

Frederick Chainsaws & Chuckwagons

July 20 – 23, 2022

Chainsaw Carving Masterpiece Process

Frederick's annual Chainsaws & Chuckwagons event brings chainsaw carvers to Frederick to create masterpiece carvings.

- Masterpiece Sponsors will receive first pick of contest masterpiece carvings. This carving will be placed at their place of business.
 - This piece will be listed on the Town of Frederick Arts in Public Places program.
- Carvers will be allowed to sell their masterpiece carvings.
 - It's up to each carver to settle on a price with a buyer.
 - We will advertise that the public is allowed to buy.
 - The minimum bid to purchase a masterpiece is \$1500.00.
 - We will split the selling price with the carvers – 30% to the Town, 70% to the Carvers. The Town will collect full payment at the event and will distribute the carver portion of the selling price via mail.
 - The buyer is responsible for coordinating the delivery of carving after the show. Carvers can elect to deliver, but are not required to deliver.
 - The carvings must be removed from the park by the end of July.
 - Any unsold pieces will become Town property.
 - The sales agreement must be presented to the Town with selling price, prior to 4 pm on Saturday, July 23, with the buyer understanding that a Masterpiece Sponsor could still choose that carving to be placed at their business. First come, first serve. We will only accept one sales agreement per Masterpiece carving.
 - The Town of Frederick Art Commission reserves the right to outbid the sales agreement to purchase of the masterpiece for the Town's public art collection.
 - If the Arts Commission exercises this option, the Arts Commission will pay \$500 over the agreed upon sales price presented in the sales agreement.
- At 4 pm on Saturday, July 23, the Masterpiece Sponsor will be given the opportunity to pick the masterpiece carving of their choice. After their decision is made, the Town of Frederick Art Commission will have the opportunity to exercise their right to outbid any sales agreement made between a carver and a buyer.
- Unsold masterpiece carvings become the property of the Town and Masterpiece Sponsors. Carvings are placed on town property as part of our Art in Public Places Program.