

Our Carving Survey Survey Synopsis

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Here is a short synopsis with graphs from the results of our carving survey. The purpose of the survey was to determine who might be interested in teaching online courses, and what online courses are of most interest. [The form can be found at this link.](#)

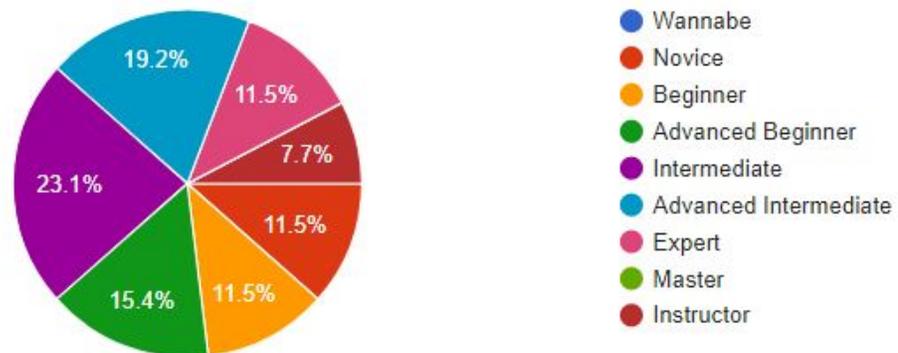
Demographics

- Twenty-six people took the survey
- Eighty percent of the respondents lived within a reasonable driving distance to attend meetings at our regular meeting place.
- Twenty percent of the respondents live too far away to attend in-person meetings on a regular basis.

Self-reported carving skills of the respondents

Which best describes your carving expertise

26 responses



Sixty-five percent of us classify ourselves as either Advanced Beginner, Intermediate, or Advanced intermediate with our carving skills.

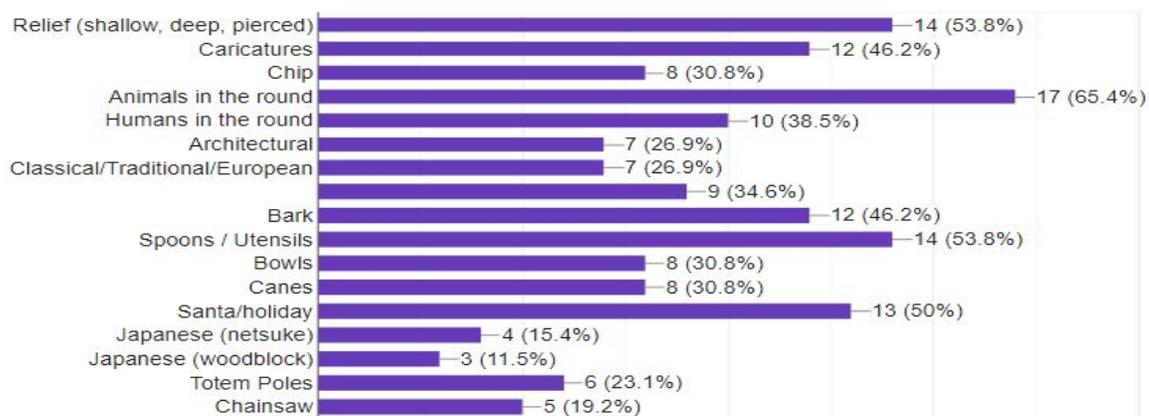
Carving Interests

The following two graphs are interesting if you compare them. The first asks respondents to identify their carving interests from a long list of interests. Respondents could check all that apply. The line without a title (9 (34.6%)) is Coastal Indian/Native American carving styles. The second graph is in response to the question which courses that respondents would be most likely to attend. Comparing the two seems to show that people are interested in learning about possible new interests.

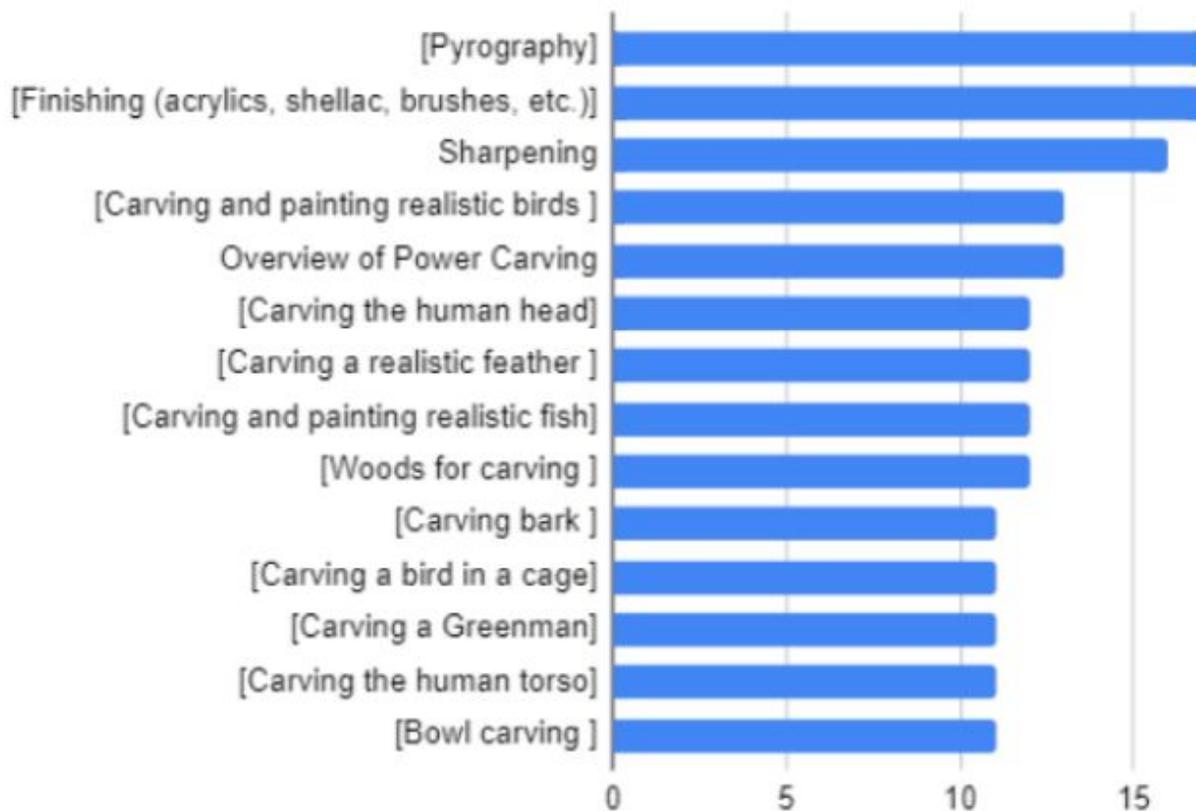
The second graph also helps us identify courses we should consider offering either online or in person when the time comes that we can meet together.

What are your carving interests (check all that apply)?

26 responses



Choices for most likely to take the class.



Online Instruction

Most of us were not at all interested in trying to teach online and few of us felt we had the skills or tools necessary to teach online. Only nine people even responded to some kind of

willingness to teach online, and four of those felt they could probably do it with a minimum of help. We can do it, but teaching online is going to be a challenge for us.

Would you be willing to teach some kind of carving skill online?

23 responses

