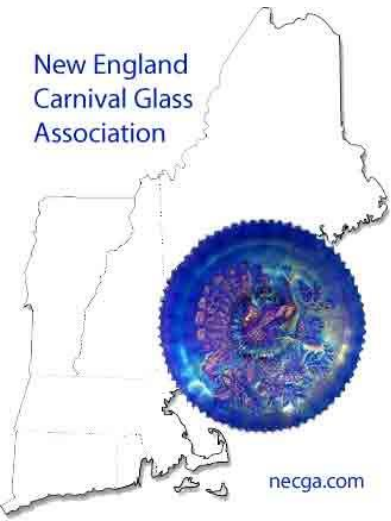


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Meeting Highlights...Look Inside For More!



Northwood's
Peacock at the
Fountain Fruit
Bowls in Blue
and Marigold

**SUNDAY,
DEC. 7TH
NOON**



Fenton's Peacock at the Urn
Bowl in a Rare Persian Blue

**DECEMBER MEETING IN
SOUTHBRIDGE, MASS.**

Show & Tell Theme
**RED, WHITE, GREEN
& NEW FINDS**

The President's Newsletter

Hi Everybody,

Since our last meeting, Kris and I have been busy doing some traveling. Some of you know that we spent some time in Italy...10 days actually. It was a wonderful trip...a trip of a lifetime. Here is one of our favorite pictures...it's actually taken from San Gimignano but it is of an organic farm called Poggio Allora (Bay Leaf Hill) that we visited, had a typical Tuscan lunch consisting of bruschetta, salad, wheat pasta Bolognese, lots of red and white wine from their winery and a delicious dessert cordial that we dipped out biscotti in...all the food Served was made there. Bon appetite!



Back to the United States, we were home for a weekend and then we were off to Hagerstown, MD for the Mid-Atlantic Jamboree. Bob Preseau drove down from VT and tagged along with us. We antiqued a bit on the way down through PA and then met up with Steve and Gary from Ct. We attended the banquet dinner with them along with Val and Jim Stangel (NECGA members from NY) and listened to their banquet speaker, Tom Monoski, who proved to be very knowledgeable about different kinds of glass and entertained us at the same time.

Tom did a great job auctioning off over 400 pieces of glass and we did come back with a souvenir...a very nice square shaped Ski Star bowl in amethyst. We'll be bringing it to the December meeting.

So now we are one week away from Thanksgiving and the last month seems like a dream.

Let me extend congratulations to Lynne and Harold March...who have a new granddaughter, Emily Beth. Let me also congratulate those re-elected club officers/board members...Steve, Gary, Kris, Norm and Anna along with newly elected board of director, Joanne Andrews.

Also let me wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

Hope to see you soon at the December meeting.

Sincerely, Don Dorais, President



Notes from the Sunday, OCTOBER 19th meeting.

Present at the meeting: Kris & Don, Gary Sullivan, Steve Lindquist, Paul Berube, Bruce & Anna, Louie & Charlotte Carpick, Jean Bennett.. Show & Tell took place and the meeting started at 1:25 p.m.

Election Results:

- President: Don Dorais, Vice-President: Steve Lindquist, Secretary: Kris Dorais, Treasurer: Gary Sullivan. Board of Directors elected (3 of them) were Joanne Andrews, Norm Spicher and Anna Ketola. We thank everyone for sending in their votes.
- The meeting continued. A motion to accept the bulletin minutes...all were in favor. A motion to accept the treasury report...all were in favor. Treasury report was also accepted by all. We have over \$6,000 in the treasury.

President Don reported that the new printer cost the club \$276.67 and this includes a 3-year warranty (\$18). We all remarked at how well the convention went even with the power going out during the auction. The club profit was \$997. The 2015 is locked in and the deposit has already been sent in.

New Business:

- Robin spoke with the Hampton Inn regarding the Spring Fling dates. Two dates were offered to the club...one in March and a date in April. The club members present thought that March would still be too cold, so it was voted on to hold the Spring Fling on Saturday/Sunday, April 18/19th. The room rate is still \$89.00 per night plus taxes. Cut off date is **March 15th** to receive this discounted rate.
- We discussed the option of keeping the club's dues at a set price of \$18.00 per family regardless if you live outside the US. Gary made a motion to and it was seconded by Kris and all were in favor. Changes will be made to the website and to the membership application that is included in the bi-monthly bulletin.
- 2015 convention speaker options were discussed and hopefully by the next meeting, we will have a guest speaker.
- 2015 meeting dates will be discussed at the next meeting. Louie will be talking with the Polish Club about our dates.

For the next December meeting, the members present made a motion to have a pizza party. The cost will be absorbed by the club.

Meeting adjourned at 2:05 p.m.

Theme: Red, White and Green pieces and New Finds

Next Meeting: Sunday, December 7th at noon.

Meal: Pizza, Antipasto, Dessert

New England Carnival Glass Association Membership Application

Dues: \$ 18.00 per year per household. (Membership renewal is due on your anniversary date)

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Calendar Listings for 2015

Feb 4 -7, 2015

Tampa Bay Carnival Glass Club Convention and Auction, St. Pete Beach, FL, Tom Burns Auction

March 11-14, 2015

Southern California Carnival Glass Club Convention and Auction, Ontario, CA

March 18-22, 2015

Texas Carnival Glass Club Convention and Auction, Dallas, TX, Jim Seeck Auction

April 22-26, 2015

Heart of America Carnival Glass Association Convention and Auction, Kansas City, MO, Jim Seeck Auction

May 6-8, 2015

Keystone Carnival Glass Club Convention and Auction, Grantville, PA

June 17-20, 2015

American Carnival Glass Convention and Auction, Wroda Auction Center, Greenville, OH, Jim Wroda Auction

SHOW & TELL...PEACOCKS & NEW FINDS



(left) Northwood's Peacock at the Fence PCE Bowl in Marigold
 (middle) Northwood's Peacock at the Fountain Tumbler
 (right) Northwood's Peacock at the Fountain compote in Ice Blue



(left) Northwood's Peacock at the Fountain compote in Ice Green
 (middle) Fenton's Fluffy Peacock Tumbler in Marigold
 Fenton's Peacock & Dahlia Bowl in Marigold



(left)
 Northwood's Peacock on the Fence Stippled Plate in Renniger Blue



(right)
 Northwood's Peacock on the Fence Ruffled Bowl in Aqua Opal

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Dinner - 6:00 p.m.
Dinner: Restaurant TBD

Free Sunday Morning Breakfast

Meeting: Show & Tell - 10:00 a.m.
Regular meeting to follow

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STIPPLED PETALS



After listening and enjoying, very much I might add, Gary Sullivan's discussion on the Dugan/Diamond Glass Company at this year's NECGA Convention, I learned that the Stippled Petals pattern was probably one in which the molds were destroyed in the 1912 fire at the Dugan



plant. I have always liked this pattern and it, to me, is like the Petal and Fan pattern minus the fans. A closer inspection shows that the petals on the Stippled Petals pieces are a bit chubbier than on Petal and Fan but they both were probably made by the same mold maker. The other difference is that Petals and Fan has the Jeweled Heart back pattern which was used on Dugan's premier pieces such as Farmyard and Heavy Grape while Stippled Petals has Long Leaf as the exterior pattern.



Stippled Petals was made primarily in dome footed bowls, compotes and rarely in handled baskets. It was made in Peach Opalescent and Amethyst. In Carl Burns' book on Dugan/Diamond, he does show a picture of a crimped bowl in marigold but says it is rare. On Dave Doty's website, he shows

the pattern in a candy ribbon edged plate. Not many plates have sold over the years and I always figured the odds of finding one were slim but to be aware of them. So, when I saw a peach opal example for sale on ebay, I snatched it right up. The seller listed it as an "Orange Carnival Glass bowl". When I got it, I was really taken with the beautiful iridescence on the piece. I told myself, too bad it is not in amethyst, but you'll never find one of those. Then a few nights later, I was scanning eBay and what to my wandering eyes should appear?? You guessed it! An amethyst one! This time it was listed as a "[Carnival glass electric purple amethyst ruffled six petal flower compote 9 inch](#)". Close, but this seller had no idea what pattern it was either.

Anyway, plates in this pattern are indeed rare. Doty's is the only reference source that I have found where they mention the shape. He shows a single peach opalescent plate sold in 2001 for \$60. Three amethyst plates have sold since then for \$500, \$375 and \$475. So, not many of these are around. This amethyst one might even be called oxblood as it is not easily seen through and the base glass is reddish in color. It has iridescence on both the front and back sides. The peach opalescent one is only iridescent on the inside but the beautiful opalescence covers most of the back. Usually, I love my Dugan purple as we all do. But I really like both of these equally as well. If you have one or more of these plates in your collection, I would love to hear about it.

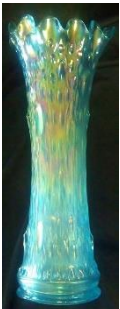
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I have **THE COOLEST STORY**. I bought a Memphis Souvenir nappy in Funkstown, MD with Rotherts Furniture and Carpets Altoona, Pa. molded into it. I put it on eBay and it sold to a guy named Chad Rothert. I emailed him and he is the great grandson of the owner of the store. His dad used to work in the store as a kid. They had several locations in Maryland and Pa. The old man's name was Oliver. So, you see, sometimes things find their way home. I think this is very cool.

Here is a picture of the piece.



Greg Dilian



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**Texas Carnival Glass Club Convention & Auction
March 18-21, 2015 ~ Dallas, Texas**

Convention Hotel: Wyndham Dallas Suites - Park Central, 7800 Alpha Road, Dallas

Room Rates: Single or Double - \$115 (plus tax). Breakfast in the Café Biarritz is included in the guest room rate for up to two people per room.

Reserve your Room: Call the Wyndham at 972-233-7600 (option 2) and tell them you are with the Texas Carnival Glass Club.

Hotel Deadline: Tuesday, March 3, 2015

Display Tables: Tables are available for a one-time fee of \$25 per table.

Pet Policy: The hotel welcomes small domestic pets up to 40 pounds each for a non-refundable fee of \$25 per hotel stay.

Convention Highlights

Wednesday, March 18th

Early Bird Fun Night

6:00 p.m. - Pizza Party in the Hospitality Room

7:30 p.m. - Share a recent find at "Show & Tell - A Texas tradition"

Thursday, March 19th

3:00 p.m. - Don and Barb Chamberlain present an educational seminar - "An Iowa Connection"

6:00 p.m. - Whitley Award Dinner honoring a couple whose dedication to Carnival Glass has enriched fellow collectors

8:00 p.m. - Our hilarious "Annual Gift Exchange" - the real fun begins when the stealing starts!

Friday, March 20th

10:00 a.m. - Glass artist Eric Hansen, nephew of Robert Hansen, presents an educational seminar on Hansen Glass

3:00 p.m. - Silent Auction closes, be there to make sure you are the winning bidder on your favorite items

3:30 p.m. - Vote for your favorite room display, Best of Show receives \$100 dollars!

5:30 p.m. - TCGC welcomes banquet speakers Carl and Eunice Booker, their presentation is titled "Carnival ABCs"

8:00 p.m. - Seeck auction preview

Saturday, March 21st

7:30 - 9:30 a.m. - Seeck Auction preview

9:30 a.m. - Seeck Auction

TRAVELING WITH GARY & STEVE...

The end of October brings cooler temperatures and fall foliage but it also brings the Mid-Atlantic Jamboree in Hagerstown, MD and the Great Lakes Convention in Lansing, MI. We've made it to the jamboree for the past several years and this year we also planned to make the trip. We've gone down with Don and Kris before, but this year they had Bob Preseau going with them, so we needed to take separate cars. Typically we stop on the way down and on the way back at various antique malls along the way, but since we have never really made any finds, we decided to stop at Gettysburg PA on the way down. So we left on Thursday October 23rd and headed out. It's about a five hour ride to Gettysburg so we made it there by early afternoon. The plan was to spend the day at Gettysburg Historical Park visitor center. The center



was built just recently in 2008 and was built specifically to house the Cyclorama painting. The Cyclorama is a 42 foot tall painting that completely encircles you when you stand in its center. It was painted as a commemorative to the Civil war many years ago and depicts the field of battle on the day of Pickett's Charge on July 27th 1863. It was just refurbished and placed in its new home, the visitor center. You have to pay \$12 to see it and the associated show with the battle's narrative and lighting effects. We then spent several hours in the museum and were forced to leave when the building was closing. For any history buff, a wonderful experience. We spent the night in Gettysburg and the following morning drove out to view the actual battlefield. It was a beautiful clear morning and because it was so early we were the only ones out on the field. The field has over 1,400 memorials dedicated to the soldiers who fought and died there. It was very surreal to be in such a calm place yet to

imagine the horrors of the battle fought by 160,000 men.

We then made our way to Hagerstown, as we knew Tom would need help setting up the auction glass. We quickly ran into Val and Jim, Kris and Don, Bob P., Beth and Pam. We visited a lot of rooms with glass for sale and saw a very interesting banquet talk by Tom Monoski. Saturday morning was the auction and Tom had over 400 pieces to auction off. We knew this would be a long day, so we planned to stay over Saturday night at the hotel and not head out until Sunday morning. We got a couple of things that we hoped for. One item we were happy to bring home was a Westmoreland Orange Peel punch set in Marigold. You don't often see them yet they don't bring a lot of excitement so we were able to get it for \$70. At the end of the auction Susan Powell stood up and said that they were headed to Red Lobster for dinner and just let her know if you wanted to go. So 13 of us ended up carpooling over for seafood.



Driving to Michigan the following weekend was not what we really wanted to do, but Tom had some great glass going up for auction. Again we

decided to go but to stop along the way to see something we haven't seen before, Niagara Falls. So we headed out Thursday morning, October 30th. It was about a five or six hour drive to Niagara Falls. We parked on Goat Island which sits between Horseshoe Falls which is half in Canada and half in the US and the American Falls which is all in the US. From Goat Island you can walk along trails for various views of both falls. We walked all over. The amount of water that flows over the falls in just one second is incomprehensible. It is hard to think of so much water being here and about other places where water is so scarce. We spent the night near Niagara Falls, but headed out about 3am as we wanted to be in Lansing for a seminar on Vaseline glass to be given by Tom. We got to the hotel at 9am but were told we could not check in until noon or it would be a half day room charge. So we went to their breakfast buffet as we were starving. We didn't have a ticket for a free breakfast so



we were told it was \$7 each. Mark Richter, the president of Great Lakes club overheard this and he promptly handed us two free breakfast tickets. At the 10 am seminar, Maxine Burkhardt said hello to us. Somehow she heard that we could not yet check in. She quietly left the room and came back in five minutes and told us we were all set with our room and could check in at any time. Wow, these Great Lakers are so nice. We helped Tom set up the auction glass and ran into Galen and Kathi. We saw another seminar by Ingrid S. on smalls and at the banquet, a seminar by Bob Grissom on some of his collection.

The glass for the Saturday auction included a lot of water sets and punch sets. We were very happy to leave with an electric green stippled Grape and Cable standard size punch set. Because Kris wasn't there, Tom asked if either Steve or I could clerk the auction. Steve was nice enough or crazy enough to agree. He only ran into one small glitch in the first few lots but then got the hang of it and it was no problem for him. We did leave before the auction was over and Maxine took over for Steve. We drove about 6 hours and ended up spending the night in Dubois, PA as we knew we could not make the whole 13 hour drive in one day. We woke up early Sunday morning and after another 6 or so hours, finally made it home. Fortunately there are no upcoming auctions to tempt us for another road trip for a while as we are done with these long trips. At least until we see another piece of glass we have to have. Happy trails.....**Gary and Steve.**



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For the period January 1, 2014 thru December 31, 2014		September 2014	
Opening Balance - January 1, 2014	\$5,897.48		
Revenues:		Convention Revenue:	
Dues	783.00	Banquet Meals	1,200.00
Fees	400.00	Mini Auction	932.50
Convention	997.59	Card Game/Donations	220.00
Other	0.00	Tom Burns - Auction	200.00
Total Revenue	2,180.59	Total Convention Revenue	2,552.50
Expenses:		Convention Expenses:	
Postage	141.24	Hotel Costs/Meals	1,200.06
Ink/Paper/Envelopes	186.36	Guest Speaker Fee	0.00
Supplies	20.70	Pizza Party	130.95
Web site	0.00	Room Display Awards	68.00
Hall Rental	270.00	Hospitality Room	155.90
Printer	276.67		
Total Expense	894.97	Total Convention Expenses:	1,554.91
Increase /(Decrease) in Fund Balance	1,285.62		
Ending Fund Balance - Nov 19, 2014	\$7,183.10	Net Convention Profit / (Loss)	\$997.59
2015 Hotel Deposit	(600.00)		
Ending Cash Balance - Nov 19, 2014	\$6,583.10		