

# Tic Talk Times



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Newsletter of Orange County Chapter 69 of the  
National Association of Watch and Clock Collectors

*Meeting Minutes, September 2, 2016*

## BLACK FOREST CLOCKS

The meeting was called to order by President Paul Martyn at 8:00 p.m. after our 7:00 p.m. mart ended. He thanked Ken Lynn for providing the refreshments tonight. The minutes for September will be approved next month.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Chapter 136 is having a 2 day mart in Vista on October 1st and 2nd at the Antique Steam Engine Museum. (There is also a steam engine and tractor show there on the 15th and 16th.)

Del Mar Regional is scheduled for October 13th, 14th and 15th.

Don't forget our Chapter 69 Bazaar will be held at our regular meeting place on October 7th. Set up time will be 6:45 p.m. Call Paul Martyn to reserve a table if you are a chapter member.

### BEGINNER'S CORNER

Paul Martyn told us about his experience repairing with gold leaf. It works fine on pot metal but the liquid gold leaf won't work. If the item is too far gone, try the gold leaf. You can also use gold foil, but it is not made of gold, and does not work on 3D items. You should seal porous material first, following instructions according to the material but it is hard to put on. Then

a spray finish is needed. You have to lift up the material and it has a peel-off backing. Also gold leaf that applies with a brush will work but it is very thin and expensive. Dave Weisbart added that Krylon makes a pen-type applicator for gold.

### TOOL TALK:

Paul Martyn brought 5 unknown metal tools for discussion. The first one was marked 7-87A and folds up to fit in your pocket. It might be a military number. He brought in two more tools, one might be for telephone relays and the other also for a telephone. The fourth one he showed was a flaring tool to hold copper wire, or possibly a split stick or to hold a hand. The fifth one was possibly an oiler, possibly homemade.

Jerry Kleeb brought in "hammerhead pliers" that are watchcase straighteners; pliers to remove dents from watchcases; pliers used to put a bow on a watch and then shape it "watch bow tool"; a device to set a bow which cuts a diameter on each side; and a set to measure how to set the pivots which figures out the middle hole. (a depthing tool or an uprighting tool.) This next one was from his father's workbench and no one was sure what it was. He showed another tool for setting roller jewels and pallet jewels using shellac.

Doug Lynn from "Dr. Frankenstein's office" brought in a Lineman's "butt set" from the 1920's, used to butt in on the line. He also showed us a multimeter with tube testing.

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*This Month*

## NAWCC CHAPTER 69 BAZAAR

In that our Chapter did not have a Mart this year, the decision was made to have a Watch/Clock Bazaar in lieu of our regular October 7 (Friday) meeting.

Fifteen tables are to be made available for sellers. If you are interested in a table, please call me so that one can be reserved in your name. There is no charge for a table; buyers and sellers are only to be charged the regular \$4. meeting dues.

Sellers are encouraged to arrive at 6:45PM. Buyers are invited to arrive anytime after 7:00PM. The Bazaar will close at 9:00 PM.

This event will be held at the Masonic Lodge at 11270 Acacia Parkway in Garden Grove.

I am looking forward to so seeing you all on October 7th.

Paul Martyn  
President, Chapter 69

**DUES ARE DUE**  
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### TIME TRIVIA

*An Egyptian sundial for daylight use and an Egyptian water clock for nighttime use were both found in the tomb of Pharaoh Amenhotep I. Each item date back to c. 1500 BC,. Both of these timekeeping devices divided the periods into 12 hours each.*

**Dues are Due!**

It's time to renew your membership to Chapter 69. Your support of our activities is very important to the chapter's well-being, so we're counting on every member to send in his or her renewal. Please fill out the form on the right and bring it with you to the meeting. If you can't attend this month's meeting, please mail your dues today!

**Don't Like to Stand in Line?**

Get the annual pass option! This permanent badge gets you into every regular meeting without having to pay at the door. This pass gets you into 12 meetings for the price of 11. For an individual pass, include \$44 plus your dues (\$54 total). For a couples pass, include \$66 plus dues for two (\$86 total).



**Orange County Chapter 69  
Membership Application**

New Member  Renewal  
*(check one)*

PLEASE PRINT

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Last Name

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First Name

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Check here to receive the Tic Talk Times by U.S. Mail (\$5.00 Extra)

Dues for 2016-2017 are \$10.00. Please make your check payable to: "Orange County Chapter 69."  
Check below for options. Amounts are in addition to dues.  
 Couples annual pass (\$66)  
 Individual annual pass (\$44)

**UPCOMING MARTS**

**OCTOBER 2016**

Chapter 69 Bazaar

When: 10/7/2016  
Masonic Lodge  
1270 Acacia Parkway  
Garden Grove, CA

2016 NAWCC Ward Francillon Time Symposium

When: 10/6/2016 - 10/8/2016  
Winterthur Museum  
5101 Kennett Pike  
Wilmington, DE 19735

2016 Southwest CA Regional

When: 10/13/2016 - 10/15/2016  
Del Mar Fairgrounds, Wyland Center  
2260 Jimmy Durante Blvd  
Del Mar, CA 92014

**NOVEMBER 2016**

2016 Mid-Eastern Regional

When: 11/5/2016—11/6/2016  
York Expo Center  
334 Carlisle Ave  
York, PA 17404

2016 Southern Regional

When: 11/12/2016—11/13/2016  
Best Western Landmark Hotel  
2601 Severn Ave  
Metairie, LA 70002



Full details for all upcoming marts: <http://net.nawcc.org/NAWCC/Events/Events/NAWCC/Events/Events.aspx>

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Bob Linkenhoker showed us a handmade pivot polisher which holds a balance. Rich showed us a long 8 mm collet used to flatten screws or maybe for polishing. Jerry Pierelli showed us a movement holder.

Members enjoyed discussing the mystery tools that were shown.

### UGLY CLOCK CONTEST

Bob Linkenhoker showed us “an old hunk of coal going to be a diamond someday” marked Welch, with marine escapement. He also had a second clock and asked how to get bubbles out of the wood finish? It was French but marked Imported from England.

Ellie showed us her “Fish clock” which has fish revolving around the perimeter. Phyllis Adams showed a stuffed animal Monkey clock and loud Scooby Doo alarm clock with food items as numerals. Dave Weisbart showed us his Ansonia Musical Alarm Carriage Clock which plays “God Save the Queen” or “My Country ‘Tis of Thee” depending which side of the ocean you are on. He said “beauty is only skin deep” and we understood this after hearing the clock. Doug Lynn provided a metal “Ugly Clock” award and members voted Bob’s marine escapement clock was the winner.

### SHOW & TELL

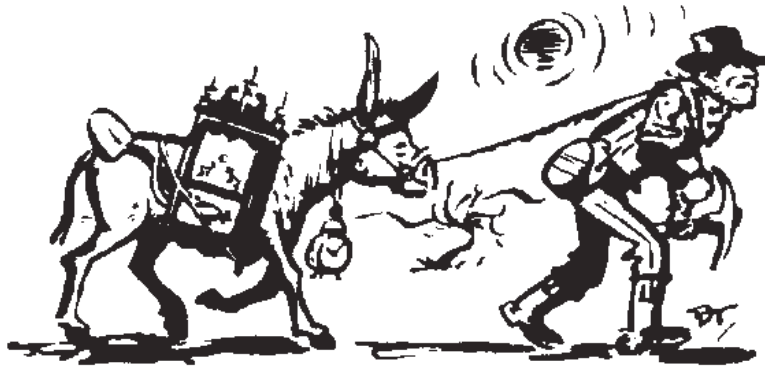
“L” – Jerry Kleeb showed a Lindzkirst from before 1900’s which he acquired in 1970 which is a Black Forest Clock with a key.

The raffle prizes were won by Rich, Jerry Kleeb and Cora Lee Linkenhoker.

Bob Linkenhoker and his ugly clock



Chapter 69 - 2016 Ugly Clock Winner



# WATCH AND CLOCK BAZAAR

THE ORANGE COUNTY CHAPTER OF THE

*NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WATCH AND CLOCK COLLECTORS*

IS HOLDING AN EVENT WHERE MEMBERS CAN SELL TO  
THE PUBLIC

IT WILL BE HELD:

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7<sup>TH</sup>  
FROM 7PM TO 9PM**

AT THE MASONIC LODGE  
11270 ACACIA PARKWAY  
GARDEN GROVE

THERE IS A \$4.00 ENTRY FEE

IF YOU HAVE AN INTEREST IN WATCHES OR CLOCKS AND ARE INTERESTED IN  
JOINING OUR ORGANIZATION  
INFORMATION WILL BE AVAILABLE



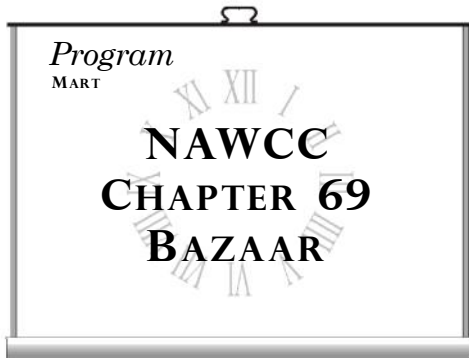
**DATED MEETING NOTICE  
PLEASE DO NOT DELAY**

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*The National*  
ASSOCIATION OF  
WATCH & CLOCK  
Collectors, Inc.



**OUR NEXT MEETING: FRIDAY OCTOBER 7, 2016**



***Beginner's Corner Mini-Seminar:***

No beginner's Corner this month

***Show & Tell:***

This month, show and tell others about the incredible items you find at the Bazaar

***Board Meeting:***

No Board Meeting this month

**Time:** 7:00 — Doors Open  
8:00 — General Meeting

**Admission** \$4.00 — General  
\$6.00 — Couples

**Location:** Acacia Grove Masonic Lodge  
11270 Acacia Parkway  
(in the Civic Center)  
Garden Grove, CA

