

NAWCC Pacific
Northwest
Chapter 31

Upcoming
Events

- **Sun, Nov 18th**
Monthly Meeting with Special "Eli Terry" Surprise @ Beaverton Library
- **Sun, Dec 16th**
Holiday Party @ Monarch Hotel in Clackamas
- **Sun, Jan 20th**
Monthly Meeting featuring Japanese Clocks

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Eli Terry Surprise!

November Meeting - Sunday, Nov 18, 2007



Eli Terry

Born April 13, 1772 to
February 24, 1852

This is a very important meeting with a special surprise for everyone and will be held at the Beaverton Library. The subject of the program is Eli Terry and his Clocks and it is a program which I obtained from National. The letter for show-and-tell is T and that coincidentally fits in with the theme, TERRY!!!!

So everyone is requested to bring in a Terry clock to show to our special guest who is Avonelle June Terry (her maiden name) who is a direct

descendent of Eli Terry and knows little about clocks but this might be a chance to introduce her to some of her ancestor's products.



Avonelle's married name is Barton and her husband, Bob, will also attend our meeting. This has all come about as a

result of the good works of Bill Butcher and we should make a special effort to attend and make Avonelle and Bob feel welcome.



Don't forget to FALL BACK

Clocks go back an hour on Sunday, November 4th @ 2am!

President's Message



I am pleased to see an increase in meeting attendance. This goes to prove that when people volunteer and become active, their interest escalates and they want to come not only for good programs but direct involvement like the regional committee.

At our council meeting on Oct 21, a couple of items were approved: Charles Schubert asked for a donation of 1000.00 to help expand the West Coast Museum in Bellingham. He said a total of 4000.00 is needed to expand the museum & he will contact other West coast chapters for help in funding the project. The other item of business is to resume publishing our newsletter monthly instead of every 2 months. Jeff Major has agreed to publish our newsletter and with the help of his wife, they will maintain our website as well. Mary Gonzalez will retain the title of secretary for Chapter 31. I say many many thanks to Mary for her years of volunteer service. She did an excellent job setting up our website and publishing our newsletter.

We promise an excellent program for Nov 18. Our guest will be Avenelle Terry who is a local descendant of Eli Terry of the Eli Terry Clock Co. More info coming from Dick Vigal.

Harold Baesler, Pres



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www.nawcc31.org



Holiday Party

Sunday December 16, 2007

2:00 PM

This Holiday Party which will be held at the **Monarch Hotel** in **Clackamas** has always been a well attended and popular event with a super meal and usually a nice program. The time is 2:00 PM and remember to fill out the registration form (attached in this newsletter) and submit it as soon as you can. We look forward to seeing everyone there.



October Meeting Minutes

Respectfully Submitted by, Mary Gonzalez

The Oct. 21st regular meeting of chapter 31 was held at the Beaverton City Library. There were 30 attendees present. The meeting was brought to order by President Harold Baesler who introduced and welcomed the VP from Chapter 157.

Following reports:

- **Secretary** - No correspondence. Jeff & Donna Major have volunteered to take over the newsletter publishing and mailing as well as the maintenance and publishing of the website. A GIANT thank you goes out from Mary & Jeff Gonzalez to the Major family for taking on these tasks and their many responsibilities.
- **Treasurer** - Absent.
- **Programs** - Dick V. reports that Avonelle Terry, a direct descendent of clockmaker Eli Terry family will be the special guest and program presenter at the November meeting. Dick urges everyone to attend this special meeting, and to bring a Terry clock for the Show N' Tell portion of the meeting.
- **Membership** - John Bailey reports that there are currently 95 paid members of the chapter.
- **Regional Report** - Due to illness, the latest regional meeting has been postponed from yesterday and will be held Saturday, Oct. 27th.
- **New business** - It was reported that the council voted to donate \$1000.00 to Ch. 180 West Coast Clock Museum to use toward the expansion of their area at the museum. Our chapter is challenging other chapters to donate funds toward the Chapter. 180 expansion.

Old business -

- **Program** — Henry Casson presented another chapter in the "Return of Henry's Horological *Hadventures*". Henry presented a wonderful PowerPoint presentation showing sites and especially clocks visited during his trips to Great Britain and Europe.
- **Show N' Tell- Letter S**—examples included a large staking tool set brought by Dick V. and a sign from the 1800's from a clockmaker. Reproductions of the sign were offered as gifts from Charlie Schubert.

Announcements -

- The Holiday Luncheon will be held Dec. 16th at 2 pm at the Monarch Hotel in Clackamas. See registration form in October issue of the Timeout newsletter.
- Bob English – spoke about his recent trip to the NAWCC national headquarters in Columbia, Pa. He also spoke about Dave LaBounty of Michell, Neb. Who has a wealth of clock parts.
- Door Prize- A nice selection of horological books were given away as a door prize and raffle prizes.

Next meeting Nov. 18th at the Beaverton City Library.



Meeting Dates — Mark Your Calendar



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- **Sun, Jan 20th** This meeting subject will be Japanese Clocks and will be presented by Merle Snell who is well known locally as an expert in the study of Japanese clocks. This is such a unique area of horology that I highly recommend attendance to this meeting. Merle's presentation will include slides of many beautiful and rare early Japanese clocks. It will be nice to see Merle again and I hope the turnout is large. The show-and-tell letter is U so I will leave it up to each of you to figure that one out.

Your Council Members at work for you!

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NAWCC Chapter 31 proudly presents the Annual

Holiday Gathering

Sunday, December 16th, 2007

Monarch Hotel
 12566 SE 93rd Ave
 Clackamas, OR 97015

2:00 pm – Mingle (Mart Table Available)

2:30 pm – Dinner

\$16.00 per Person (*Bargain price for a fabulous meal, you don't want to miss it – Portland Chapter 31 is paying for a portion of your meal.*)

Menu Choice

- Combination 8 oz. Rib Eye and two Scampi Style Prawns served with Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Fresh Seasonal Vegetables , Rolls & Butter, Chef's Assorted Desserts
- Vegetarian Meal (by request only)

RSVP 12/13/2007



Name		Meal Choice	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rib Eye	\$16.00
			<input type="checkbox"/>	Vegetarian	
Guest		Meal Choice	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rib Eye	\$16.00
			<input type="checkbox"/>	Vegetarian	

Cut and send this slip along with payment (make check payable to NAWCC):

Portland Chapter NAWCC Holiday Gathering
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