

2010 Carder Steuben Club Tenth Annual Symposium On The Glass of Frederick Carder

September 23 - 25, 2010

Co-hosted by The Corning Museum of Glass

**Thursday, September 23
Pre-Program Events**

1:00 p.m. - Rakow Research Library Open House and Volunteer Session
4:00 p.m. Stop by the Rakow Research Library anytime between 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. and meet the staff, view the collection or even pursue a small personal research interest with the help of one of the Reference Librarians. Visit the Library's Seminar Room and participate in a volunteer project related to the Frederick Carder Archives. The Rakow Library Staff has assembled a series of small projects that, under their supervision, can be accomplished in a short period of time by volunteers. Whether you have 30 minutes or several hours, join your fellow Carder Steuben enthusiasts to help the Rakow Library manage the collection of original materials left to the Library by Frederick Carder. No experience or special skills necessary!

The Library is located on the Museum's campus west of (behind) B Building and the Carder Gallery. Upon leaving the Auditorium of the Museum follow Museum Way west (or the sidewalk parallel to the street) to the Library's parking lot and enter the building from the west entrance at the far end. See the included map for directions.

5:00 p.m. - Glass Show
9:00 p.m. Carder Room – Radisson Hotel

For the first time, we have assembled a small glass show as part of the Carder Steuben Symposium. Come to the Radisson Hotel's Carder Room, enjoy complimentary hors d'oeuvres, purchase a glass of wine, beer or soda from the cash bar, and shop for new additions to your collection. If you aren't in the buying mood, then stay and socialize with other registrants for the Symposium. When you are done shopping the show and socializing, you may want to walk over to Market Street and visit the merchants there. Many of them will be open until 8:00 p.m.

Friday, September 24

All activities take place in The Corning Museum of Glass Auditorium unless otherwise noted.

8:30 a.m. - Registration and Fellowship

9:00 a.m. Coffee and Assorted Bakery

9:00 a.m. - Welcome and Opening Comments

9:15 a.m. David Goldstein – President, Carder Steuben Club

www.cardersteubenclub.com

Dr. David Whitehouse – Executive Director, Corning Museum of Glass

www.cmog.org

9:15 a.m. - Treasures of American Glass Through Four Centuries

10:15 a.m. Kirk J. Nelson

Executive Director, The New Bedford Museum of Glass

New Bedford, Massachusetts

www.nbmog.org

10:30 a.m. - A Steuben Competitor, Pairpoint Glass

11:30 a.m. Jane Spillman

Curator of American Glass, Corning Museum of Glass

www.cmog.org

11:30 a.m. - Annual Business Meeting

12:30 p.m. (Members Only)

12:30 p.m. - Lunch

1:30 p.m. Showing *Frederick Carder: Portrait of a Glassmaker*, a photographic recreation of the 1985 exhibition at The Corning Museum of Glass

1:30 p.m. – The Visual Idea: A Conversation About The Rakow Library’s Design

3:00 p.m. Drawings

Gail Bardhan, Reference and Research Librarian, Rakow Research Library

Beth Hysten, Reference Librarian, Rakow Research Library and

independent glass and mixed media artist

Design drawings connect us to the creative process in a special way and reveal another facet of inspiration. Librarians Gail Bardhan and Beth Hysten discuss some of their favorite items from the outstanding collection in the Rakow Research Library including Carder Steuben and Pairpoint drawings.

Carder Steuben Glass Trivia Challenge

Rakow Research Library Staff

Defend your championship from last year or win the challenge this year in a friendly competition to test your knowledge of Carder Steuben glass and history.

www.cmog.org Click Rakow Research Library

3:15 p.m. - Bob Rockwell Memorial Fund

3:30 p.m. Richard L. Pope, President, Bob Rockwell Memorial Fund

3:30 p.m. - New Observations From the Carder Steuben Factory Records

4:00 p.m. Marshall Ketchum, Author, *Frederick Carder's Steuben Glass: Guide to Shapes, Numbers, Colors, Finishes, and Values*

The Museum, GlassMarket Café and the Carder Gallery in Building B will remain open until 8:00 p.m. this evening. The special Family Night programming described below will start at 6:00 p.m. The Rakow Library is open until 5:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m. - Family Night at the Museum

8:00 p.m. Join families from the community for a special evening at the Museum. Watch live glass shows, see glass shatter, and tour the galleries. There will be plenty of fun, family-friendly activities, with door prizes given away throughout the evening. Open to members and non-members alike. Admission is free. The GlassMarket Café is also open for dinner.

Saturday, September 25

8:45 a.m. - Registration

9:00 a.m. Coffee and Assorted Bakery

9:00 a.m. – The F. Price Cossman Memorial Trust Collection of Steuben Glass at the Wichita Art Museum

Stephen Gleissner, Chief Curator, Wichita Art Museum
Wichita, Kansas
www.wichitaartmuseum.org

10:15 a.m. - Goblets, Sherbets and Plates

11:30 a.m. - Group Collectors' Choice Presentation

Bring your favorite Carder Steuben goblet, sherbet or plate (or a photograph) to the Symposium and share with us why the color, shape, pattern, acquisition story or sentimental value is so special to you. To get us started, Jim Sutterfield will share several sherbets from his collection, Ed Bush will share several goblets (including one with which he will never part) and, in recognition of this Tenth Annual Symposium, Marshall Ketchum will show his collection of commemorative Symposium plates that extend back to the Friends of Carder Symposiums.

11:30 p.m. - Lunch

12:30 p.m. Showing *Frederick Carder: Portrait of a Glassmaker*, a photographic recreation of the 1985 exhibition at the Corning Museum of Glass

12:30 p.m. - Frederick Carder's Steuben Glass

1:30 p.m. Thomas Dimitroff, Thomas Dimitroff Antiques, Author, *Frederick Carder and Steuben Glass*
www.thomasdimitroff.com

1:30 p.m. - Collector's Choice Presentation

2:30 p.m. Robert Mueller, Author, *Connoisseur of Frederick Carder's Steuben Glass*

2:45 p.m. - Identification Clinic

4:15 p.m. If you've ever wondered whether a piece of glass was designed by Carder or made during his tenure at Steuben, bring it to the ID Clinic and have it evaluated by experienced Carder Steuben collectors. If you have questions about a piece of Carder Steuben (how it was made, what color it is, etc.) bring it as well and get your questions answered.

Saturday Evening

5:15 p.m. - Tour of Glass Sculptures at Corning Incorporated Headquarters

6:00 p.m. Tour the large-scale glass installations commissioned for this specific site. Among the artists represented are Dale Chihuly, William Morris, Therman Statum, and Bertill Vallien.

Advance registration is required. Please check the appropriate space on your registration form. Limited to 30 participants – two groups of 15. (Slots filled as registrations are received).

Meet in the lobby at Corning Incorporated Headquarters. Please bring a picture ID. No cameras, including cell phone cameras, are allowed in the building.

Carder Steuben Club Banquet

Riverfront Café in the Corning Incorporated Headquarters Building

Host – David Goldstein

(Semi-formal attire)

- 6:00 p.m.** Cash Bar
- 6:40 p.m.** Toast to Frederick Carder – David Goldstein
- 6:45 p.m.** Dinner
- 8:00 p.m.** Fundraising Auction
 - Marshall Ketchum – Chairman
 - Michael Horton – Auctioneer

Members and friends of the Carder Steuben Club contribute Carder Steuben glass, glass of other manufacturers or glass related items to be auctioned at the banquet to raise funds for the club. Contributions may be made as donations, in which case all proceeds are received by the club, or the donor may split the proceeds 80/20 with the club.

Only checks or cash will be accepted as payment for auction items – no credit cards please.

The recording of lectures is not permitted. Lectures are copyrighted by the speakers and may not be used without permission. Flash photography also is prohibited.

REGISTRATION

Detailed schedule and registration sheet also available at www.cardersteubenclub.com

Complete and mail this sheet with payment to:

Carder Steuben Club
c/o Lon Knickerbocker, Treasurer
P.O. Box 543
Dansville, New York 14437

Please return registration by September 10, 2010

Name(s):

Address:

Email:

Phone:

_____ Carder Steuben Club Member @\$190*\$_____	After 9/10/10 @\$205 \$_____
_____ First Time Attendee @\$165	\$_____ After 9/10/10 @\$180 \$_____
_____ Non-Member @ \$240*	\$_____
_____ Saturday Banquet Only @ \$60	\$_____
Total Enclosed	\$_____

(Checks only - payable to Carder Steuben Club)

*Membership application and information can be found at www.cardersteubenclub.com.

_____ Please indicate your Saturday attendance at the tour of the Glass Sculptures at Corning Incorporated Headquarters. *Limited to 30 participants – filled in order of receipt.*

A block of rooms at reduced rates has been reserved at the Radisson Hotel Corning (607) 962-5000 (through 9/1) and the Comfort Inn (607) 962-1515 (through 9/23). To receive the discounted rate, please indicate that you are participating in the Carder Steuben Club Symposium when you register. Also, reservations may be made at Hillcrest Manor Bed & Breakfast (607) 936-4548. **Rooms and the discounted rates will not be available after September 1 at the Radisson Hotel or after September 23 at the Comfort Inn. Please make your reservations early to insure a room.** In addition to the airport at Elmira/Corning, you may also consider flying into Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse or Binghamton.

