



Celebrating 26 Years of Collecting!

Uhl Collectors Society

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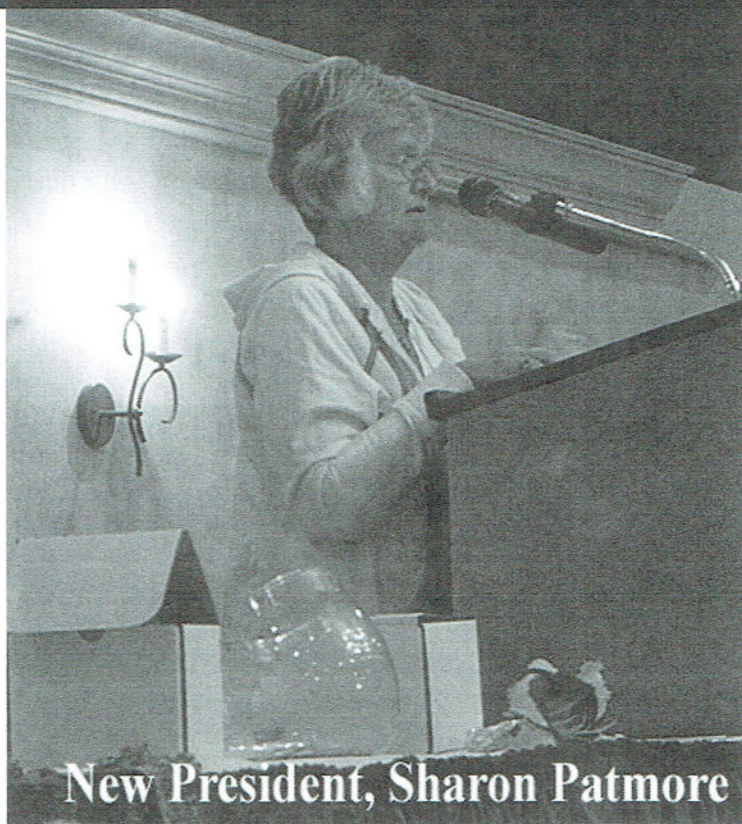
From The President's Desk

Greetings from the President

The 2011 annual Uhl Collectors convention was held at the Jasper Inn, Jasper, IN on Thursday 22nd through Saturday the 24th of June. It was so exciting to hear all the "Ooh's and Aah's" when the membership opened their latest commemorative, a beautiful Blue Candle Holder. Six, one of a kind candle holders, being different colors, were auctioned off along with 5 of our 2010 Basketball commemorative pieces. Chip Kugler, of the Auction Company in Jasper, assisted by his lovely wife, Kathy, Jim Hunsicker and his likewise lovely wife, Judy, and several board members assisted in a lively auction. Our numbers in attendance and auction items were less this year, which we need to improve upon, but the bidding was fun. The biggest seller was a rare piece that almost didn't make it into the auction. It was second to last registered but the bidding was exciting and it ended up first in price. It was a small chicken waterer, very unusual and quite rare to see.

Our membership was delighted to have a lapel pin, and a candleholder, of course, to add to their collection since 2004. Many purchased additional leather coasters and two lucky people were drawn for a free Uhl Afghan. The board voted again this year to give back to the membership by purchasing original Uhl and drawing for lucky winners.

Shawn & Terri Lynn Fehribach retired as 3 year board members and Delores and Ralph Hemmer



New President, Sharon Patmore

agreed to serve again after doing the newsletter from 2005-2007. We were also fortunate to have Paula Britt accepting nomination for Press Secretary, a position she held, assisted by her husband Randy, from 2007-2009 and did a splendid job. Help her out by sending items and ideas of interest.

Chip Kugler accepted the nomination for Vice-President position after several years of "vacation" from the board and we trust that Kathy will be helping too. I feel blessed to have such wonderful people serving and know the next two years will be a real adventure with many new ideas being incorporated to build our membership and the UHL enthusiasm. Please feel

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free to call any board member with suggestions as many were expressed at our annual meeting and all will be considered.

The 2012 convention will be June 22-23, 2012 at the Jasper Inn. Watch for an insert in your January newsletter and treat it like you would your electric bill; no pay, no lights ... no pay, no commemorative or meal. NO EXCEPTIONS as the cut off date is March 31st. Please call if you are unsure how to fill out the paper and/or how much to send. Our secretary does an outstanding job but mistakes in calculating causes more phone calls and postage to correct the errors.

Looking forward to serving our wonderful Society,

Norman & Sharon Patmore
President



2011 Commemorative Piece!

Your Newsletter

We search high and low for materials, stories, factual and historical information for each issue. Over the years many excellent articles have graced these pages, and the best of them have come directly from members! We will continue to share information of the early days of Uhl, the various marks and materials used, and anything pertaining to the production of Uhl Pottery ... but please help us share the wonderful tid-bits of Uhl collecting you have had. How you got started, any relationship you might have had to an Uhl employee, memories of family uses for Uhl Pottery products, places you have found Uhl pieces, or anything that will broaden our collective experience.

No matter how small a tale or insignificant a fact, please let us share it with others who enjoy this wonderful slice of the history of life in southern Indiana. Preserving the story, along with so many pieces of the actual pottery items, is a valuable service to our area. Please be a contributor ... the benefit is shared by all.

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Full Color Afghan.....\$65	+ \$10 Shipping x	_____ = _____
Coasters (Set of 4).....\$5	+ \$2 Shipping x	_____ = _____
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Total Enclosed.....		_____ = _____

Pins & Coasters will be shipped at no additional charge with the purchase of an afghan.

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Leather Coasters
4" Diameter
Made in the USA
4 For \$5**

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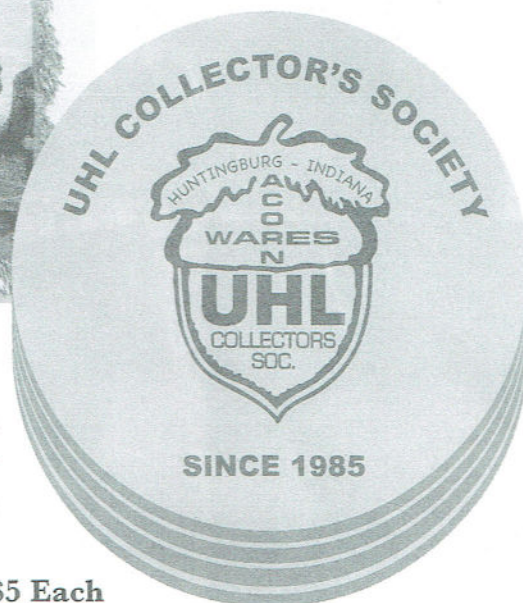
**Full Color 100% Cotton Tapestry
50"x60" Made in the USA - \$65**

This year's convention had a few lucky winners of Uhl Afghans. A big thank you to Anna Mary Feldmeyer for allowing us to use one of the photos from her book to make this beautiful piece. These are great to hang on the wall, warm up on the couch or give as a gift.



2011 Candle Holder Pins - \$5 Each

This year's pin coordinates with the candle holder commemorative. Be sure to add this one to your collection!



2011 Convention



Auction items



New President

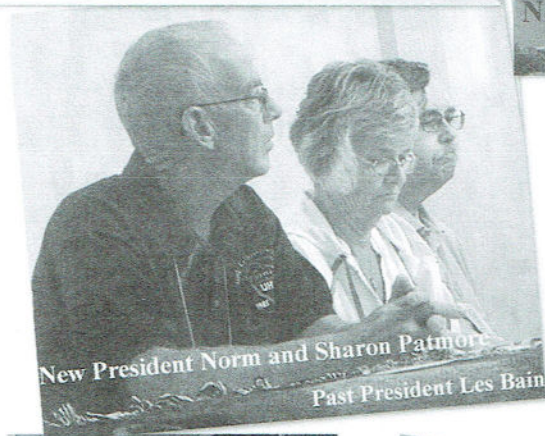
Sharon Patmore



Pretty Patty
One of our Board Members



Amy Busler
Secretary / Treasurer
A real Uhl asset!



New President Norm and Sharon Patmore
Past President Les Bain



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Judy Hunsicker
with a bowl for Jim!



Brian and Karla Neukam



2011 Commemorative



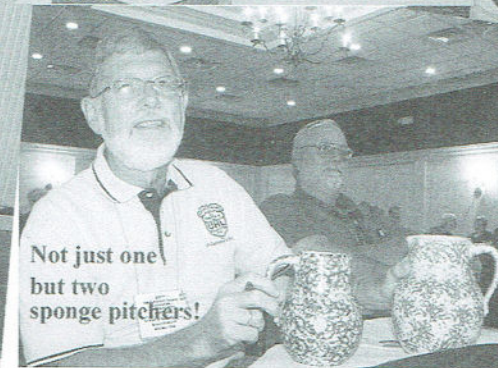
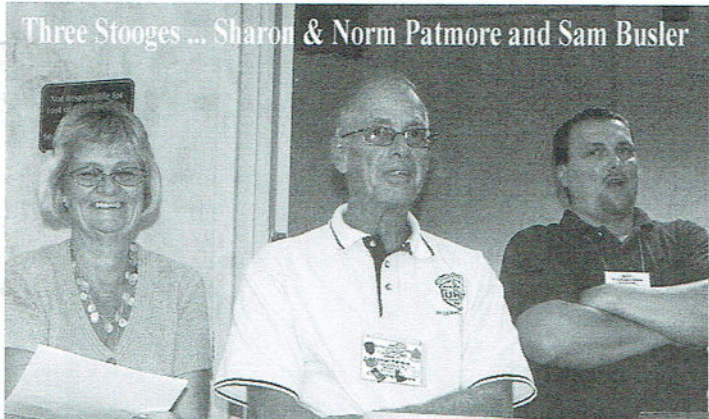
Les Bain
President
2010-2011



Terri Lynn Fehrbach
East Board
Member

Photos from the 2011 Convention

Three Stooges ... Sharon & Norm Patmore and Sam Busler



What a GREAT time!
Be sure to join us next year
June 22-23!

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2011 Commemorative Piece



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2012 Uhl Collectors Society
27th Annual Convention
Friday, June 22 & Saturday, June 23
Jasper Inn, Jasper, IN



Details in the next 2 newsletter issues



*We hope you make plans to attend, and
remember to forward your membership and
dinner reservations to Amy Busler
BEFORE MARCH 1, 2012!!*

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Watch for more details on the 2012 Convention and other Uhl topics in future newsletters!



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