

National Association of Watch and Clock Collectors  
**George E. Lee Michiana Chapter 26**  
Celebrating 56 Years of Horology

**Reservations Required**

Reservations due by March 9th

Agenda:

10:00 AM – Mart, Exhibits, Library,  
Coffee or Tea, Donuts or Rolls

11:00 AM – Business Meeting

12:00 PM – Lunch

1:00 PM –Contest “See Details Below”

**Chapter Meeting:** March 15th, 2015

**Location:** VFW Hall

**1201 West Pike St.**

**Goshen, IN 46526**

**Hosts:** Hosea Jump

58676 County Rd 17

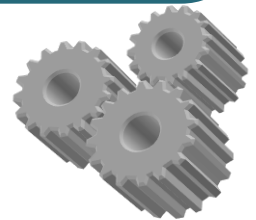
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**Contest: Our next letter is “O”.**  
**Clocks- “O”ne Day Clocks”**  
**Watches- Manufacturer**  
**beginning with “O”**



*Reminder: Please  
Pay your  
Membership Dues.  
They were due in  
November 2014*

*Please have your  
reservations in by  
Monday, March 9<sup>th</sup>.*

**Program Announcement**

**John Carpenter will be showing slides  
of several Japanese clocks**

# President's Message

## President's Report:

Tony and Belva are enjoying, in the extreme, their first winter in Florida. As you can see, a few clocks have found their way to the new southern location. A couple of these came from Ft Wayne, but most were acquired here. And there are more in the bedrooms. The weather has been wonderful, especially compared to what we see from Indiana reports. We have completed a big kitchen renovation so now clocks can be front and center. We will be here when the March meeting comes around, but we will be in Indiana for the May Chapter Meeting. We haven't made any Florida Chapter meetings but plan to be at their regional this spring. Thanks, Tony, and Belva too.

PS: if you look at the picture, three run accurately, two more run very inaccurately, and of the ones not running, one is a master and one a slave clock. Lots of fun.



## Meeting Minutes

### January 18<sup>th</sup>, 2015

Thirty-two members met January 18 at Lester's Banquet Hall in Ft. Wayne, IN on a cloudy 40 degree day. Chapter Vice-President Dick Clutter presided over the meeting. Jim and Joy Waldron brought their daughter and grandson. Dick opened the meeting saying the Chapter has completed a contract with Kruse Museum, site of the Mid-America Regional, in September and rental will be \$800 less than 2014. Discussion held what the Regional theme will be, and Railroad style watches was selected. It was stressed the display area must have constant surveillance to prevent theft. Use of a display case was suggested. It was agreed the Regional lecture will be on Railroad watches. Member Larry Kraye could present the program on how to photograph watches. The business part of the meeting ended with a discussion on whether the public be allowed only on Saturday. Any decision was tabled. Following lunch, the contest and program was held. The theme for clocks and watches was non-running timepieces. Five clocks were entered, and Gary Gruver got first with a Gilbert kitchen style. Second was Hosea Jump's entry, a Vienna style wood case that was in many pieces. Jim Waldron won third. Just four watches were entered, and Tom Wyncott got first place with a non-running family military watch. Larry Kraye won second with a rusty South Bend that he said will never run. Terry Webb got third with a Hamilton Automatic.

Larry Kraye gave a program on how to photograph watches using intricate lighting and also demonstrated various techniques he uses. Some members gave him their watch, and Larry used a digital camera to take pictures. Larry was asked many questions which he answered by demonstrating the correct technique. Larry gave some tips on where to buy a light box and how to get a good photo using a gray background; not black and white. Also your best light is outside on a cloudy day. Also Larry recommended getting a good editing program like ACDSee which may already be installed on your smart phone.

*Secretary*

*Craig Sebald*

Reservations for the meeting are due on March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2015

Location of our March Meeting is:

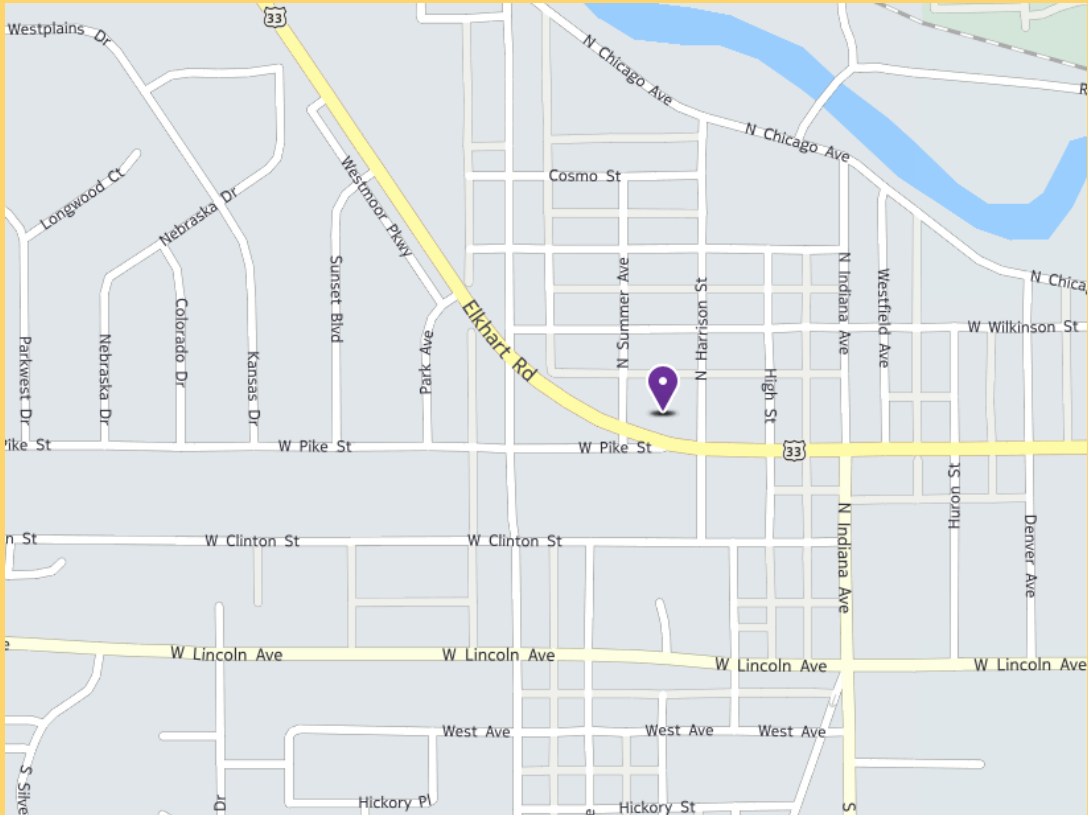
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\$10.00 per Person

*Please make checks payable to: George E. Lee - Chapter 26*

**Please bring your Mart items.  
Lots of tables available.  
Easy vehicle loading and unloading.  
Great lighting inside to see what you're buying.**



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