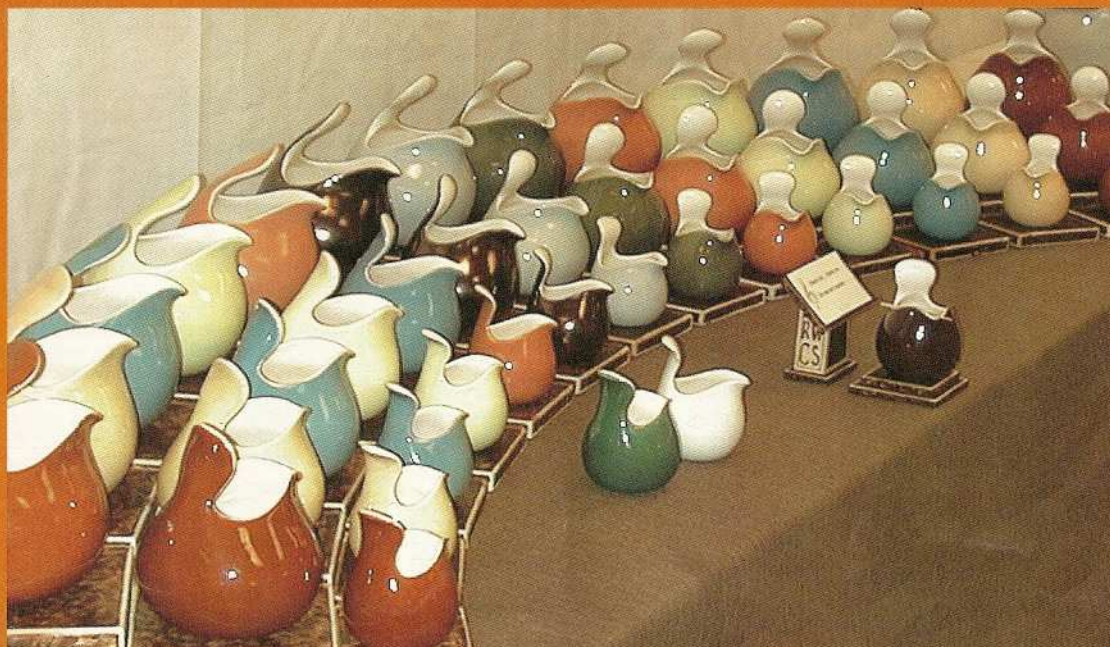


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Convention 1999 Report
Election 2000
Auction Highlights

COVERS

FRONT The display room at Convention 1999 held some real treasures. The top photo shows "Town & Country Orchestra" by Tom Ranstad, a Best of Show winner in the dinnerware category. Below, we see Bob Larson's amazing display, "Bowl Me Over."

BACK Among the rare items in the display room was a cleverly arranged elephant-ear salt glaze 3-gal crock with target—on two sides!

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OCTOBER, 1999

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October	September 1	September 10
December	November 1	November 10

NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

Classified

Classified ads are 15¢ per word; \$3 minimum charge. Ads are divided into *Red Wing For Sale*, *Red Wing Wanted*, *Other Pottery For Sale*, *Other Pottery Wanted*, *Events, Clubs, Publications & Web Sites* and *Announcements* sections, so you do not need to include those words in your ad. Ads are available through December 1999 only. Please type or print clearly and proofread before submission. Not responsible for typographical or other errors. Send all ads with payment to the Editor at the address above.

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ad size	1x	6x
1/8 page (includes typesetting)	\$ 60	\$ 45
1/4 page	100	90
1/2 page horizontal / vertical	200	180
full page	400	360

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Message from the President



CORRINNE REED

To everyone who had even the tiniest part in putting on the RWCS 23rd annual Convention: Bravo! Well done! The members who talked with me had nothing but the highest compliments for how smoothly and efficiently everything seemed to go. It seems the only lines in which members had to wait were food lines!

I would like to clarify the confusion expressed to me by some members concerning the titles on the Convention button and the Convention supplement. Having had our first Convention in 1977, this year's Convention was the 23rd convention, as stated on the button, but only the 22nd anniversary of our Convention, as stated on the supplement. Anniversaries for any event begin the first year after the original event, so in the future, look carefully at exactly how a title is worded.

This year's Convention marked another first—the production of the Society's first *real stoneware* official Convention button. Kudos to potter, Mike Robinson, and the California chapter for all of their time, effort, and work in producing this unique piece for our members. Unfortunately, buttons were sold out before the end of the first day, even though California had made as many or more buttons as any chapter that has produced buttons. The Board of Directors and the California Chapter regret as much as you, the members, the fact that some of you were unable to purchase even one button at regular Convention prices for your collection. The California Chapter has come up with a procedure whereby you may yet obtain this year's button. See the boxed article on this page.

For those members who were

unable to be among the approximately 3,800 in attendance at this year's Convention, I must sadly announce that due to health concerns, our treasurer Jerry Flicek is taking a leave of absence. In his absence and until his health is fully recovered, the finances of the Society will be handled by our Business Manager, Kay Wilshusen, and our CPA, Mark Prenger. Jerry is loved by all and was deeply missed at Convention. On behalf of all of the members of the Society, we wish him a speedy recovery.

Thank you for being members of this great organization, for participating in its various activities and events, for making your voices heard, and for giving the Board of Directors your confidence and support.

1999 Convention Button

If you were unable to purchase the official Convention button in Red Wing, a limited number are offered by mail. *Please do not order a button if you got one at the Convention.* Limit is one button per membership. Send a check or money order for \$6 (\$3 for button and \$3 for shipping and handling) to: Golden State Red Wing Chapter, PO Box 690, French Camp, CA 95231

We will only honor orders postmarked on or before September 15, 1999.



We Need You! Year 2000 Elections

By Corrinne Reed

As you will note from the annual business meeting minutes, all of the proposed changes to the RWCS By-laws were approved and went into effect immediately upon their passage. Thus, the three positions of auction manager, commemorative manager, and education manager will be up for reelection next year. The non-elected support positions of display, head volunteer, marketing, registration, show and sale, and social events will be appointed by the Business Manager with the advice and consent of the Board of Directors. In accordance with the new By-laws changes, nominations and resumes will be published in the *Newsletter* four months prior to the June 30th due date for ballots to be returned to the RWCS business office. With the change to all members voting by mail, there will be no nominations from the floor at the annual business meeting. Kathy and Larry Roschen have announced that they will definitely not be running again for the position of commemorative manager. People interested in running for any of the three elected positions may contact vice president Wendy Callicoat, chair of the Nominating Committee, for further information or to submit your name and resume.

The following is a timeline for how events will proceed for next year's election.

- Nomination Committee formed July 1999 (By-laws state vice president appoints four other members, at

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TREASURER'S REPORT

REVENUE

Commemorative Sales	\$155,577.00
Membership Income	142,746.50
Auction Sale	140,475.50
Summer Convention	50,000.00
Miscellaneous	10,010.98
MidWinter Conference	8,320.00
Interest	<u>7,868.20</u>
TOTAL	\$514,998.18

EXPENDITURES

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Salaries and Wages	\$ 5,620.00
G & A	1,717.58
Computer Updating	6,530.36
Insurance, General	1,483.00
Government	13,573.42
Telephones, General	4,943.25
Printing/Reproduction	6,233.19
Newsletter	67,038.00
Postage, Newsletter, General	10,502.89
Donations	8,300.00
Red Wing Commemoratives	3,750.00
Board Meetings	11,719.02
Web Site	3,218.00
Legal	262.00
Display Expenses	<u>303.50</u>
TOTAL	\$145,194.21

AUCTION ACTIVITIES

Labor and Wages	\$ 1,161.48
Administration	3,239.94
Operational	3,432.77
Paid to Owners	122,722.00
Salaries	<u>1,000.00</u>
TOTAL	\$130,556.19

SUMMER CONVENTION

Salaries and Wages	\$ 3,522.00
Administration	637.00
Operational	5,650.09
Education	50.84
Facilities	7,000.00
Security	5,283.67
Badges/Buttons	1,359.12
Publicity	6,240.25
Social Events	8,486.17
Insurance	303.50
Printing/Reproduction	<u>1,562.59</u>
TOTAL	\$40,095.23

COMMEMORATIVES

Salaries and Wages	\$ 3,500.00
Administration	60.71

Telephone	135.84
Printing	353.64
Distribution	13,753.53
Postage	1,506.22
Sample	86.40
Truck Rental	162.81
Commemorative Units	53,294.54
Storage	885.00
Computer Updating	1,715.13
Mileage/Travel	<u>496.35</u>
TOTAL	\$75,950.17

MEMBERSHIP ACTIVITIES

Salaries and Wages	\$3,500.00
Administrative Supplies	1,460.60
Postage	<u>825.26</u>
TOTAL	\$5,785.86

MIDWINTER CONVENTION

Salaries and Wages	\$ 300.00
General Administration	328.28
Operations	<u>7,246.98</u>
TOTAL	\$7,875.26

RED WING OFFICE

Salaries and Wages	\$32,264.97
Office Supplies	1,157.79
Petty Cash	607.83
Operations	3,876.48
RW Memberships	513.10
Telephone	446.09
Postage	104.00
Mileage/Travel	412.15
Showcases	1,353.00
Computer Updates	<u>359.07</u>
TOTAL	\$41,094.48

PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT

Total Revenue 1998	\$514,998.18
Total Expenditure 1998	<u>454,851.40</u>
PROFIT IN 1998	\$ 60,146.78

FINANCIAL RESOURCES AVAILABLE

Balance Dec. 31, 1997	\$201,866.04
Profit in 1998	<u>60,146.78</u>
TOTAL	\$262,012.82

COMPOSITION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS 12/31/98	
US Bank, checking account	\$123,893.27
US Bank, CDs	22,862.92
State Bank, CDs	92,244.98
Goodhue County Bank, Savings #1	20,661.05
Goodhue County Bank, Saving #2	<u>2,350.60</u>
TOTAL	\$262,012.82

Message from the Auction Committee



JEFF & PAULETTE
FLOYD

This year's Convention Auction total was exactly \$157,942.50. The top-selling individual piece was a 5-gal salt glaze Beehive with a bird sitting on a branch decoration, selling for \$6,500. A 40-gal transition crock with two sets of elephant ear leaves sold for \$5,600. A 20-gal salt glaze brown center button lid in mint condition sold for \$4,000. A huge thank you goes out to all the volunteers that helped with the Auction.

Anyone wishing a catalog with prices realized can send the Auction Committee a check for \$2 made payable to the RWCS. Please mail to our address on the inside cover of this *Newsletter*. And, it is not too early to be thinking about that special piece for next year's Auction!

Message from the Display Committee



JEFF & RUBY
BENSON

It was great to see so many at Convention! Hope you all had a fantastic time. Also hope you all had a chance to view the wonderful displays. We want to thank everyone that helped in the Display Room in any way. Your volunteer time is very important to us and we appreciate it.

Special thanks to all the displayers and members who brought in rare items. Without your contribution

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there would be no display room for all of us to enjoy. Thank you!

The list of displayers, and winners of People's Choice and Best of Show awards (the Special 10-gal Koverwate commemorative) are as follows:

ART POTTERY: "Walker Pottery Animals" by Marge Stokke; "Charles Murphy" by Bonnie Myers & Nick Marson*†; "Red Wing Clocks" by James Estlund. DINNERWARE: "Roses of Red Wing" by Cliff Ekdahl†; "Town & Country Orchestra" by Tom Ranstad*. MEMORABILIA: "Bits & Pieces of Red Wing" by David Lenling†; "From Design to Finished Product—the Red Wing Way" by Ron Linde*; "Historical Envelopes & Calendars" by Glenn & Betty Jensen. STONEWARE: "North Star" by Wayne Bell & Dan Barry*; "Bowl Me Over" by Bob Larson; "Mellow Yellow Saffron Ware" by Wayne & Sue Chapman†. DENNIS YEAGGI RARE ITEM: "Syrup Dispenser" by Dale Erickson.

*Best of Show Winner

†People's Choice Winner

Message from the Commemorative Committee



KATHY & LARRY
ROSCHEN

The 1999 RWCS commemorative is a miniature version of a 5-gallon Koverwate. The commemoratives were made by Western Stoneware of Monmouth, Illinois.

The commemorative features the Koverwate logo, numeral 5 and the 1999 Convention logo applied via blue decal. "RWCS 1999" is found impressed into the clay on the underside of the commemorative. The nine holes in the sides and bottom were cut by hand.

Statistics for this year's commemorative project will be reported in the next *Newsletter*. Most mailed commemoratives were sent out July 14th or 15th, except for those going to members with expired memberships (6/1/99 or earlier) which will be held until dues have been paid.

The new voucher system for commemorative distribution at the Convention worked even better than anticipated. With a few small adjustments this system should work even better next year. The lack of lines in the membership, registration and commemorative areas was truly impressive. Thanks again to our wonderful crew of volunteers. We could never accomplish this task without their help.

As announced at the business meeting, the Commemorative position will be up for election next year and we have chosen to not run for reelection. The job has presented us with many challenges and rewards, and we will miss many aspects of the role. But it's time to move on and allow somebody else to serve. Members interested are welcome to contact us for more details. We will gladly assist and advise our successors should they desire our help.

Message from the East Representative



JERRY
ERDMANN

We have a new chapter east of the Mississippi: Illinois chapter, begun by my predecessor in this job, Marv Osterholz, who has been elected the chapter's first President. Anyone who wishes to join the Illinois chapter should contact Marv at 815-624-6201, or you can email

osterstuff@aol.com. He will be glad to give you information about their next meeting.

Michigan chapter is gearing up again (see below), which is great news. And I would like to hear from anyone living in states east of the Mississippi who would like to start a state chapter of the Red Wing Collectors Society. See the inside front cover for my contact information.

Michigan Chapter

Though the Michigan Chapter was started in July, 1991, it has been relatively inactive since that time. We would like to see the group become more active in the upcoming years. We are tentatively planning a meeting for late August or early September. Location: Possibly the Kalamazoo or Grand Rapids area. Please call, mail, or email your name, address, phone, your email address and your RWCS membership number to Cindy Antoline if you are interested, or if you would like more information on the Michigan Chapter. Cindy Antoline, 1307 Elkerton Ave., Kalamazoo, MI 49001. Phone: 616-373-5873. email: voptions@iserv.net

Thank You



Volunteer Coordinators Sharon Cox and Wendy Callicoot along with Convention Manager Kay Wilshusen and the RWCS board of directors extend their sincere thanks to all the volunteers (a few of whom are seen here at orientation) who helped make Convention 1999 a success.

Board of Directors Meeting Minutes July 7, 1999

All board members were present. The meeting was called to order at 9am by President Corrinne Reed.

Motion by Jerry Erdmann, seconded by Sandy Short to approve the minutes of the May 1 & 2 board meeting.

TREASURER'S REPORT Due to the temporary absence of Mr. Flicek, the treasurer's report was deferred.

HISTORIAN'S REPORT Steve Brown asked that in accordance with the By-laws, chapters are to place copies of their minutes in the Society's file.

AUCTION REPORT 356 articles submitted for the auction lottery, the smallest number in the past few years. Members are reminded that auction catalogs are not to be reproduced without the consent of the RWCS.

COMMEMORATIVE REPORT 6,602 prepaid commemorative orders with 2,990 commemoratives mailed out to members. Nine special commemoratives were made.

DISPLAY REPORT There will be 13 displays this year.

EDUCATION REPORT Dave Kuffel will do the keynote address. There are 15 presenters for the educational seminars.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT 7,450 *Newsletters* were mailed out to approximately 7,500 members. Postcards were sent to approximately 5,000 people with expired memberships resulting in over 50 percent renewal rate. The Keys will transfer the membership function to the RWCS business office. The October *Newsletter* list will be a joint effort by Keys and Kay.

CONVENTION REPORT Kay Wilshusen reported that the registration form worked well this year but will require some modifications for next. The postcard notification worked well. There is a concern regarding the tone some callers use both in person and on the voice mail in the business office. Kay will change her voice mail so callers know if she is in the office or not.

Thank you to Sue Gillmer for all the work she did to produce the Convention supplement. Thanks also to the 250 volunteers helping this weekend.

The board went into executive session at 10:05am to discuss personnel issues. The meeting resumed at 10:30.

Motion by John Key, seconded by Jerry Erdmann, that for the immediate future and until Jerry Flicek's physical recovery, that Kay, along with Mark Prenger, handle all financial matters. There will be weekly updates to the president, past president and anyone on RWCS account as signator; a summary will be sent to the board on a quarterly basis. Mark Prenger, the CPA, will do the reports. Motion Carried.

BUSINESS MANAGER'S REPORT The current allocation of space for the RWCS office is inadequate. Motion by Steve Brown, seconded by Larry Roschen for Kay to check with the Pottery Place Mall about space available. Motion carried. John Key moved, Wendy Calliccoat seconded that Kay be authorized to get a cost analysis to make office functional. Motion carried. When cost analysis completed, Corrinne will poll the board for approval to authorize expenditure. Motion by John Key, seconded by Ruby Benson, that Kay is allotted up to \$4000 to set up the office for an administrative assistant. Motion carried. Kay will negotiate a lease for longer than one year and Barney Olson II will review.

All board members received the preliminary proposal from Mark Prenger, CPA, from Lake City, MN. The proposal for the monthly reports requested of the RWCS and required by the IRS is needed to be acted on at the October board meeting.

Renewal of Convention contract with Red Wing High School. The lease with the high school is through 2001. The rent will be \$7,000 in 1999, \$7,500 in 2000, and \$7,600 in 2001.

Job Description. Kay will start to develop her job description.

Authorization for spending. Motion made by Larry Roschen and seconded

by Ruby Benson that except for payroll checks, the double signature for Kay, be eliminated for checks up to \$10,000. Motion carried. Nay votes cast by John Key, Steve Brown, Wendy Calliccoat.

OLD BUSINESS

Newsletter Bid Presentation. The displays of mock-ups will be available.

A letter will be sent to the Goodhue Historical Society confirming the approval of a joint contract for the Oral History project.

The ownership of stoneware names are renewed annually by Jerry Flicek and are still owned by RWCS.

NEW BUSINESS

There is \$8,300 that needs to be donated to maintain our nonprofit status. Motion by Steve Brown, seconded by Sue Tagliapietra to decide disbursement at the fall board meeting. Motion carried.

Motion by John Key, seconded by Sandy Short to table discussion of rep travel payment to chapters until fall board meeting. Motion carried.

Year 2000 Calendar. Discussion tabled until the fall board meeting.

All board members are to update their job descriptions by the October Board meeting.

Tom Hanlon of the *Republican Eagle* presented a proposal for a special supplement to commemorate the Society and its Convention.

EAST REPORT The Wisconsin Chapter is growing. The Michigan chapter will potentially have a new president. Illinois has a new chapter with Marv Osterholz as president. Indiana is interested in starting a chapter.

WEST REPORT The RWCS Web Site was picked for Website of the week (June 24th) by *Antique Week*.

Motion for Payment of Bills. Motion by Wally Armstrong, seconded by Jeff Floyd to pay the bills. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 12:34 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
SUE JONES TAGLIAPIETRA
Secretary

Note: These minutes are unedited and not approved by the RWCS board of directors.

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RWCS Annual Meeting Minutes July 9, 1999

President Corrinne Reed called the meeting to order at 3:35pm.

President Reed appointed Barney Olson as Parliamentarian and Dan Allers as Sergeant-at-arms.

Thanks were given to Barney Olson for all of his assistance this past year as well as to Sue Gillmer for producing the Convention supplement, Kay Wils-husen as Convention chair, Al and the crew at the Red Wing High School, and all of the many volunteers.

Moved by Dan DePasquale, seconded by Bev Winchell to approve the minutes of the July, 1998 annual business meeting as published in the *RWCS Newsletter*. Motion carried.

Jerry Flicek was not able to attend the annual meeting because of health concerns. Motion by Sandy Short and seconded by George Williams to suspend the rules of the reading of the treasurer's report at this time. Motion carried. The treasurer's report was presented at the May, 1999 board of director's meeting and will be published in the August *Newsletter*.

AUCTION REPORT Thanks to Houghton Auction Service and to the membership. 356 items were submitted for the auction for the 305 lottery spots and every piece showed up for the auction again this year. Auction revenues were \$157,942.50. David Lenling from Prior Lake, MN won the special *Newsletter* commemorative.

COMMEMORATIVE REPORT 6,602 prepaid commemorative orders. 2,990 prepaid commemoratives were mailed out. The Commemorative was a 5-gal Koverweight.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT As of Convention 7,500 current, paid up, members. 7,450 *Newsletters* were sent. 85 new members joined at Convention and many renewed. John Key thanked all volunteers.

EAST REP Michigan will have a new president, Cindy Antoline. Illinois has

a new chapter with Marv Osterholz as president.

WEST REP Gopher and Southwest has a joint meeting this spring in Arizona.

HISTORIAN'S REPORT Over the past year the *Newsletter* has presented materials covering topics such as cuspidors and spittoons, significant finds in the areas of art pottery and sewer pipe clay lunch hour pieces, and categorization of Red Wing oddities. The RWCS will be considering a significant revision of the By-laws to address the transition of the organization to a business manager concept. The Oral History Joint Venture Project with the Goodhue County Historical Society continues. Members are reminded to submit names of individuals to be interviewed to the historian for follow-up.

OLD BUSINESS

Historical Preservation Committee Report. Agreement has been signed with the Goodhue Historical Society. Steve Brown has taken possession of several molds and got a letter from a person who has the glaze mixer used by Tom Arnold.

NEW BUSINESS

The RWCS 2000 Convention will be Thursday, July 6 through Saturday, July 8th; the board meets on July 5th.

Motion by Jerry Erdmann, seconded by Wally Armstrong that the Illinois Chapter be recognized as a charter chapter of the Red Wing Collectors Society. Motion carried.

The following members were inducted into the RWCS Hall of Fame: Stan Bougie, Dan DePasquale, Gail Peck, Larry Peterson, and Bonnie and Gary Tefft.

Newsletters Presentations. The *Newsletter* mock-ups by bidders have been on display and members have had the opportunity to provide written comments. Each prospective bidder gave a 3-minute presentation and answered questions from the membership. Presentations were by Kathy Craig, Beach, North Dakota (display #1); Rich Penn, Waterloo, Iowa (display #2); and Cindy Taube & Gail Rosenthal, Red Wing, MN (display #3). The board will award the

Newsletter editor contract at the October board meeting.

Proposed Bylaw Changes. Motion by Gerald Schleigh, seconded by Nicol Knappen to approve Article IV of the By-laws as written. Article IV, Officers. Motion carried.

Motion by Gerald Schleigh, seconded by Nicol Knappen to approve Article V By-laws change as written. Article V, Nominating Committee and Voting Procedure. Motion carried.

Motion by Louise Schleigh, seconded by Gerald Scroot to approve Article VII, Annual Convention and Business Meeting By-laws change as written. Motion carried.

Motion by Mike Robertson, seconded by Bruce Cameron to approve By-laws changes in Article VIII, Quorum, as written. Motion carried.

Motion by Mike Robinson, seconded by Ted Lonican to approve Article XII, Dues, as written. Motion carried.

Motion by Mike Robertson and seconded by Jeff Floyd to approve By-laws changes in Article XV, Amendments as written. Motion carried.

Motion by Louise Schleigh, seconded by Gerald Scroot to approve By-laws changes in Article XVII, Vacancies on the Board of Directors, as written. Motion carried.

Motion by Gerald Schleigh, seconded by Bruce Cameron to approve By-laws addition of Article XXII, Defense Authorization, as written. The motion carried.

Motion by Mike Robertson, seconded Ann Busse Nelson to approve By-laws changes in Article XXIII, Employees, as written. Motion carried.

A moment of silence was observed for any members who passed away or were unable to attend the Convention.

Meeting adjourned at 5:40 p.m.

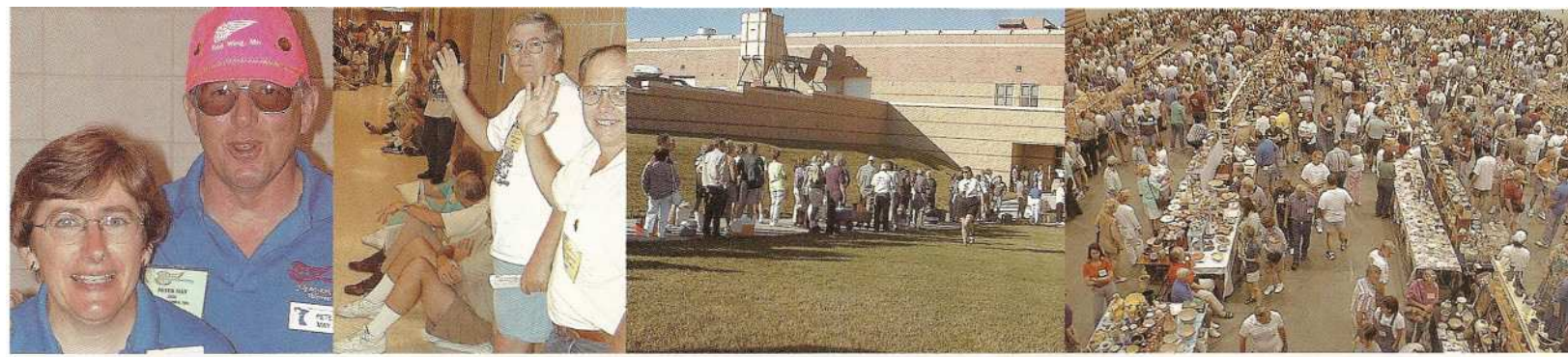
Respectfully submitted,
SUE JONES TAGLIAPIETRA
Secretary

These minutes are condensed, unedited, and unapproved. The complete set of minutes is available on the RWCS website. Members who wish to receive a complete set, please send a large SASE with 55¢ postage to Sue Jones Tagliapietra, 2219 Lakeland Ave., Madison, WI 53704 or email jeffsue@cborus.net



CONVENTION SCENERY This page, Row 1 Registration training; Courtyard Cafe; commemorative handouts. Look Ma, no lines! Row 2 Pottery basics by Con Short; photo of Red Wing Republican Eagle photographer

photographing Ray Reiss, photographer. David Lenling, winner of Newsletter Special Commemorative drawing—he also won one for his display featuring Red Wing paper items and the signs from RW Potteries Showroom Rest Rooms—talk



about a busy 17-year-old! And what have *you* been up to? Clocks and more displays in **Rows 3 and 4**. **Row 5**: Potter's Picnic scenes; and an exhausted Kay Wilshusen, waiting for a ride. **THIS PAGE Row 1** Pete and Cindy

May, the new Show & Sale Managers; Customers waiting to get in; dealers waiting to deal; the mob scene. **Rows 2-5** Dealers cheerfully show off everything from pickle crocks to *Athena* vases—it was all here . . .

SELECTED CONVENTION AUCTION RESULTS



20" Round-Up platter



Nokomis 7" candlestick, #231C, base hairline.



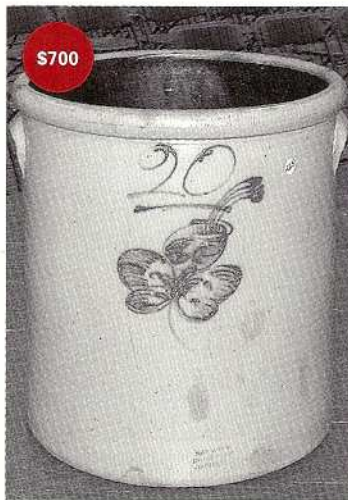
Lunch hour plate in the Ceramastone pattern: Mouse Biting a Sunkist Orange, excellent condition



RumRill Dutch Blue water pitcher with stopper. Has polka dot stipple.



20-gal salt glaze crock w/ 2 leaves, back-stamped MN split oval. Handle chip and hairline.



20-gal salt glaze butterfly crock, side-stamped. Cracks.



30-gal salt glaze butterfly crock, side-stamped. Cracked.



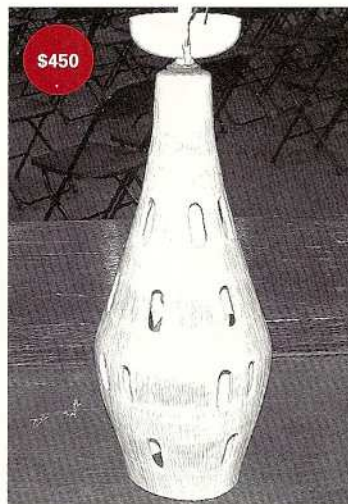
40-gal transitional crock w/ four elephant ear leaves and oval. Base chips and handle chip.



5-gal salt glaze jug w/ bird on branch decoration. Lip chip.



2-gal Delta Blue water cooler w/ lid. Mint.



Yellow & aqua hanging lamp in shape of bowling pin. One of 15 made for a RW restaurant in 1962. Mint.



#1121 & #1122 pair of schoolchildren. Designed by Charles Murphy.

PRICES RECEIVED*

Tell us about the price received for a Red Wing product. Briefly describe item, where sold, date, venue (store, auction, etc.) and price received. Send in on a post card (the post office ones are fine) or on a letter or via fax or email.

ITEM	LOCATION	DATE SOLD	VENUE	PRICE RECEIVED
2-gal crock w/ wing	Glen Allen, AK	10/98	antique store	\$ 40
Red Wing bull dog figure	Rochester, MN	2/99	auction	525
5-gal RW crock, wing only	Rochester, MN	2/99	RWCS show	590
Cupid cooler w/ lid, mint	Oakland, NE	3/99	auction	550
Beater jar w/ adv	Oakland, NE	3/99	auction	225
9" all-sponge ribbed bowl, some wear	Hull, IA	5/99	auction	275
8-gal transitional crock w/ cobalt figure & leaf, MINNESOTA STONEWARE CO. oval, excellent cond.	North St. Paul, MN	5/99	auction	2,530
5-gal salt glaze churn, excellent cond.	North St. Paul, MN	5/99	auction	577.50
Cherryband pitcher, middle size, beautiful oval w/ RUSH CITY, MN adv., excellent cond.	North St. Paul, MN	5/99	auction	495
Set 3 stone mason jars, 1-gal, 1/2-gal, 1-qt, bottom- marked, good condition	North St. Paul, MN	5/99	auction	1,237.50
Grayline pitcher, largest size, w/ LINDSTROM, MN adv., good condition	North St. Paul, MN	5/99	auction	220
6-gal crock w/ large ski oval, excellent condition	North St. Paul, MN	5/99	auction	154
Light green swan planter	Red Wing, MN	7/98	antique shop	54
Turquoise bird vase #1296	Red Wing, MN	7/98	RWCS show	150
Sponge pitcher w/ HULL, IA adv, excellent condition	Hull, IA	5/99	auction	1,375
9" sponge bowl w/ HULL, IA adv., worn	Hull, IA	5/99	auction	275
Beater jar w/ MONITOR FLOUR adv.	Oakland, NE	3/99	auction	80
Rolling pin w/ Nebraska adv & blue bands, chips	Oakland, NE	3/99	auction	600

BARGAINS*

Beehive jug, impressed mark, CHEROKEE MAGNETIC WATER, excellent condition	Iowa	6/99	auction	90
1/8-pint cone top mercury jug w/ paper label and original cork and wire, mint	Burnsville, MN	10/98	antique shop	20
All-sponge beater jar w/ Rushmore, MN adv., mint	Iowa	4/99	auction	650
RWCS commemoratives: Mason jar, acid pitcher, pantry jar, Grayline pitcher, all perfect w/ paperwork	central Oklahoma	8/98	antique store	300

*Prices Received is to let us know what kind of money Red Wing is bringing. When Red Wing is purchased way below its actual value, this is a Bargain. When submitting an item to Prices Received, let us know if you think it was a Bargain.

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- least three of which shall not be members of the Board of Directors)
- Job descriptions for elected positions published in the *Newsletter*
- Candidate's names submitted to the Board of Directors
- As with 1998 election of officers, a list of questions submitted to candidates to address in the submission of their resume in the *Newsletter*
- Candidates' names and resumes published four months prior to June 30 in February *Newsletter*
- Ballots mailed to all members
- Ballots of members in good standing must be received in the RWCS Business Office by June 30th to be included in the count
- Representatives at Large do the auditing and counting of ballots of members in good standing as of June 30
- Newly-elected auction, commemorative, and education managers announced at July 2000 annual business meeting
- All records turned over to new managers ASAP

With the Society's transition to having a business manager in the central business office, the above positions have been evolving and changing slightly. Thus, the present managers are in the process of writing specific current job descriptions reflecting those changes. For the information of interested candidates, the following are very brief job descriptions for these positions.

AUCTION MANAGER

- Coordinate with Convention manager arrangements for facility for holding the Annual Convention Auction
- Publish auction guidelines in *Newsletter*
- Negotiate auctioneer's fee and coordinate the handling of the auction
- Organize volunteers for auction check-in and viewing
- Inform members of receipt of auction registration and whether auction piece selected for lottery
- Coordinate check-in of auction pieces

- Maintain fair and accurate grading procedure of auction items
- Coordinate security for auction check-in and auction with Convention manager
- Arrange collection of auction proceeds with treasurer/business manager and ensure their transfer to the RWCS treasury
- Work with treasurer/business manager on collection of any non-sufficient funds checks
- Produce and distribute catalogs with prices realized following the auction, including mail-outs after Convention
- Provide written financial reports to treasurer/Board of Directors
- Provide Convention report to historian following Convention

COMMEMORATIVE MANAGER

- Choose item to be produced
- Prepare drawings and specifications
- Determine number of commemoratives produced
- Obtain quotes and let contract for production
- Set price charged for commemorative
- Coordinate with business manager the maintenance of records of orders for pickup, mailing, and verification of eligibility
- Take delivery of commemoratives from the manufacturer and arrange secure storage
- Inspect and sort commemoratives for quality prior to the Convention
- Distribute commemoratives and collect payment
- Conduct lottery for distribution of extras and collect payment
- Assure vendors paid in a timely and businesslike fashion
- Turn over profits from sale of commemoratives and provide written financial reports to treasurer/Board of Directors
- Mail out commemoratives not picked up at Convention (approximately 3,000 this year)
- Miscellaneous
- Provide Convention report to historian following Convention

EDUCATION MANAGER

- Obtain general session speaker, educational seminar speakers, and facilitators for shared interest groups and

- new member orientation for the MidWinter GetTogether and annual Convention
- Obtain bios, photos, description of seminars, list of necessary equipment, etc. from presenters and facilitators
- Coordinate room assignments and obtaining of necessary equipment with Convention manager
- Prepare overall schedule and room assignments of general session, shared interest groups, and educational seminars for MidWinter GetTogether and the annual Convention
- Provide necessary advance information to Convention manager, *Newsletter* editor, webmaster, Convention supplement, and marketing director
- Provide necessary advance information of session times and room assignments to presenters/facilitators
- Arrange videotaping of sessions
- Coordinate with Convention manager the posting of directional signs/posters
- Coordinate payment of speakers with treasurer/business manager
- Present master video and one copy per session to historian for maintenance in member check-out video library
- Provide written financial reports to treasurer/Board of Directors
- Provide Convention report to historian following Convention

The date for the October board of directors meeting has not yet been set as of press time. Contact the RWCS business office for the dates if you would like to attend.

**Visit the official
RWCS website at**

www.redwingcollectors.org

Classifieds

The next deadline is September 10.

Classified ads are 15¢ per word; \$3 minimum. Ads are divided into *Red Wing For Sale*, *Red Wing Wanted*, *Other Pottery for Sale*, *Other Pottery Wanted*, *Events*, *Clubs & Publications*, *Internet Web Sites*, *Announcements*, and *Services* sections, so you do not need to include those words in your ad. Ads are available through December, 1999 only.

[Note: the small number at the end of an ad tells when the ad expires, e.g., 11/99. Ads without dates are one-time ads.] Please type or print clearly and proofread before submission. Not responsible for typographical or other errors. Send all ads with payment to the Editor, *RWCS Newsletter*, PO Box 39, Merrimac, WI 53561.

Red Wing For Sale

Nearly 200 pieces art pottery, cookie jars, dealer plaques, burgundy, orientals, "Pretty Red Wing", anniversary glaze; 500 pieces to 31 dinnerware patterns. Fax wish list/offer to Peg Lear, 517-627-6581, 7534 Howe, Bath, MI 48808. 12/99

Red Wing spongeband 3-lb butter crock with adv., \$500; 8" spongeband pitcher, \$295; 1965 Word Series Twins ashtray, \$125; Vols. I & II *Clay Giants*, \$100 each. Call 218-326 2977. 12/99

Full set of commemoratives, \$7,000. Spongeband 3-lb butter pail w/ handle and lid, \$850. Red and blue sponge panel bowls, 5" through 11", \$1,500. Small sponge band pitcher, \$350. 701-237-5575.

4-gal elephant ear Ice Water Cooler w/ lid, as new condition, \$7,150. 1-qt. jug w/ CLYDE MERCANTILE CO. / CLYDE N.D., adv., mint, \$1,975. 4-gal salt glaze beehive w/ target, mint, \$400. Bryan, 218-826-6258.

Commemoratives: 1986, \$125; 1987, \$40; 1993, \$90. Phone 515-923-2206

Commemoratives: 1986, \$150; 1989, \$285; 1990, \$150; 1991, \$120; 1992, \$120; 1993, \$90; 1994, \$90; 1995, \$80; 1996, \$90; 1997, \$90; 1998, \$80; 1999, \$75. 320-253-2696

Cobalt vase #154, 9", mint condition, \$175. *Giraffe* planter, \$450. *Bob White*: salad bowl, \$85; teapot, \$135; 20" platter, \$100; gravy/lid, \$55; cocktail tray, \$50; rimmed sauce, \$16; rimmed vegetable, \$38; beverage server, \$100; butter warmer, \$90; butter/lid, \$80. Other pieces available. 515-394-4937. email sondrafa@aol.com

Red Wing miniature canteen commemorating completion of Red Wing Armory 1901, mint condition. Minnesota circle stamp in center. Best price offered. 605-337-3796 after 7:30pm. Reserve the right to refuse any offer.

Damask dinnerware for sale. 15 dinner plates, sauce or fruit, cups and saucers, 24 7" plates, 8 soups, covered casserole, veg bowl, platter, gravy w/ cover, 4 ash trays, salt, pepper, sugar, 2 creamers, \$200. Could possibly deliver within 200 miles of Spirit Lake, Iowa. 712-336-1415.

12-place *Bob White* dinnerware. Some pieces missing. Best offer. Muriel Whiting, 550 Hondius Circle, Estes Park, CO 80517. 970-586-4293.

Red Wing Wanted

Mixing bowls and any other advertising items from "Bang's Market, Ada, Minn." Mary & Otto Bang, 612-941-4754.

RumRill Pottery with paper stickers indicating shape and finish numbers. Finish number must be legible. Also, RumRill catalogs and sales information from Mt. Giliad, Ohio. Write: RumRill Collector, Box 643, Oshtemo, MI 49077-0643.

Mulberry or burgundy iris pitchers, ash receivers, mini vases, dachshund planter #1342, rooster #1438 and other unusual pieces. Vase #2509A in dark brown. Call Deanna at 612-881-1676 or email juerg003@tc.umn.edu. 10/99

Red Wing collector w/reputation for paying ridiculous prices lusts for all *Engobe* pieces, esp. #1123, #1146, and #1178. Call Jerry Schleich at 402/436-3111. 12/99

Any advertising items from Middleton, WI. Looking specifically for any items from SCHWAB & SCHWARZ and E. BURMIESTER store, but interested in any Middleton items. Mary Lamm-Feltman, 608-365-0192 eves. 8/99

Ash receivers, *Win Twin* ashtrays, tee pee ashtrays, Red Colored True Chine by Red Wing plaque, items in mint condition only please. 612-263-3434 Greg. 8/99

Need RumRill *Dutch Blue* (stippled) salt shaker. 5- & 8-gal crocks w/out ovals. Crocks (other than 2-gal) and churns w/ oval over wing. 507-895-2898. 8/99

S. J. FOX CO. SPRING VALLEY, WISC. 6" sponge-ware panel bowl, or any stoneware w/ FOX adv. Joe Fox, 507-526-5596. 8/99

RWCS commemoratives—will buy full set; Minnesota ovals, transitionals, signed salt glaze, rare or unusual items, advertising pieces. 218-338-6166. 8/99

Butter crocks: EDER'S ARCADE STORE, BLUE EARTH, MN; DELAVAN COOP CREAMERY, DELAVAN, MN; SCHAEFFER & ALBEE, WINNEBAGO, MN; WINNEBAGO COOP CREAMERY. 507-526-5840. 10/99

Any advertising from St. Ansgar, Iowa. Bowls, bean pots, mini-jugs, beater jars or other advertising. W. P. Dieterich, St. Ansgar, IA 50472. 515-736-4988. 8/99

Anything in mulberry and burgundy color in Eva Zeisel's *Town & Country* dinnerware. 515-255-1362 days or 515-225-2037. 2/00

Advertising stoneware from Harlan, Iowa. Bowls, beaters, etc. Also, mint basin for *Lily* bowl & pitcher. Galen Sorenson, 712-755-5741 evenings. 2/00

Will pay good price for 1-gal size Stone Mason Fruit Jar. Want whiter glaze and medium tone black printing. Bob. 605-428-5677. 8/99

Corium Farm Dairy, Golden Jar Dairy 1-lb butter crocks. Lake City butter crock or jugs. Any Red Wing beer advertising, etched glasses, signs, any Minn. brewery etched glasses, tin signs, etc. 651-345-4446. 12/99

Need top cover for a 1991 Red Wing commemorative. Send price, description and photo to: Bachmann, 7162 Hwy. 42-57, Sturgeon Bay, WI 54235. 12/99

Jardiniere to fit pedestal #153 in *Bronze*

Tan. 8-gal elephant ear crock. Bryan, 218-826-6258.

Saffron beater jar in good-to-excellent condition w/ adv. from HAACKS STORE / STEWARTVILLE, MN. Please write Gartzke, 8761 415th Ave., Blue Earth, MN 56013, or call 507-526-5966. 10/99

Other Pottery For Sale

Have some nice eastern jugs. Call for description. Bryan, 218-826-6258.

Clubs, Publications

1997 Revised Price Guide to *Red Wing Potters & Their Wares*, \$2.60 ppd.; 3rd Edition *Red Wing Potters & Their Wares* \$20.95 ppd.; *Guide to Locust Souvenirs* \$3.60 ppd. Bonnie Tefft, W174 N9422 Devonwood Rd., Menomonee Falls, WI 53051-1302. Phone: 414-251-1415 or email at LocustEnt@aol.com.

Two great books: *Red Wing Stoneware* and *Red Wing Collectibles*, both w/ 1997 updated values. \$9.95 each or \$17.95 for both plus \$1.25/\$1.75 postage, respectively. Quantity discounts available. Gail Peck, 2119 W. 1st, Grand Island, NE 68803. 308-382-5792.

New book available! *Red Wing Advertising Stoneware—Where Was That Place? Vol. I*. Contains pictures/history of stores that gave stoneware away. Approximately 50 pieces covered in this volume. \$19.95 + \$3 to Terry Schuett, 1020 Hamilton, Wausau, WI 54403. Check with us on availability of second volume!

Web Sites

Visit the Wisconsin Pottery Association online. Meeting dates, topics, pottery pictures, WPA August show news, etc. can be found at www.wisconsinpottery.org

WEB SITE—Red Wing stoneware, artware, dinnerware, ads, references, shopping tips and much more. Visit our site at: www.RedWingNet.com on the internet. Byron Bush. 12/99

Web Site Estate sale. 289 pieces Red Wing Art Pottery and dinnerware. www.klm-pub.com 8/99

The Teacherage is a web site specializing in Red Wing and RumRill art pottery. Visitors may buy, list pieces for sale, or post requests for wanted items. Please visit us at members.aol.com/tcherage/index.html 12/99

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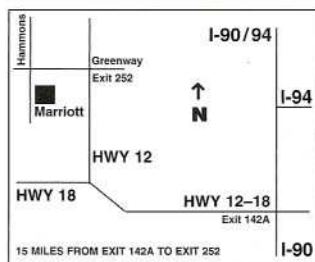
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