

NAA Artist's Bio:

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Justin Gordon, from Groveland, MA, is a self-taught sculptor and wood carver since 1974. He's sculpted professionally since getting laid off from his engineering job in 1991. Justin now does what he's here to do. He sculpts in 8 medium: ice, snow for ski areas, clay for ceramics and bronzes, wax for the jewelry industry, stone, foam, wood, and sand. Sand sculpting has taken Justin from Oman and Kuwait to Taiwan, to England, and all over the US and Canada. He also does local sand sculptures at the Topsfield Fair and the Hampton Beach Masters Sand Sculpting Competition. Justin has also done giant tree carvings using chainsaws and chisels for Storyland in NH and private commissions. Now Justin mostly concentrates on sand sculpting and wood carvings of architectural carved elements, custom clock cases, gun stocks, and figurative sculptures from fine art to caricatures of people for display or bronzing. He'll consider any commission request. Justin also continues teaching a sculpting and wood carving class in Groveland since 1997.

Memberships:

New England Wood Carvers Association; numerous awards in the Masters competition category

New England Sculptors Association

Newburyport Art Association; One Best in Sculpture, One Best in Fine Craft

Trustees of Reservations; Annual Fund Raiser at the Crane Estate, Castle Hill

Green Belt, Art in the Barn