

# Results: 1984 World Championship

Ocean City, Maryland, April 27-29, 1984

## World Championship Class Decorative Life-size Wildfowl Carvings

BEST IN WORLD  
Ernie Muehlmann, Springfield, PA, bob-white quail, \$20,000 (purchase award)  
SECOND IN WORLD  
A. J. Rudisill, W. Atlantic City, NJ, gambriel quail  
THIRD IN WORLD  
Grant Goltz, Watertown, MN, spruce grouse pair

## World Championship Class Competition Grade Floating Waterfowl

BEST IN WORLD  
Pat Godin, Brantford, Ontario, wigeons, \$9,000 (purchase award)  
SECOND IN WORLD  
John Gewerth, Alsip, IL, wigeons  
THIRD IN WORLD  
Dick Bonner, New Orleans, LA, wigeons

## World Championship Class Decorative Miniature Wildfowl Carvings

BEST IN WORLD  
Robert Guge, Carpentersville, IL, mourning dove, \$5,000 (purchase award)  
SECOND IN WORLD  
Manfred K. Scheel, Quakertown, PA, 3 turkeys  
THIRD IN WORLD  
Jim Hazeley, Lancaster, PA, sage grouse

## World Championship Feather Carving & Painting Contest

FIRST PLACE  
Jim Sherman, Bethel Park, PA, pheasant  
SECOND PLACE  
Dr. Bernard M. Carr, Hazelton, PA, ruffed grouse  
THIRD PLACE  
Harold R. Nichol, Smith Falls, Ontario, ruffed grouse

## The Lem & Steve Ward "Shootin' Stool" Entry A Working, Service Decoy

FIRST PLACE  
Paul Dobrosky, Shrewsbury, NJ, canvasback, \$500, Trophy & Rosette  
SECOND PLACE  
Terry McNulty, Medford, NJ, brant, \$300 & Rosette  
THIRD PLACE  
Keith A. Mueller, So. Meriden, CT, red-breasted merganser, \$200 & Rosette

### SEMI-FINALISTS

Robert S. Bennett	Terry McNulty
William Bruce	Erwin Pillsbury
James Clarke	Richard Schiedel
Steve Fland	Richard Sprague
Wade Johnson	Robert Westaway
Dick Ledford	Craig Yanek

## The Lem & Steve Ward "Shootin' Stool" Entry B Special Donation Silent Auction Decoys

FIRST PLACE  
Penny Miller, Reston, VA, chipping sparrow, \$300, Trophy & Rosette  
SECOND PLACE  
Robert Guge, Carpentersville, IL, ruddy turnstone, \$200 & Rosette  
THIRD PLACE  
Ernie Muehlmann, Springfield, PA, chickadee, \$150 & Rosette

### SEMI-FINALISTS

Gary Countryman	G. Arn Pletzer
Lynn Forehand	R. Ptashnik
Jack Franco	Ms. Joan Wolf
Tom McCormick	

## A. Danner Frazer Memorial Award for Outstanding Teenage Contestant

Jeffrey Muhs, Hampton Bays, NY, 1st place black duck, 1st place red-breasted merganser, 2nd place semi-final puddle duck

## World Championship Waterfowl Life-size Head Contest

FIRST PLACE  
George Kruth, Bethel Park, PA, Mallard, \$150 & Ribbon  
SECOND PLACE  
Joy Yax, Harsens Island, MI, ruddy duck, \$100 & Ribbon  
THIRD PLACE  
George Kruth, Bethel Park, PA, shoveler, \$75 & Ribbon

## Division A1 (Professional) Decorative Decoy Marsh Ducks

MALLARD  
1. Tan Brunet  
Galliano, LA  
2. Arnold Mummert  
Farmington Hills, MI  
3. Bob Nagel  
Austin, MN  
Honorable Mention  
John Tepley  
Racine, WI

BLACK DUCK  
1. Jim Sprankle  
Annapolis, MD  
2. Capt. Fred Muhs  
Hampton Bay, NY  
3. Dan Cobb  
Fairton, NJ  
Honorable Mention  
James R. Clarke  
Bay City, MI

PINTAIL  
1. Pat Godin  
Brantford, Ontario  
2. Tan Brunet  
Galliano, LA  
3. Leo H. McIntosh  
Woodville, NY

GREEN-WINGED TEAL  
1. Timmy Zeringue  
Bayou Gauche, LA  
2. Dan Brown  
Hebron, MD  
3. Dan Cobb  
Fairton, NJ  
Honorable Mention  
Leo H. McIntosh  
Woodville, NY  
Al Fulford  
Columbus, OH

Joel M. Donnelly  
Forest Hill, MD

### WIGEON

1. Marc Schultz  
Denmark, WI
2. Jett Brunet  
Galliano, LA
3. Reagan Danos  
Lockport, LA

### CINNAMON TEAL

1. Jim Sprankle  
Annapolis, MD
2. Don Brewes, Jr.  
Eureka, CA
3. Ron Broadwater  
Baltimore, MD

### WOOD DUCK

1. Marc Schultz  
Denmark, WI
2. Mike Bonner  
New Orleans, LA
3. Al Fulford  
Columbus, OH

### BLUE-WINGED TEAL

1. Leo H. McIntosh  
Woodville, NY
2. Bob Nagel  
Austin, MN
3. Tom Strauss  
Fond Du Lac, WI

### GADWALL

1. Jim Sprankle  
Annapolis, MD
2. Thomas Birch  
Drexel Hill, PA
3. Ray Eckert  
Fife Lake, MI

### SHOVELER

1. Jim Sprankle  
Annapolis, MD
2. Mike Bonner  
New Orleans, LA
3. Dan Cobb  
Fairton, NJ  
Honorable Mention  
Ron Broadwater  
Baltimore, MD  
Don Brewes, Jr.  
Eureka, CA

## Semi-Final Judging Division A1 (Professional)

1. Tan Brunet  
Galliano, LA  
mallard
2. Pat Godin  
Brantford, Ontario  
pintail
3. Jim Sprankle  
Annapolis, MD  
black duck

**Division A1 (Amateur)  
Decorative Decoy  
Marsh Ducks**

**MALLARD**

1. Bert Cartwright  
Mt. Clemens, MI
  2. Tom Webb  
Davison, MI
  3. Ray Gold  
Houma, LA
- Honorable Mention  
Ken & Bev Bassett  
Suttons Bay, MI  
Richard Sprague  
Livonia, MI  
Paul Watson  
Richmond, VA  
Matt Phaczek  
Grand Island, NE

**BLACK DUCK**

1. Phil Burkhart  
Newark, DE
  2. Stewart Heubi  
Fredericksburg, VA
  3. Claude O. Dohl  
Newark, DE
- Honorable Mention  
Ken & Bev Bassett  
Suttons Bay, MI

**PINTAIL**

1. Eugene Morelli & Joan  
Zygmunt  
Missoula, MT
  2. Rickey Rouse  
Chauvin, LA
  3. Bud Robins  
Wellant, Ontario
- Honorable Mention  
James Carlisle, Sr.  
Winston-Salem, NC  
E. J. Mitchell  
Ashland, VA  
Bill Bowman  
Baltimore, MD

**GREEN-WINGED TEAL**

1. Curtis J. Fabre  
Montegut, LA
  2. Robert Westaway  
Charlottesville, VA
  3. Robert Westaway  
Charlottesville, VA
- Honorable Mention  
G. Fred Finfrock  
Hampstead, MD  
Dick Ledford  
Ithica, NY

**WIGEON**

1. Jack Cox  
Currituck, NC
2. Jim Bollbach  
Freeport, NY
3. Jack Anderson  
Odessa, DE

**CINNAMON TEAL**

1. Robert Jameison  
Rockville, VA
2. Richard Clark  
Shelter Island, NY
3. John Orth  
Joppa, MD

**WOOD DUCK**

1. James Carlisle, Sr.  
Winston-Salem, NC
  2. C. E. Jarvis  
Toronto, Ontario
  3. Penelope E. Mace  
Street, MD
- Honorable Mention  
Richard Armstrong  
Grand Blanc, MI  
Henry Sesniak  
Warren, MI  
G. Fred Finfrock  
Hampstead, MD

**BLUE-WINGED TEAL**

1. Dick Ledford  
Ithica, NY
  2. Robert Jameison  
Rockville, VA
  3. Claude Dohl  
Newark, DE
- Honorable Mention  
Francis Ayars  
Hancock's Bridge, NJ  
William Lemley  
Bel Air, MD  
Phillip Bacalla  
Center Moriches, NY

**GADWALL**

1. Russell Martin  
Chauvin, LA
2. James Carlisle, Sr.  
Winston-Salem, NC
3. Louis Haun  
Riverhead, NY

**SHOVELER**

1. Robert Jameison  
Rockville, VA
  2. John Orth  
Joppa, MD
  3. Russell Martin  
Chauvin, LA
- Honorable Mention  
Randal Smith  
Verona, NY

**Semi-Final Judging  
Division A1 (Amateur)**

1. Russell Martin  
Chauvin, LA  
gadwall
2. Curtis J. Fabre  
Montegut, LA  
green-winged teal
3. Bert Cartwright  
Mt. Clemens, MI  
mallard

**Division A1 (Novice)  
Decorative Decoy  
Marsh Ducks**

**MALLARD**

1. John Personette  
W. Bloomfield, MI
  2. Gary Wilde  
Morrisville, PA
  3. Edward Robak  
Warren, MI
- Honorable Mention  
George McNenny  
Beatrice, NE  
Don Golemba  
New Haven, MI

**BLACK DUCK**

1. Jeff Muhs  
Hampton Bays, NY
  2. Bruce Johnson  
Baltimore, MD
  3. John Berner  
Vineland, NJ
- Honorable Mention  
Dale Proescher  
Finksburg, MD  
Michael Elliott  
Richmond, VA

**PINTAIL**

1. Michael Fisher  
Hancock's Bridge, NJ
  2. Dietrich Sam Rokahr  
Seaford, VA
  3. Troy Danos  
Lockport, LA
- Honorable Mention  
Mark Strohm  
Baltimore, MD  
Hamilton Dantin  
Raceland, LA  
Vivian Turnage  
Columbia, SC

**GREEN-WINGED TEAL**

1. Jack Walker  
Hastings, MI
  2. Paul Doherty  
E. Northpast, NY
  3. Debra Valiante  
Delaware City, DE
- Honorable Mention  
Matt Ascenzi  
Pennsville, NJ  
Gary Wilde  
Morrisville, PA

**WIGEON**

1. Richard Corr  
Dewitt, MI
  2. Hamilton Dantin  
Raceland, LA
  3. Hamilton Dantin  
Raceland, LA
- Honorable Mention  
Ken Kitson  
Oreland, PA

**CINNAMON TEAL**

1. Thomas J. Van Valkenburg  
Verona, NY
2. Francis Redmond  
Sidney, NY
3. Steve Davis  
Jamestown, NC

**WOOD DUCK**

1. Carol Kinney  
Madison, CT
  2. Joe B. Godfrey  
Forest City, NC
  3. Charles McMahon  
Chariott, NC
- Honorable Mention  
Robert Manning  
Empire, MI  
Joe Schwartz  
Griswold, IA  
Charles Dye  
Flint, MI

**BLUE-WINGED TEAL**

1. Robert Manning  
Empire, MI
2. John Personette  
W. Bloomfield, MI

3. Richard Beldyk  
Bear, DE
- Honorable Mention  
Ron Aimonetti  
Friendswood, TX  
Bill Coleman  
Winston-Salem, NC

**GADWALL**

1. E. J. Ham  
Camden, SC
2. Francis Redmond  
Sidney, NY
3. Steve Davis  
Jamestown, NC

**SHOVELER**

1. Robert Downs  
Baltimore, MD
  2. Dale Dinse  
Flushing, MI
  3. Charles Dye  
Flint, MI
- Honorable Mention  
Wade Johnson  
Warsaw, VA  
Marvin Fryer  
College Park, MD  
Robert Willyerd  
Swartz Creek, MI  
Vivian Turnage  
Elkton, MD

**Semi-Final Judging  
Division A1 (Novice)**

1. Michael Fisher  
Hancock's Bridge, NJ  
pintail
2. Jeff Muhs  
Hampton Bays, NY  
black duck
3. Carol Kinney  
Madison, CT  
wood duck

**Division A2 (Professional)  
Decorative Decoy  
Diving Ducks**

**BUFFLEHEAD**

1. Steve Collins  
St. Clair, MI
  2. Jim Sprankle  
Annapolis, MD
  3. Reagan Danos  
Lockport, LA
- Honorable Mention  
Habbart Dean  
Bishopville, MD

**CANVASBACK**

1. Ken Scheeler  
Vineland, NJ
2. Steven Fland  
Moravia, NY
3. Charles Christy  
Algonac, MI

**GOLDENEYE**

1. Chris Bonner  
Talahassee, FL
  2. John G. Percy  
Caledonia, Ontario
  3. Ron Broadwater  
Baltimore, MD
- Honorable Mention  
Pat Ditrinzo  
Darien, CT

1. John Gewerth  
Alsip, IL  
2. Pat Godin  
Brantford, Ontario  
3. Capt. Fred Muhs  
Hampton Bay, NY

**HOODED MERGANSER**

1. Habbart Dean  
Bishopville, MD  
2. Habbart Dean  
Bishopville, MD  
3. Habbart Dean  
Bishopville, MD  
Honorable Mention  
Jerry Barkley  
Kings Park, NY

**REDHEAD**

1. Jett Brunet  
Galliano, LA  
2. Charles Christy  
Algonac, MI  
3. Joy Yax  
Harsens Island, MI  
Honorable Mention  
Bill Robinson  
Rochester, MI

**RUDDY DUCK**

1. Jim Sprankle  
Annapolis, MD  
2. Tom Strauss  
Fond Du Lac, WI  
3. Cliff Hollestelle  
Lincoln, NE

**SCAUP**

1. William Mueller  
Fair Haven, MI  
2. Joy Yax  
Harsens Island, MI  
3. Steven Fland  
Moravia, NY  
Honorable Mention  
William Mueller  
Fair Haven, MI

**RINGNECK**

1. Jim Sprankle  
Annapolis, MD  
2. Steven Fland  
Moravia, NY  
3. Keith Mueller  
So. Meriden, CT

**AMERICAN MERGANSER**

1. Donald McKinlay  
Madison, CT  
2. Eric Kaiser  
Marblehead, MA  
3. Russell Van Houzen  
Empire, MI

**SCOTER**

1. Gregg Ewell  
Newark, DE

**EIDER**

1. Sina Pat Kurman  
Alloway, NJ  
2. Thomas Birch  
Drexel Hill, PA  
3. Steve Hitchcock  
Scarborough, ME

**OLD SQUAW**

1. Ken Scheeler  
Vineland, NJ

2. ...  
3. Clark Sullivan  
Swartz Creek, MI  
Honorable Mention  
Dan Cobb  
Fairton, NJ

**Semi-Final Judging**

**Division A2 (Professional)**

1. Sina Pat Kurman  
Alloway, NJ  
eider  
2. Jim Sprankle  
Annapolis, MD  
ringneck duck  
3. John Gewerth  
Alsip, IL  
red-breasted merganser

**Division A2 (Amateur)**

**Decorative Decoy  
Diving Ducks**

**BUFFLEHEAD**

1. Bert Cartwright  
Mt. Clemens, MI  
2. Kenneth Whiting  
Hanson, MA  
3. Richard Sprague  
Livonia, MI  
Honorable Mention  
Jack Anderson  
Odessa, DE  
Anthony Licciardello  
Woodstown, NJ  
Paul Watson  
Richmond, VA  
John Sebalusky  
BenSalem, PA

**CANVASBACK**

1. Al Boscaglia  
Mt. Clemens, MI  
2. Eugene Morelli & Joan  
Zygmunt  
Missoula, MT  
3. Harry Groove  
Rosemont, PA  
Honorable Mention  
John Elliott  
Livonia, MI  
Frank Aul  
Washington, MI  
James F. Carlisle  
Winston-Salem, NC

**GOLDENEYE**

1. John Phelin  
Anchorville, MI  
2. Ed Vallerie  
Wilton, CT  
3. Henry Sesniak  
Warren, MI

**RED-BREADED MERGANSER**

1. Richard Belote  
Lewes, DE  
2. Capt. Ed Clark, Jr.  
Shelter Island, NY  
3. Francis Ayars  
Hancock's Bridge, NJ  
Honorable Mention  
Richard Belote  
Lewes, DE

**HOODED MERGANSER**

1. Tom Webb  
Davison, MI  
2. C. Bruce Noll

3. Robert Tito  
New Castle, DE  
Honorable Mention  
Edward Ledet  
Lockport, LA

**REDHEAD**

1. Scat Pitre  
Cut Off, LA  
2. Ed Byerly  
Raceland, LA  
3. Jack Cox  
Currituck, NC  
Honorable Mention  
Dolly Aul  
Washington, MI  
Ray Gold  
Houma, LA

**RUDDY DUCK**

1. Bert Cartwright  
Mt. Clemens, MI  
2. Bert Cartwright  
Mt. Clemens, MI  
3. Richard Sprague  
Livonia, MI  
Honorable Mention  
Richard Fleming  
Williamstown, NJ  
George Home  
Butler, PA  
Lawrence West  
Ogdensburg, NY  
Robert Jameison  
Rockville, VA

**SCAUP**

1. John Phelon  
Anchorville, MI  
2. Richard Sprague  
Livonia, MI  
3. Bud Robins  
Weland, Ontario  
Honorable Mention  
Art Beckwith  
Coming, NY  
Anthony Licciardello  
Woodstown, NJ  
Craig Stewart  
West Berlin, NJ

**RINGNECK**

1. Erwin Pillsbury  
Flint, MI  
2. Barbara Rodier  
Falls Church, VA  
3. James Carlisle, Sr.  
Winston-Salem, NC  
Honorable Mention  
Ralph Walsh  
Oceanport, NJ  
Robert Jameison  
Rockville, VA

**SCOTER**

1. Albert Sovansky  
Brooklyn, NY  
2. Albert Sovansky  
Brooklyn, NY  
3. Bill Bowman  
Baltimore, MD  
Honorable Mention  
Warren Blessing  
Wethersfield, CT

**EIDER**

1. Richard Harlow, Jr.  
Marion, MA  
2. Bob Staller

**OLD SQUAW**

1. Kenneth Whiting  
Hanson, MA  
2. G. Fred Finrock  
Hampstead, MD  
3. David & Carol Dominski  
Southampton, NY  
Honorable Mention  
Bill Bowman  
Baltimore, MD  
Anita Geiger  
Eiverson, PA

**Semi-Final Judging**

**Division A2 (Amateur)**

1. Al Boscaglia  
Mt. Clemens, MI  
canvasback  
2. Tom Webb  
Davison, MI  
hooded merganser  
3. Bert Cartwright  
Mt. Clemens, MI  
bufflehead

**Division A2 (Novice)**

**Decorative Decoy  
Diving Ducks**

**BUFFLEHEAD**

1. Jim Ganley  
Marysville, MI  
2. Bob Curtis  
St. Clair, MI  
3. John Zoller  
Vancouver, WA  
Honorable Mention  
Dauna Crawford  
Milford, DE  
E. R. Michalik  
Grosse Point Park, MI  
Bob Curtis  
St. Clair, MI

**CANVASBACK**

1. E. R. Michalik  
Grosse Pointe Park, MI  
2. J. P. West  
Grosse Pointe Park, MI  
3. Tom Buttonow  
Sag Harbor, NY  
Honorable Mention  
John Berner  
Vineland, NJ  
Jim B. Ganley  
Marysville, MI  
Arthur Pietila  
Northville, MI

**GOLDENEYE**

1. Janet Someroff  
South Salem, NY  
2. Hank Sprouse  
Southport, CT  
3. Sid Jeffcoat  
Wilton, CT  
Honorable Mention  
Hank Sprouse  
Southport, CT  
Kim Hallman  
Shelter Island, NY

**RED-BREADED MERGANSER**

1. Jeff Muhs  
Hampton Bays, NY  
2. Tom Buttonow  
Sag Harbor, NY

Wilmington, DE  
Honorable Mention  
John J. Nolan  
Howard Beach, NY

**HOODED MERGANSER**

1. Paul Doherty  
E. Northpost, NY
2. John Blackard  
Stuart, FL
3. Bute Fisher  
Hancock's Bridge, NJ

Honorable Mention  
Donald Nunn  
Decateur, IL  
Michael Van Note  
Bricktown, NJ  
Jeffrey Scott  
N. Fond Du Lac, WI

**REDHEAD**

1. Troy Danos  
Lockport, LA
2. Daniel Lew  
Warren, MI
3. Edward Robak  
Warren, MI

Honorable Mention

Jim B. Ganley  
Marysville, MI  
Bob Curtis  
St. Clair, MI  
Herb Hoxsey  
Warren, MI

**RIDDY DUCK**

1. Dale Dinse  
Flushing, MI
2. Timothy Mulcahy  
Berlin, MD
3. Jeff Fleck  
Smithfield, NC

Honorable Mention

Ronald Toth  
Allen Park, MI

**SCAUP**

1. W. J. Mick Brazell  
Marine City, MI
2. Betsy Piper  
Grosse Pointe Woods, MI
3. Jim B. Ganley  
Marysville, MI

Honorable Mention

Mike Bortoli  
Roscoe, IL  
J. P. West  
Grosse Pointe Park, MI

**RINGNECK**

1. Betsy Piper  
Grosse Pointe Woods, MI
2. Ronald Toth  
Allen Park, MI
3. Kenneth Raynor  
Hampton Bays, NY

Honorable Mention

Charles McMahan  
Chariott, NC  
John Blackard  
Stuart, FL

**AMERICAN MERGANSER**

1. L. E. Watkins  
Lugoff, SC

**SCOTER**

1. George Agardic, Jr.  
W. Sayville, L.I., NY

1. John English  
East Orleans, MA
2. Sue Thomas  
W. Yarmouth, MA

**OLD SQUAW**

1. Betsy Piper  
Grosse Pointe Woods, MI
2. John Berner  
Vineland, NJ
3. Ronald Toth  
Allen Park, MI

Honorable Mention  
Marvin Fryer  
College Park, MD

**Semi-Final Judging  
Division A2 (Novice)**

1. Dale Dinse  
Flushing, MI  
ruddy
2. W. J. Mick Brazell  
Marine City, MI  
scaup
3. Troy Danos  
Lockport, LA  
redhead

**Division A3 (Professional)  
Decorative Decoy  
Geese & Confidence Decoys**

**CANADA GEESE**

1. Jack Bucko  
Merrillville, IN
2. Cliff Hollestelle  
Lincoln, NE
3. Gary Doviak  
Amsterdam, NY

**BRANT**

1. June Noll  
Brewster, MA

**ALL OTHER GEESE**

1. Leonard Carnaghi  
Mt. Clemens, MI
2. Joy Yax  
Harsens Island, MI
3. Dick Hollis  
Ogdensburg, NY

**COOT**

1. Reagan Danos  
Lockport, LA
2. Tim Bourque  
Cut Off, LA
3. Jack Curran  
Lincoln, NE

**GREBE**

1. Joy Yax  
Harsens Island, MI
2. Donald McKinlay  
Madison, CT
3. Donald McKinlay  
Madison, CT

**LOON**

1. Jim Reynolds  
Traverse City, MI
2. Richard R. O'Connor  
Williamsville, NY
3. Alan Hicks  
Albany, NY

**ALL OTHER CONFIDENCE**

1. Harris J. Guidry, Jr.  
Cut Off, LA
2. John Hilmer  
Racine, WI
3. George Rigby

**Semi-Final Judging  
Division A3 (Professional)**

1. Jack Bucko  
Merrillville, IN  
Canada goose
2. Joy Yax  
Harsens Island, MI  
grebe
3. Reagan Danos  
Lockport, LA  
coot

**Final Judging  
Division A (Professional)**

**FIRST IN SHOW**

Tan Brunet  
Galliano, LA  
mallard

**SECOND IN SHOW**

Sina Pat Kurman  
Alloway, NJ  
eider

**THIRD IN SHOW**

Jack Bucko  
Merrillville, IN  
cackling goose

**Division A3 (Amateur)  
Decorative Decoy  
Geese & Confidence Decoys**

**CANADA GEESE**

1. Robert Sakuta  
Livonia, MI
  2. Eric Williams  
Stephenson, VA
  3. Earl Holmes  
Quaker Hill, CT
- Honorable Mention  
Watson Pharo  
Beach Haven, NJ

**BRANT**

1. Watson Pharo  
Beach Haven, NJ

**ALL OTHER GEESE**

1. L. R. Aukerman  
Lewisburg, PA
2. Norman Wise  
La Vista, NE

**COOT**

1. Scat Pitre  
Cut Off, LA
  2. John Marrs  
Camillus, NY
  3. Edward Ledet  
Lockport, LA
- Honorable Mention  
James Johnson  
Oakdale, L.I., NY

**GREBES**

1. Bob Staller  
Ephratas, PA
2. D. S. Fasking  
Redford, NY

**LOON**

1. Frank Ryan  
Ontario, Canada
2. Warren Blessing  
Wetherfield, CT
3. Mike Kowalewski  
New Baltimore, MI

Warren Blessing  
Wetherfield, CT  
W. B. York  
Lumberton, NC  
Art Colabella  
Brielle, NJ

**ALL OTHER CONFIDENCE**

1. Jim Sherman  
Bethel Park, PA
  2. Penelope Mace  
Street, MD
  3. Anthony Licciadello  
Woodstown, NJ
- Honorable Mention  
Warren Blessing  
Wetherfield, CT  
Richard Flemming  
Williamstown, NJ

**Semi-Final Judging  
Division A3 (Amateur)**

1. Robert A. Sakuta  
Livonia, MI  
Canada goose
2. Jim Sherman  
Bethel Park, PA  
tern
3. L. A. Aukerman  
Lewisburg, PA  
emperor goose

**Final Judging  
Division A (Amateur)**

**FIRST IN SHOW**

Al Boscaglia  
Mt. Clemens, MI  
canvasback

**SECOND IN SHOW**

Robert Sakuta  
Livonia, MI  
Canada goose

**THIRD IN SHOW**

Russell Martin  
Chauvin, LA  
gadwall

**Division A3 (Novice)  
Geese & Confidence Decoys**

**CANADA GEESE**

1. Betsy Piper  
Grosse Pointe Woods, MI
2. Sid Heinig  
Elkton, MD
3. Ronald Nunn  
Decateur, IL

Honorable Mention

Paul Doherty  
E. Northpost, NY  
George Argardi  
W. Sayville, L.I., NY  
Raymond Rowand  
Woodstown, NJ  
James Colpo  
Big Timber, MT

**BRANT**

1. Anthony Christofich  
Wilmington, DE
2. R. Poss Hammell  
Tuckerton, NJ
3. Robert Sunderland  
Sykesville, MD

**COOT**

1. Hamilton Dantin

- Raceland, LA
- Paul Simmons  
Hialeah, FL
- L. E. Watkins  
Lugoff, SC

#### GREBE

- Roseanne Petrillo  
Wilmington, DE
  - Carol Kinney  
Madison, CT
  - Roseanne Petrillo  
Wilmington, DE
- Honorable Mention  
Matty Kaszuba  
Red Bank, NJ  
Neil Dougherty  
Wilmington, DE  
Carol Kinney  
Madison, CT  
George Reilly  
Wilmington, DE

#### LOON

- Robert Manning  
Empire, MI
  - Dotty Baumann  
Chandry, OH
  - Karl Yankey  
Hummelstown, PA
- Honorable Mention  
Sid Heinig  
Elkton, MD

#### ALL OTHER CONFIDENCE

- Dave Van Essendelft  
W. Sayville, NY
- Mike Smyser  
Manchester, PA
- Wade Johnson  
Warsaw, VA

#### Semi-Final Judging Division A3 (Novice)

- Roseanne Petrillo  
Wilmington, DE  
grebe
- Betsy Piper  
Grosse Pointe Woods, MI  
Canada goose
- Anthony Christofich  
Wilmington, DE  
brant

#### Final Judging Division A (Novice)

##### FIRST IN SHOW

Dale Dinse  
Flushing, MI  
ruddy

##### SECOND IN SHOW

Michael Fisher  
Hancock's Bridge, NJ  
pintail

##### THIRD IN SHOW

Roseanne Petrillo  
Wilmington, DE  
grebe

#### Division B (Professional) Decorative Life-size

##### WATERFOWL

- Lynn Forehand  
Chesapeake, VA
- Harry Schneider  
Lutherville, MD

- Tan Brunet  
Galliano, LA
- Honorable Mention  
Dr. Mark Taddonio  
York, PA

#### SHOREBIRD

- John Scheeler  
Mays Landing, NJ
  - John Scheeler  
Mays Landing, NJ
  - W. Barton Walter  
Columbia, MD
- Honorable Mention  
Eldridge Arnold  
Greenwich, CT  
Ernie Muehlmann  
Springfield, PA

#### UPLAND GAME

- Ernie Muehlmann  
Springfield, PA
  - A. J. Rudisill  
W. Atlantic City, NJ
  - Ernie Muehlmann  
Springfield, PA
- Honorable Mention  
Cliff Hollestelle  
Lincoln, NE  
Raymond Smart  
Peabody, MA  
Kathy Hoffman  
Baltimore, MD

#### BIRD OF PREY

- Larry Barth  
Stahlstown, PA
  - John Scheeler  
Mays Landing, NJ
  - Robert Guge  
Carpentersville, IL
- Honorable Mention  
William Hazzard  
Regina, Canada  
Craig Yanek  
Milwaukee, WI  
Ron Tepley  
Racine, WI

#### SEA BIRD

- R. Ptashnik  
Weston, Ontario
- Ma Hai Feng  
Worthington, OH
- John E. Dodge  
Cortland, NY

#### SONGBIRD

- Robert Guge  
Carpentersville, IL
  - A. J. Rudisill  
W. Atlantic City, NJ
  - Larry Barth  
Stahlstown, PA
- Honorable Mention  
Ernie Muehlmann  
Springfield, PA  
Larry Barth  
Stahlstown, PA  
Keith Mueller  
So. Meriden, CT  
Jack Franco  
Assonet, MA  
Robert Guge  
Carpentersville, IL

#### STAINED OR NATURAL

- Elton Henning  
Kingsley, MI

- John T. Sharp  
Kent, OH
- Andrew Assimos  
Rehoboth, DE

#### Final Judging Division B (Professional)

##### FIRST IN SHOW

Larry Barth  
Stahlstown, PA  
screech owl

##### SECOND IN SHOW

John Scheeler  
Mays Landing, NJ  
willet

##### THIRD IN SHOW

Robert Guge  
Carpentersville, IL  
sparrow

#### Division B (Amateur) Decorative Life-size

##### WATERFOWL

- James Hazeley  
Lancaster, PA
  - James Hazeley  
Lancaster, PA
  - Matt Phaczek  
Grand Island, NE
- Honorable Mention  
Bill Bowman  
Baltimore, MD  
Woody Yoder  
Grantville, MD  
Rob Jarneison  
Rockville, VA  
Arden Burnett  
Falls Church, VA

##### SHOREBIRD

- Jan Reese  
St. Michaels, MD
  - Cliff & Kathy Dunlop  
Cranesville, PA
  - Frank Russell  
Cambridge, VT
- Honorable Mention  
Wendy Michael  
Ontario, Canada  
Uta Strelive  
Guelph, Ontario  
Wally Graskoski  
New Britain, CT

##### UPLAND GAME

- James Hazeley  
Lancaster, PA
  - William Cash  
Brooks Mill, NJ
  - George Stinchcomb  
Baltimore, MD
- Honorable Mention  
W. Walter Campbell  
Holidaysburg, PA

##### BIRD OF PREY

- Dr. Willard Shantz  
Minesing, Ontario
  - Jim & Betty Cumming  
Titusville, NJ
  - Frank Russell  
Cambridge, VT
- Honorable Mention  
Alfred Evans, Jr.  
Rahway, NJ  
Uta Strelive

Guelph, Ontario

#### SEA BIRD

- Cliff & Kathy Dunlop  
Cranesville, PA
  - Burt Barker  
Hanover, MA
  - John Sherbon  
Lansing, NY
- Honorable Mention  
Nick Stavros  
Norfolk, VA  
Alfred Seebode  
Vincentown, NJ

#### SONGBIRD

- Edna Fenton  
Syracuse, NY
  - Tom Duran, Jr.  
Stahlstown, PA
  - Constance O'Connell  
Duxbury, MA
- Honorable Mention  
D. J. Fasking  
Redford, NY  
Janet Weaver  
Towace, NJ  
Rodney Barber  
Everett, PA  
Fred Boss  
Chambersburg, PA  
Dr. William Shantz  
Minesing, Ontario

#### STAINED OR NATURAL

- Parge Paulson  
Westland, MI
- Jay Witty  
Omaha, NE
- Bill Kukulya  
Rahway, NJ

#### Final Judging Division B (Amateur)

##### FIRST IN SHOW

Cliff & Kathy Dunlop  
Cranesville, PA  
loon

##### SECOND IN SHOW

James Hazeley  
Lancaster, PA  
wood duck family

##### THIRD IN SHOW

Edna Fenton  
Syracuse, NY  
wren

#### Division B (Novice) Decorative Lifesize

##### WATERFOWL

- Lou Hottes  
Cockeysville, MD
  - Susan F. Hill  
Antigo, WI
  - Dauna Crawford  
Milford, DE
- Honorable Mention  
Dotty Baumann  
Chandry, OH  
George Blattenberger  
Girard, PA

##### SHOREBIRD

- Carol Kinney  
Madison, CT
- Dale Holzman

3. Roseanne Petrillo  
Wilmington, DE  
Honorable Mention  
Donald Nunn  
Decatur, IL  
Ted Alderman  
Pomeroy, PA  
Bill Mazurak  
Seaford, DE

- UPLAND GAME  
1. Marvin Mozlin  
Cheltenham, PA  
2. Paul Jeffries  
Media, PA  
3. Jean Hultman  
Erie, PA  
Honorable Mention  
Marvin Mozlin  
Cheltenham, PA  
Floyd Wooters  
Easton, MD

- BIRD OF PREY  
1. Dick Wolfe  
Liverpool, PA  
2. James Gingerella  
Wayne, NJ  
3. Helen McMichael  
Media, PA  
Honorable Mention  
Wolfgang Finger  
Mullicahill, NJ  
Harold Westgate  
Endwell, NY  
Carol Kinney  
Madison, CT

- SEA BIRD  
1. William R. Mittens  
Geneva, NY  
2. Sr. M. Joachim Stabler  
Erie, PA  
3. Otto Johs  
Valley Stream, NY

- SONGBIRD  
1. Laurel Brown  
Hampstead, MD  
2. Wolfgang Finger  
Mullicahill, NJ  
3. Jay Stickle  
Auburn, NY  
Honorable Mention  
Wolfgang Finger  
Mullicahill, NJ  
David Taylor  
S. Braintree, MA  
George Farris  
Waterloo, NJ

- STAINED OR NATURAL  
1. E. R. Michalik  
Grosse Pointe Park, MI  
2. Jack Mason  
Birch Run, MI  
3. Jerome Sciortino  
Chatham, NJ  
Honorable Mention  
Jerome Sciortino  
Chatham, NJ  
Billy Athay  
Lexington, NC  
Charles & Ruth Martineau  
Lafayette, NY

**Final Judging  
Division B (Novice)**

1. Lou Hottes  
Cockeysville, MD  
green-winged teal

- SECOND IN SHOW  
Marvin Mozlin  
Cheltenham, PA  
grouse

- THIRD IN SHOW  
Laurel Brown  
Hampstead, MD  
thrush

**Division C (Professional)  
Decorative Miniatures**

- WATERFOWL  
1. William Rice  
New Medford, CT  
2. Keith A. Mueller  
So. Meridan, CT  
3. Jeff Butler  
Hubbardstown, MA  
Honorable Mention  
Manfred Scheel  
Quakertown, PA  
Gary Doviak  
Amsterdam, NY  
Donald Thorley  
Hauvelton, NY

- SHOREBIRD  
1. Robert Guge  
Carpentersville, IL  
2. Jack Franco  
Assonet, MA  
3. G. Sjöholm  
W. Islip, NY  
Honorable Mention  
Fred Cutts  
Reading, PA  
Manfred Scheel  
Quakertown, PA  
Ma Hai Feng  
Worthington, OH  
Ron Tepley  
Racine, WI

- UPLAND GAME  
1. Gary Yoder  
Grantsville, MD  
2. Lee Brown  
Wakefield, MA  
3. Tom Szwec  
Langhorne, PA  
Honorable Mention  
Ma Hai Feng  
Worthington, OH

- BIRD OF PREY  
1. Lee Brown  
Wakefield, MA  
2. Fred M. Cutts  
Reading, PA  
3. Andy Chlupsa  
Chebanse, IL  
Honorable Mention  
R. Ptashnik  
Weston, Ontario  
Carol Speegle  
San Francisco, CA

- SEA BIRD  
1. Keith Mueller  
So. Meridan, CT  
2. Iber C. Courson  
Gettysburg, PA  
3. Ma Hai Feng  
Worthington, OH

- SONGBIRD  
1. Larry Barth  
Stahlstown, PA  
2. Robert Guge  
Carpentersville, IL  
3. Penny Miller  
Reston, VA  
Honorable Mention  
Tom Szwec  
Langhorne, PA

- STAINED OR NATURAL  
1. Keith Conrad  
Selingrove, PA  
2. Andrew Assimos  
Rehoboth, DE  
3. Carol Speegle  
San Francisco, CA  
Honorable Mention  
Andrew Assimos  
Rehoboth, DE

**Final Judging  
Division C (Professional)**

- FIRST IN SHOW  
Larry Barth  
Stahlstown, PA  
kingfisher

- SECOND IN SHOW  
Robert Guge  
Carpentersville, IL  
ruddy turnstone

- THIRD IN SHOW  
Gary Yoder  
Grantsville, MD  
pheasants

**Division C (Amateur)  
Decorative Miniatures**

- WATERFOWL  
1. Herb Watson  
Pocomoke, MD  
2. Oscar Haines  
Huntington, NY  
3. Dale Guidry  
Cut Off, LA  
Honorable Mention  
Kenneth Whiting  
Hanson, MA  
Bob Chain  
Montoursville, PA  
Ronald Kagarise  
Ft. Washington, MD  
Herb Watson  
Pocomoke, MD  
Douglas MacFarland  
Bryn Mawr, PA

- SHOREBIRD  
1. Terry Buckwalter  
Mountville, PA  
2. Dr. William Shantz  
Minesing, Ontario  
3. Douglas MacFarland  
Bryn Mawr, PA

- UPLAND GAME  
1. Ronald Kagarise  
Ft. Washington, MD  
2. Uta Strelive  
Guelph, Ontario

- BIRD OF PREY  
1. Ronald Kagarise  
Ft. Washington, MD  
2. Fred Boss  
Chambersburg, PA  
3. Robert Gittens, Jr.  
Geneva, NY

- Honorable Mention  
Robert Gittens, Jr.  
Geneva, NY

- SEA BIRD  
1. Wendy Michael  
Sutton, Ontario  
2. Nick Stavros  
Norfolk, VA  
3. Ronald Kagarise  
Ft. Washington, MD  
Honorable Mention  
Nick Stavros  
Norfolk, VA  
Jan Reese  
St. Michaels, MD  
Douglas MacFarland  
Bryn Mawr, PA

- SONGBIRD  
1. Jim Sherman  
Bethel Park, PA  
2. Ronald Kagarise  
Ft. Washington, MD  
3. Judy Townsend  
Central Square, NY

- STAINED OR NATURAL  
1. V. Betsy Cameron  
Va. Beach, VA

**Final Judging  
Division C (Amateur)**

- FIRST IN SHOW  
Jim Sherman  
Bethel Park, PA  
thrasher

- SECOND IN SHOW  
Ronald Kagarise  
Ft. Washington, MD  
sparrow hawk

- THIRD IN SHOW  
Wendy Michael  
Sutton, Ontario  
loon

**Division C (Novice)  
Decorative Miniatures**

- WATERFOWL  
1. Brantley Blair  
Lynchburg, VA  
2. Brantley Blair  
Lynchburg, VA  
3. Dick La Fountain  
Sag Harbor, NY  
Honorable Mention  
Chuck Gross  
Norwalk, OH  
Dick La Fountain  
Sag Harbor, NY  
Tom Jones  
Delmar, MD  
Joey Clark  
Shelter Island, NY  
Patrick Tarasovitch  
Erie, PA  
Jay Brost  
Fontana, WI

- SHOREBIRD  
1. Howard Soey  
Trenton, NJ  
2. Wolfgang Finger  
Mullicahill, NJ  
3. George Dehner  
Port Republic, NJ

Honorable Mention  
Jane Snyder  
Ambler, PA

UPLAND GAME

1. Don & Hally Van Slyke  
Harborcreek, PA
  2. Bill Nuckolls  
Coalax, VA
  3. Gary Fehr  
Reading, PA
- Honorable Mention  
C. Dean Brown  
Taneytown, MD

BIRD OF PREY

1. Bill Mazurak  
Seaford, DE
  2. E. Charles Flood  
Rochester, NY
  3. Tom & Pat Wieland  
Glen Rock, PA
- Honorable Mention  
Diane Wilkinson  
Waterloo, NJ  
E. Charles Flood  
Rochester, NY

SEA BIRD

1. Donald Abbott  
Clayton, NY
  2. Charles Nold  
Radner, PA
  3. Paul Doherty  
E. Northpost, NJ
- Honorable Mention  
Lee & Jennifer Pierson  
Potterville, NJ  
Karl Yankey  
Hummelstown, PA

SONGBIRD

1. Dale Holzman  
Womelsdorf, PA
  2. Gary Fehr  
Reading, PA
  3. Thomas Hoffmaster  
Marysville, PA
- Honorable Mention  
Tom & Pat Wieland  
Glen Rock, PA

STAINED OR NATURAL

1. Gerald Wagner  
Frostburg, MD
  2. Morris Underwood  
Goldsboro, NC
  3. C. Dean Brown  
Taneytown, MD
- Honorable Mention  
C. Dean Brown  
Taneytown, MD

**Final Judging  
Division C (Novice)**

FIRST IN SHOW

Donald Abbott  
Clayton, NY  
loon

SECOND IN SHOW

Brantley Blair  
Lynchburg, VA  
wood duck

THIRD IN SHOW

Don & Hally Van Slyke  
Harborcreek, PA  
turkeys

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The following carvers have volunteered to collect and summarize suggestions for the improvement of the 1985 World Championship Carving Competition categories as listed below. Please communicate directly with them.

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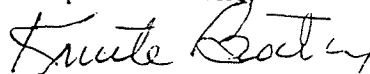
1984's "World" was one of good responses and pleasures for all. Our progress in perpetuating this art to the public is self-evident as the "World" was on "Good Morning America," all local TV's, across the country on PBS stations and the airways were blanked by the Maryland Dept. of Tourism advertisement, Louis Goldstein's radio broadcasts, recognized by the National Geographic and the Smithsonian magazines and great newspaper coverages from all over.... In 1971, we hosted 65 Pros - 283 carvings, 43 Amateurs - 221 carvings & 40 Novice - 104 carvings for a total of 148 carvers with 608 carvings. In 1983 we had 217 Pros - 774 carvings, 204 Amateur carvers - 631 carvings, 447 Novice carvers - 937 carvings totaling 868 carvers - 2342 carvings. 1984 shows us 211 Pro carvers - 912 carvings, 214 Amateur carvers - 828 carvings and 290 Novice carvers - 824 carvings for a total of 715 carvers with 2564 carvings.....needless to say, IF we had had as many Novice this year as last, I really have no idea where I could have placed them! This year 46 states were represented, 2 Provinces of Canada, England, Saudi Arabia and Hong Kong! Mr. Ma Hai Feng won 4 ribbons and his letter, his humble letter was very much appreciated. We were thrilled with the quality of the entries this year.....magnificent does not describe them. To the NEW WORLD CHAMPIONS our congratulations — your pieces look great in the museum and, as they were also the public's choices, it proves they are becoming more aware of quality. Our youngest carver was 9 years old, our oldest, 82 years young! I cannot give more than my sincere thanks to all the workshop "professors," the great judges, the clerks, runners, members of the Ward Foundation, the board of directors and advisory board members and our own staff of hard working females that run the daily operations of the Ward Foundation. But most of all, I want you, the carver to know that without the below listed great volunteers that spend their own money for motel rooms, take vacation time and work like a dog to put on the greatest show in the "WORLD" .....YOU, the CARVER, would not have the privilege of competing here, allowed to study new techniques of carvers from the four corners, talk with your peers, be exposed to the biggest buyers in the country and "just be a part of"....this unique and only true art form of North America. YOU, the CARVER OWE these volunteers a big THANKS....and a post card will suffice. One thing for certain....If they don't show up next year, be prepared to walk on the beach and get a tan 'cause that's all that will be going on in Ocean City. The list below are the ones to thank.

Fred Kreiser, Vice Chairman, Jean Bartrug, Enid Kreiser, Carol Parrish, Rocky Bartrug, Ted Crockett, David Parrish, Harvey Derby, Pat Derby, Joan Phillips, Jeff Bounds, Max Hughes, Jim Slaughter, John Perdue, Vince Schumacher, Nancy Schumacher, Tom George, Marshall Moore, Charlie Bounds, Dennis Hartline, Richard Scheibel, Frank Mitchell, Harold McAllister, Joan McAllister, Veryl Thomas, Joe Thomas, all the ladies in the Ward Museum gift shop and many other great volunteers. I know darn well I left someone out so I'll apologize now.....

We gave two MEMORIAL trophies this year courtesy of Bill Callahan, "the Irish pewter king" of Syracuse, N.Y. The "Bill Schultz Memorial" was given to "First in Show," Decorative Life-size, Amateur Class to Cliff & Kathy Dunlop, Cranesville, PA, and the "Mike Wavercak Memorial" was given to "First in Show," Competition Grade Floating Waterfowl, Novice Class, to Dale Dinse, Flushing, MI. The Ward Foundation will not forget our carver friends who have passed on.

The Theme for Floating Decorative Pairs next year is RUDDY DUCKS and naturally summer plumage is allowed. The Decorative Life-size and Decorative Miniature theme will be BIRDS OF PREY; the important rule change will be that the carver can carve TWO birds of prey or a raptor and its prey, the prey need not have feathers because there are many raptors that are too slow to catch "feathers." Next year's dates are April 26, 27, & 28, 1985. See you there.

Still Spittin' Feathers,



Knute R. Bartrug, Chairman W.C.W.C.C.