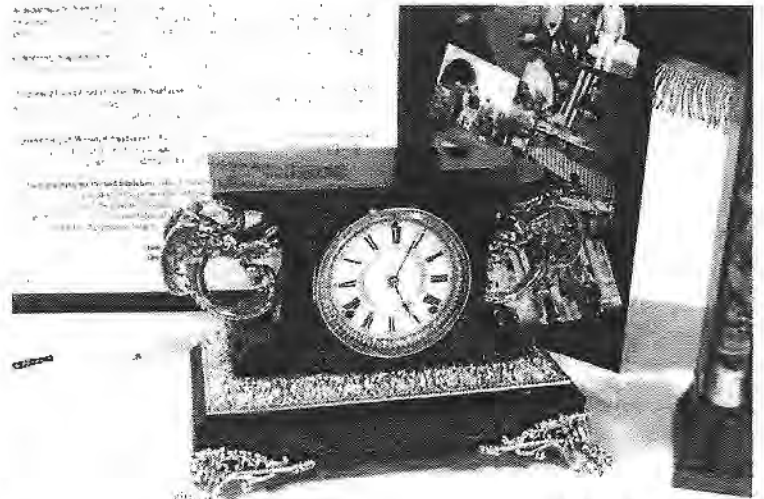
Please pass this newsletter on to any friend or acquaintance who has horological interests or potential, and encourage him/her to attend the next meeting. Or call your chapter secretary to request a newsletter be mailed to a prospective member.







Winner
Mike McHieholz
Omaha, NE



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Wayne Hermann



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Wayne Andrews