



# Rockwell Collins Craft Club March Newsletter

**This Month  
at a Glance**

<b>Next Meeting:</b> <b>Wednesday</b> <b>March 16</b> <b>at 4:30 Main Plant</b>
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A multiple holiday month, St. Patrick's Day, St. Joseph's Day, and Easter! I have had several memorable St. Patrick's Days (in my younger years). My most memorable Easter was 30 years ago. I spent it at St. Luke's Hospital having my second daughter. The doctor thought I should name her "Bunny". I settled for bunnies on the curtains in her room. Just this week I bought her a new bunny for her collection at a craft show at Riverside. It's felted wool and only a few inches tall. It was my first time at that show and I must say I thought it was very nice.

- ☀ No craft project for this month, as it is BINGO & POTLUCK!!!!!! We aim for a Red and Green food assortment to celebrate both St. Patrick's and St. Joseph's Days, but bring whatever you want to share no matter what color it might be. Bring your own drink.
- ☀ If you have any good bingo prizes you would like to donate, wrap them up and bring them along.
- ☀ Last month's bunny project was so cute. I even made one out of pink/grey/white variegated yarn. The thicker yarn with a touch of glitter made the softest ones of all. Thank you to Mary once again for her help with the project readiness.
- ☀ Our charity this month will be Families Helping Families.
- ☀ Remember, we follow the Cedar Rapids school closing schedule. If school is cancelled, we are too. I do recall a blizzard with 9 inches of snow in April of 1997, so you never know.
- ☀ Jan O'Brien is wondering if anyone has some extra buttons in their button jar for her. She needs all colors, size about 3/4" to 1".
- ☀ Time to re-register and pay dues if you have not already done so. Registration form attached.

## Happy Birthday!

### March

8th—Vi Brislawn

28th — Donna Hepker

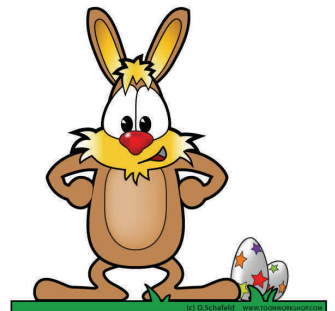
29th — Pam Hoffman

### April

13th — Esther Miceli

16th — Mary Lagerquist

23rd — Marj Pepin



**ROCKWELL COLLINS CRAFT CLUB  
REGISTRATION FORM  
FY 2016**

**DO NOT SEND CLUB MEMBERSHIP MATERIAL (DUES, REGISTRATION FORM) THROUGH COMPANY MAIL**  
(CHECKS FOR MEMBERSHIP SHOULD BE MADE PAYABLE TO: ROCKWELL COLLINS CRAFT CLUB)

RETURN TO: Mary Lagerquist  
3352 Schmickle Road  
Marion, IA 52302

**MEMBERSHIP CHAIRPERSON USE ONLY**  
Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_

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Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home or Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip + 4)  
e-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Birthday – Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_

Rockwell Collins Association: (Choose the **one** that fits your situation)

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Activity: ROCKWELL COLLINS CRAFT CLUB Participation fee \_\_\_\_\_

**RELEASE:**

I understand that the above named activity is sponsored for recreational purposes only. I also understand the nature of the activity including its possible risks and voluntarily register for participation.

I hereby release Rockwell Collins, Inc., from any claims, demands or damages because of injury or death, other than customary and reasonable medical expenses under the existing company medical plan, resulting in any way from participation in this activity.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

\*Subsidized participants are defined as current employees, retired employees, and spouses of the above. All other participants must pay an amount equivalent to the companies per person subsidy plus individual fee established for this activity. Inclusion of non-subsidized participants will be subject to each individual program's concurrence.

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**Question:** What was the game of Bingo originally called?

**Answer:** In the US, bingo was originally called "beano". It was a country fair game where a dealer would select numbered discs from a cigar box and players would mark their cards with dried beans. They yelled "beano" if they won. The game was popularized by Edwin Lowe, a New York toy salesman who witnessed a game of Beano at a crowded carnival booth and decided to test playing the game at home before making it his own. Lowe renamed it "bingo" after he overheard someone accidentally yell "bingo" instead of "beano". "I cannot describe the strange sense of elation which that girl's cry brought to me," Lowe said. "All I could think of was that I was going to come out with this game, and it was going to be called Bingo!" The game's history can be traced back to 1530, to an Italian lottery called "Lo Giuoco del Lotto D'Italia."



What's Irish and stays out all night? Paddy O'Furniture !



**What do ghosts drink on St. Patrick's Day? BOOs**

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