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WOODCARVING SHOW COMING TO CANTIGNY

Wheaton, Ill., April 7, 2016 – Cantigny Park welcomes the annual *Artistry in Wood* exhibition and sale April 23-24, presented by North Suburban Carvers.

Show hours, inside the Cantigny Visitors Center, are 9 am to 4 pm on Saturday, April 23, and 10 am to 4 pm on Sunday, April 24. Admission is free with paid parking (\$5).

Artistry in Wood features many of the Midwest's finest woodcarvers representing a variety of techniques and styles. Woodcarvings, turnings, wood burning art, hand-carved figurines and other items will be exhibited, with many pieces available for purchase.

Among the items for sale will be hand-carved Christmas ornaments and tulips with 100% of the proceeds benefiting Shriners Hospital for Children in Oak Park.

This marks the 6th consecutive year for *Artistry in Wood* at Cantigny Park. Visitors to the popular show enjoy live demonstrations and opportunities to interact with the artists, all of them members of North Suburban Carvers. Twenty-two exhibitors are expected.

In addition, the club invites all attending military veterans to enter a free raffle for a chance to win a one of 15 hand-crafted eagle-head presentation canes.

Established in 1979, North Suburban Carvers is based in Bensenville and has about 150 members. More information is online at northsuburbancarvers.org.

More information about Cantigny, including park hours, directions and a calendar of upcoming events is online at Cantigny.org.

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About Cantigny Park

Cantigny Park, part of the Robert R. McCormick Foundations, is home to the McCormick Museum, First Division Museum, formal gardens, picnic grounds, walking trails and a Visitor Center with banquet and dining facilities. More information, including hours, directions, and upcoming events, can be found online at www.cantigny.org. Cantigny Golf, adjacent to the park, features a 27-hole championship golf course, clubhouse with banquet and dining rooms, Cantigny Golf Academy and the 9-hole Cantigny Youth Links. For more information, please visit www.cantignygolf.com.