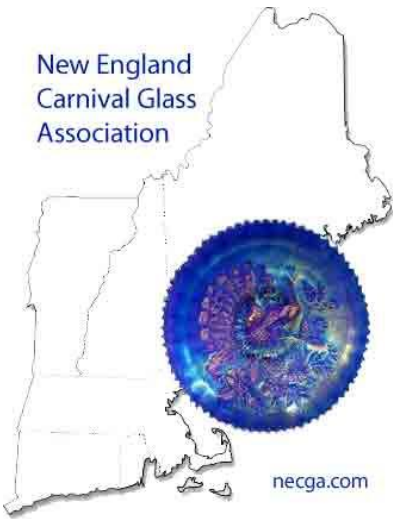


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October 2011

Meeting Highlights...Look Inside For More!



**SUNDAY,
OCT. 16th
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3 Pieces of Fenton: Dragon & Strawberry in Marigold Pumpkin Holly Plate, Dragon & Poinsettia in Green



**OCTOBER MEETING IN
SOUTHBRIDGE, MA**

**Show & Tell Theme
GRAPES,
FALL PATTERNS &
NEW FINDS**

The President's Newsletter

Where to start???? It's all good news! The convention was a great success. Great glass to see, new faces, lots of laughs and meeting with old friends. Check out all our photos and you'll wish you were there...and make your plans to attend next year's.



Thursday night Pizza Party was a lot of fun and the pizza was delicious. Take a look who's sampling...Cindy Marquart, Yvette & Paul Berube, and our treasurer Robin Brown.

Lots of people to thank starting with Tom Burns who did our "Stump Tom". He always does such a great job...and everyone looks so interested. We had quite a crowd.



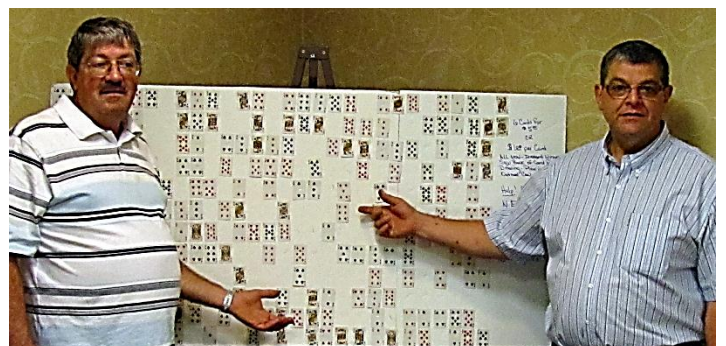
Bob Smith actually brought about two dozen tumblers, most of them very rare. We were happy to see him this year and we wish him a belated Happy 82nd Birthday. Check out his special page....I think he deserves one and I think you'll agree.

The banquet was held Friday night along with our mini auction. Everything was delish...especially the desserts (my wife's favorite). Our guest speaker that evening, Lew Marquart, was a fountain of information...and he also made it fun. Everyone was so surprised when they saw and heard about all the carnival glass that you can find/buy in England, Scotland and Ireland...to name a few. And let me say, we were pretty envious when we caught sight of his glass...as you'll soon see. Lew, we thank you a thousand times.

The mini auction followed. Let me say what a wonderful job Kathy Bradfield did on putting together a baked goods basket (some of it homemade) that raised \$55. You'll just have to take a look at the "grand marshal" of the event (look at the following pages and you'll see why). \$438.00 was raised and I have to thank everyone that brought in donations.

Gary Lickver gave a fantastic seminar on "What makes a cheap piece super pricey". We found out why and he also snuck in some rarities...check them out.

I have to give a big thanks to Bob Preseau who made a last minute decision to put together a fundraiser for the club...his famous card game appeared. Prizes were donated by him and a few



club members and the game raised \$188.00. THANKS, Bob.

And the thank you's don't end...

- To Kathy and John Bradfield and Bruce R. who opened up our hospitality room. To those that donated all the goodies.
- To Lynne March, Norman Spicher and my wife who took photos.
- To Phillip Burton who did an outstanding job on convention flyers/posters.

I can honestly say with pride that the NECGA Convention has always been a fun time. The members really step up to the plate and make it happen (and I hope I haven't forgotten anything or anybody). As President, let me congratulate **everyone** on what a fine job we did.

One serious topic of discussion that was brought up at the convention membership meeting was the option to combine the NECGA 2012 Convention with the www.cga convention in Asheville, New York. After much discussion, the members present took a vote and opted to keep the NECGA 2012 Convention in Massachusetts. Please see the response that Kris wrote in to the www.cga within this bulletin.

To get back to the basics, let me continue with another fine recipe that Kathy Bradfield submitted as this was sampled at the August meeting. Here it is:

Chocolate Cream Pie

15 oz of part-skim ricotta cheese
1/2 lb semisweet chocolate, chopped plus more for shaving
6 oz ready-to-fill chocolate cookie pie crust
1 cup heavy cream

1. Place the ricotta in a micro wave-safe bowl and microwave on high, stirring every 15 seconds, until no longer cold (about 1 minute).

Transfer to food processor and puree until smooth

2. Place chocolate in microwave on high, stirring every 15 seconds, until the chocolate is melted and smooth (about 1 minute). (Kathy adds about 1-2 teaspoons of water to chocolate when microwaving.)

3. Add the warm chocolate to the food processor and puree until fully incorporated and very smooth. Spread the mixture into the crust and refrigerate until firm, at least 3 hours and up to 3 days.

4. When ready to serve mix heavy cream into whipping cream (until stiff peaks form). Spread over pie with shaved chocolate.

Sincerely, Don Dorais, President

**HOPE TO SEE EVERYONE AT THE OCTOBER 16th MEETING!
CONVENTION HIGHLIGHTS AND STORIES TO TALK ABOUT!**



P.S. Let me also wish Pam Myers a speedy recovery as she recently (right after the convention) had shoulder surgery.

Notes from the Sun., August 14th meeting.

Present at the meeting: Kris & Don Dorais, Louie & Charlotte Carpick, Gary Sullivan, Bruce R. and Anna, Steve Lindquist, John and Kathy Bradfield, Moe Myers, Robin Brown, Emil Seymour, Norm Spicher, Henry & Freda Simonis

Show & Tell took place at after a delicious lunch and the meeting immediately started afterwards at 1:25 p.m. The bulletin notes were accepted, The treasury report was next on the schedule. Robin reported that we have approximately \$3,100 in the treasury. All were in favor of accepting the treasury report.

Robin stated that we should try to come up with a way to raise some money at the convention to increase the "coffers". Discussion took place about different ways to fundraise. Also ways to promote our club to increase our membership.

Convention Report:

- Donnie reported that 44 room nights have been reserved. Kris made numerous phone calls and sent emails to those members that usually come to the convention but were not on the hotel list to date. We also just made our banquet quota of 30 meals (actually 31).
- Donnie reported that he talked with Tom. Auction brochures are being mailed out. Everyone should have it soon.
- Last minute details were discussed regarding the convention.

New Business:

- Nomination of officers took place. The board of directors (3) terms that are expiring are: Anna, Norman and Gary. The process will stay open for additions at the convention.
- Nominations taken: President: Don Dorais
Vice President: Bruce R.
Treasurer: Robin Brown, Gary Sullivan
Secretary: Kris Dorais
Board of Directors: Anna, Emil, Norman

Meeting adjourned at 2:25 p.m.

Theme: Grapes & Fall Patterns and New Finds

Next Meeting: Sunday, October 16th at noon

Meeting Meal: Pizza will be ordered and paid by members. Salads and desserts needed.

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SHOW & TELL...DRAGON PATTERNS & SHELF PIECES



Northwood's Oriental Poppy Tankard with Tumblers in Purple

Dugan's Lined Lattice Vase in Amethyst

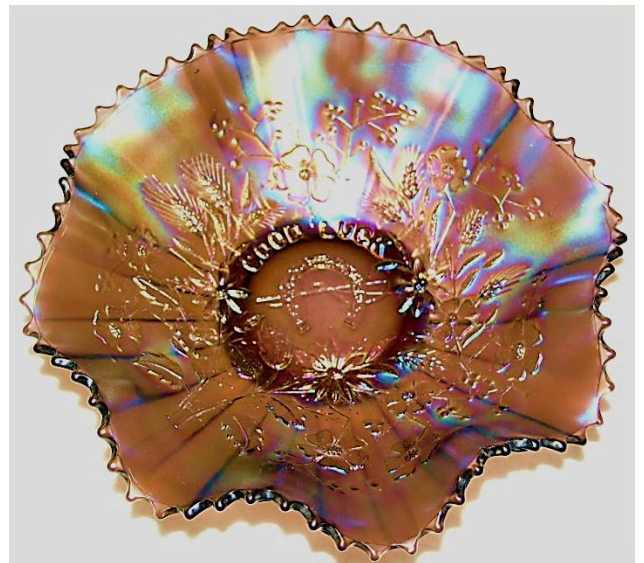
Northwood's Good Luck Ruffled Bowl in Lavender



Fenton's Dragon & Lotus IC Bowl in Blue (left)

Dragon & Lotus Ruffled Bowl in Cobalt Blue/Radium Treatment (bottom left)

Dragon's Tongue Marigold on Moonstone Lampshade (below)

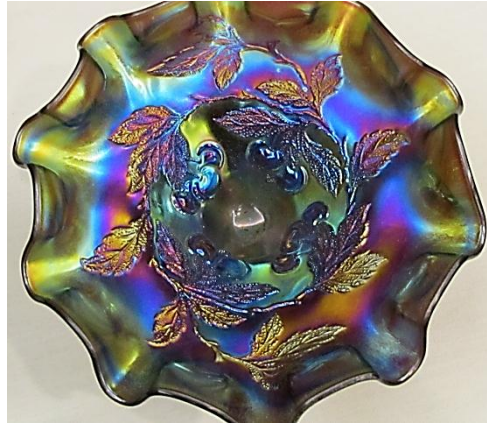


Dragon & Lotus Ruffled Bowl in Dark Marigold (below)



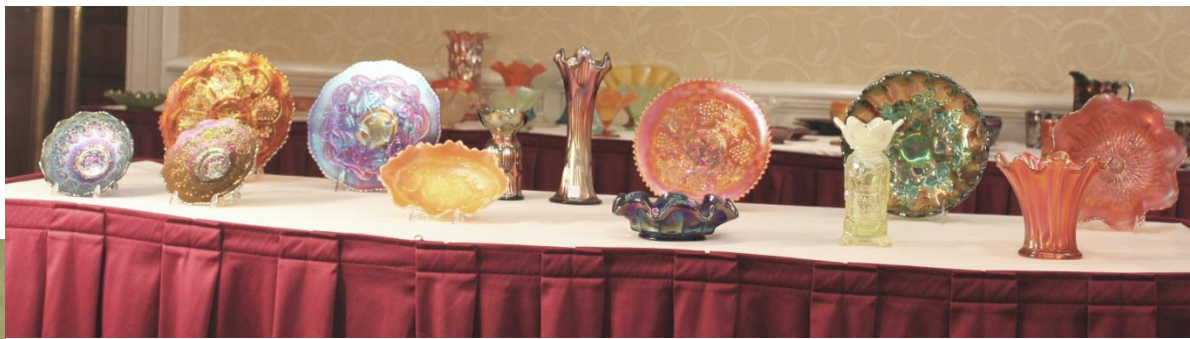
Lew Marquart, banquet speaker

Lew collects for color and that's exactly what we saw....beautiful iridescence.



Gary Lickver, seminar speaker

Gary spoke about cheap glass



that can be super pricey...cheap, did he say???? I don't think so!

Gary holding Kris's favorite...a poppy pickle dish...marigold over moonstone!

Auction Highlights:

Imperial Hobstar 8 ruffled bowl in blue-\$1,100
Fenton Cherry Chain prototype bowl in blue-\$3,000
Fenton Dragon & Strawberry bowl in blue-\$1,150
Millersburg Rosiland sauce in blue-\$1,800
Thumbprint & Ovals vase in purple- \$925
Embroidered Mums plate in ice green-\$900



Kris's response to the www.cga sent on 9/12/11 and Brian Pitman's response.

It was a perfect time to hold a meeting over the weekend to discuss the 2012 Convention. Prior to the convention, Brian Pitman called us and on behalf of the www.cga invited the NECGA convention to be held in conjunction with theirs during the same weekend in September 2012. At this time, let me say that I spoke with Bob Smith who was under the misconception that BOTH the conventions would be held separately in two different states on the same weekend. This is incorrect. The idea was that Tom Burns and Jim Wroda would both have independent auctions on both days (Friday/Saturday).

NECGA thanks both Brian and Jim with the invitation, but after much debate, the club has decided to hold the NECGA convention in Massachusetts the week prior to the www.cga convention. Everyone thought that keeping our convention and auction in New England was important to the club. The good news is that our members are interested and excited in attending both conventions and this is a great opportunity for www.cga members to attend the NECGA convention, visit Brimfield and travel up to Ashville, NY for the www.cga convention which would make for a great getaway to the Northeast next year.

[From Brian: Absolutely! Attending both conventions will totally rock!!!!!!!]

Jerry Garrow won 1st Place for Room Displays and received \$50 for his beautiful collection on white carnival glass.

Bob Preseau came in 2nd Place and received a 1 yr. free membership. His display was on Carnival "smalls".

Bob Smith's Many-One-Of-A-Kind TUMBLERS ...and he's proud of them!



LUSTER ROSE, VARIANT
Color: White
Maker: Imperial
Only One Known



BIG BUTTERFLY



BOUQUET
Color: Persian Blue/Marigold
Maker: Fenton
Only One Known



Gary Sullivan and Bob Smith



FROLICKING BEARS
Color: Green
Maker: U.S. Glass



John & Kathy Bradfield,
Emil Seymour and Bob
Smith posing for the
camera.



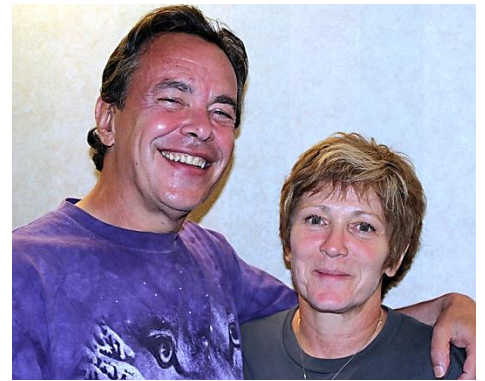
2011 BANQUET SCENES



Bob & Robin working the auction



Clint...all I can say is, "I Gotcha!"



Lew & Cindy...finally got this picture of them together at 1:00 in the morning



The Late Night Gang...they just didn't want to go to bed...Paul, Yvette, Anna, Joanne, Scott, Karen, Jerry, Bob, Bruce, Harold, Lynne, Steve and Gary!



Jerry, "The Monkey" & Gary



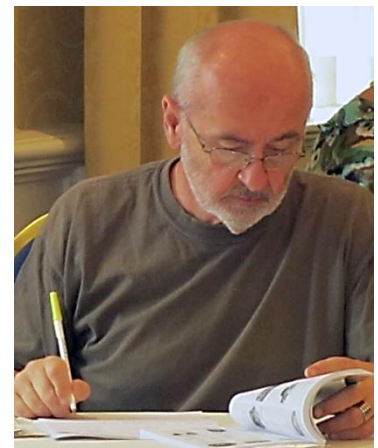
Donnie and Charlotte



Gary & Kris



Henry, Freda and Tom



Michael Filion doing his homework

GRAND MARSHALL... "THE MONKEY" ...so the story goes, the

monkey is donated to the mini auction by Harold and Lynne March. President Don buys it for \$5.00 (a steal) and donates it to Tom Burns for his 2-year-old granddaughter. ...and guess what, it dances and the music you hear is Jimmy Buffet's, "If you like pina colodas..." AND THEN THE FUN BEGAN.....



Harold & Lynne



President Don



Bob & Joanne



Tom & Kristine



Vickie & John



Phillip & Kristine



Anna & Bruce



Paul & Yvette



Louie, Charlotte, Peg & Ernie



New Members Bob & Linda

SANTA CLAUS TUMBLERS

by Bob Smith



As December will be rolling by again when one will be thinking about Christmas and the pleasures associated with it, one could wish there were some carnival Christmas themed tumblers. Luckily we do have some carnival glass tumblers that celebrate the season. Back in the HOACGA bulletin of December 2000 we had the Reindeer tumbler. Of course its duty was to pull Santa's sleigh to deliver the presents, but now we have come across Santa Claus himself on carnival glass tumblers. I suppose it was inevitable that sooner or later Santa would turn up on a tumbler. In this case he turns up on three tumblers. They surely were not donated into a Salvation Army Christmas kettle, but these three tumblers were found in a Salvation Army thrift store.

The tumblers are definitely a Jeannette product, most probably made between the 1940's and early 50's. It is questionable if the tumblers were done like other Jeannette enameled tumblers such as the Minuet, because on those type of tumblers the enameling was entirely done by machine. These appear to have been done by a skilled painter.



The thickness of the enameling indicates this. Also here and there throughout the figure of Santa's face there are a few chips missing indicating paint was used.

These were most probably used by the children in the family and we are lucky these managed to survive intact today.

The plain tumbler itself is a quite common Jeannette product found in flea markets and on eBay and sells quite cheaply because of their abundance. Santa Claus is definitely not abundant so it is priced accordingly, but not at really high price. It's their novelty that counts.

These tumblers measure: 5" High; have a 2" base; and a 2 3/4" rim. The marigold coloring is very good.

The three tumblers have the same Face of Santa, but painted on each is a greeting associated with Christmas. There is "Merry Christmas", then "Hi" and the other one "Cheerio". At this late date, one cannot be sure that there were sets of six at one time. It would be great if there was a pitcher that matched them. Anyway, they were probably an item on the Christmas dinner table that pleased the children.

Happy Hunting!

Feedback – necgabobsm@aol.com

9/29/11

New England Carnival Glass Association 2011 Convention

Final Total

Leominster, MA

DATE	DESCRIPTION	CHARGES	\$ Received	Net Profit
09/15/11	Pizza Party & Hotel Misc	\$97.33		
09/16/11	29 Banquet Meals	\$870.00	\$870.00	
	Guest Speaker meals (2)	\$60.00		
	Guest Speaker fee	\$100.00		
09/16/11	Mini Auction		\$428.00	
09/17/11	Tom Burns Auction Fee donation to the club		\$300.00	
09/17/11	Card Game		\$188.00	
	1st place prize to Jerry Garrow	\$50.00		
	Hospitality Room Snacks	\$36.20		
	Total Paid	\$1,213.53		
	Total Received		\$1,786.00	
	Net Profit			\$572.47

Mail in your election ballots by October 15th!

Tom Mordini

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Gary Sullivan
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Board of Directors (2 year term) **PLEASE ELECT 3**

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(One ballot per person/envelopes will be opened at the meeting)