We all miss Dr. Roger Cliffe, but his words of wisdom continue to help students get the most from their experiences while at the school. Here is a letter that Roger sent to his students before they attended his Cabinetmaking class. His advice will always be my school’s battle-cry!

Marc

Your week at Marc Adams School will go fast. Do your best to remain alert during all presentations. Be sure to jot down notes when appropriate; ask questions when you do not understand the information being presented. As you work on the power equipment, be alert to your safety and the safety of others; your kickback could injure a fellow student. Work efficiently; before you go to a piece of equipment, know what it is that you plan to do. We cannot have individuals tying up a piece of equipment while they think about the job. If you are going to suffer paralysis by analysis, do it at the bench! Mark your stock accurately and completely, there is nothing worse that two left sides or a piece of plywood with the worst side exposed.

Take good care of yourself. Standing all day for five consecutive days may be more taxing than you think. If you are fatigued, take a rest even if it means falling behind; you cannot do woodworking from a hospital bed! Most accidents occur when an individual is tired and/or rushing a job. Don’t put yourself in that position. Working efficiently is far different than rushing a job. We as instructors will make every effort to help you become a better woodworker, but you must also help yourself. Try to solve your problems whenever possible; when that is not possible, solve as much of the problem as you can on your own. This makes it easier for the instructors to help you and it helps to develop problem solving skills on your own which is an important part of the learning process.

Do not let the project you are working on become the focal point of your week at the Marc Adams School! The project is a means to an end; that end is learning! In my mind, the best thing that could be done with all the cabinets at the end of the critique would be to set them on fire and roast marshmallows! While you will be taking the cabinet home with you, it is far less important than the knowledge you will be taking home in your mental toolbox. Always focus on the knowledge!

Roger Cliffe

A foundation has been established in Roger’s name to continue the educational funding of woodworkers. Donations can be mailed to the address below. Be sure to note “Roger Cliffe Fund” in memo line on the check. Together we can help change lives – thank you for your generosity!

JCCF (Johnson County Community Foundation)
Attn: Stephanie Fox
PO Box 217
Franklin, IN 46131

Also, now online at JCCF.ORG. Click on “donate now” button. Look under “CLIFFE, ROGER” for the foundation and make your donation.
DIRECTIONS:
The shop is located just 12 miles south of Indianapolis and is only 25 miles from the Indianapolis International Airport. From Indianapolis take I-65 south to the Whiteland exit (exit mile marker 95). Turn left (east) on Whiteland Road and drive 2.2 miles. The shop is on the left hand (north) side of the road. Heading north from Louisville take I-65 to the Whiteland exit (exit mile marker 95). Turn right (east) on Whiteland Road and drive 2 miles. The shop is on the left hand (north) side of the road. The building is brown and the sign says: “MARC ADAMS SCHOOL OF WOODWORKING, THE LARGEST WOODWORKING SCHOOL IN NORTH AMERICA.”

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON OTHER PLACES TO STAY OR WHAT TO DO WHILE IN TOWN, CONTACT:

Greater Franklin Chamber of Commerce
370 East Jefferson Street
Franklin, Indiana 46131
317-736-6334
317-736-9553 fax
www.franklinincoc.org

Greenwood Chamber of Commerce
550 US 31 South
Greenwood, Indiana 46142
317-888-4856
317-865-2609 fax
www.greenwood-chamber.com
NOTICE

Full week classes begin at 8:00 AM and weekend classes begin at 9:00 AM (Eastern Time).

If you are interested in having your wood milled locally and delivered to the school the Monday of your class, you may get quotes from:

Scott Coffman
Morgantown, IN  46160
317-422-9759
smcoffman@embarqmail.com

Patrick Murrin
Whiteland, IN
630-398-2893
patmurrin@murrinwoodworkingstudio.com

It is very important that you make your hotel reservations as soon as possible. Indianapolis is a very active city with conventions and sporting events.

We ask that you patronize the Baymont Inn 317-784-7006. Make sure you tell them that you are with Marc Adams School of Woodworking to get special rates.

If you are completing your “Masters”, “Fellowship” or “Turning” requirements this summer, let us know. Please e-mail Paula at Paula@marcadams.com. Thanks so much – we would hate to miss someone.

As you gather tools for your upcoming class, please consider bringing and donating your used electric and non-electric hand tools for missionary endeavors. Since we began in 2000, students have donated over 4000 pounds of tools various causes.

Once again we are asking for: carving tools, chisels, triangular files, rasps, sharpening stones, hand planes, saws, bits and braces, draw knives, spoke shaves, layout tools, screwdrivers, pliers, clamps, wrenches and so on. Electric tools can be donated as well. Students who donate will be given a document that can be filled out so that you may deduct your donation as a charitable contribution on your federal income tax return.
RESOURCE LIST

WOODCRAFT
560 Airport Ind. Park
PO Box 1686
Parkersburg, WV  26102
1-800-225-1153
Woodworking tools and supplies

WOODBW CARVERS SUPPLIES, INC
PO Box 7500
Englewood, FL  34295
1-800-284-6229
Carving supplies

GRIZZLY INDUSTRIAL
PO Box 2069
Bellingham, WA  98227
1-800-523-4777
Woodworking supplies

Lost Art Press
26 Greenbriar Avenue
Ft. Mitchell, KY  41017
www.lostartpress.com
Woodworking Blogs, Books & DVD’s

HARTVILLE TOOL COMPANY
13163 Market Ave North
Hartville, OH  44632
1-800-345-2396
Woodworking tools and supplies

STEWART-McDONALD’S SUPPLY
21 N Shafer Street
Box 900
Athens, OH  45701
1-800-848-2273
Abalone/shell and inlay supplies

JAPAN WOODWORKER
1731 Clement Avenue
Alameda, CA  94501
1-800-537-7820
Woodworking tools and supplies

Klingspor’s Woodworking
PO Box 3737
Hickory, NC  28603
1-800-228-0000
Woodworking tools and supplies

BRIDGE CITY TOOL
920 N.E. 58th Avenue
Suite 100
Portland, OR  97213
1-800-253-3332
Fine hand tools

GARRETT WADE
161 Avenue of Americas
New York, NY  10013
1-800-221-2942
Woodworking tools and supplies

LIE-NIELSEN TOOLWORKS
PO Box 9, Route 1
Warren, ME  04864
1-800-327-2520
Fine hand tools

PEACHTREE WOODWORKING SUPPLIES
PO Box 421821
Atlanta, GA  30342
www.ptreeusa.com
888-512-9069

WILWOOD DESIGNS
1-800-470-9090
www.wildwooddesigns.com
sales@wildwooddesigns.com
Scroll Saw patterns/supplies & blades

LEE VALLEY TOOLS
PO Box 1780
Ogdensburg, NY  13669
1-800-871-8158
Woodworking tools and supplies

HIGHLAND HARDWARE
1045 N. Highland Avenue
Atlanta, GA  30306
1-800-241-6748
Woodworking tools and supplies

PACKARD WOODWORKS INC
646 North Trade Street
Tryon, NC  28782
1-800-683-8876
Woodturning supplies

ROCKLER’S
4365 Willow Drive
Medina, MN  55340
1-800-233-9359
Woodworking tools and supplies

HOCK HANDMADE KNIVES
16650 Mitchell Creek Drive
Fort Bragg, CA  95437
1-888-282-5233
Plane irons, edge cutting tools

ONEWAY MANUFACTURING
241 Monteith Avenue
Stratford, Ontario
Canada, N5A 2P6
1-800-565-7288
Woodturning supplies

Wood CARVERS SUPPLIES, INC
PO Box 7500
Englewood, FL  34295
1-800-284-6229
Carving supplies

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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS
CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY

NON-REFUNDABLE REGISTRATION FEE
There will be an annual, non-refundable registration fee of $45. THIS REGISTRATION FEE IS NOT A PART OF THE CLASS FEE AND IS NOT DEDUCTED FROM THE FINAL BALANCE DUE. This is the financial binding that locks you into the class and starts the registration process.

PAYMENTS
1. Payment of the appropriate deposit and registration fee must accompany your registration form and application when enrolling.

2. Full payment for the tuition must be received prior to the beginning of your workshop. You will be billed to remind you. Due to potentially long waiting lists, we ask that you notify us in writing as soon as possible if you have a change of plans so that we can fill your class space.

3. There will be no discounts allowed for extra class signups.

4. We accept personal checks, money orders, company checks, and Visa, MasterCard, and Discover.

5. There will be a $50 fee to transfer from one class to another. Class payments will not be transferred to future classes outside the current year’s class schedule.

6. The Marc Adams School of Woodworking reserves the right to withdraw any student from a class if he or she has not paid in full before the first day of class.

7. Tag-a-longs will be allowed for certain classes and are limited explicitly to children between the ages of 14-17. Only one child per one adult will be allowed. For a listing of pricing and other requirements please contact Paula at paula@marcadams.com

REFUND AND CANCELLATION/WITHDRAW POLICY
1. To be eligible for any returned money, you must send a dated letter requesting any refunds. ALL REFUNDS WILL BE BASED ON THE ENVELOPE POSTMARK DATE.

2. Email and telephone cancellations will NOT be accepted for refunds.

3. There will be an automatic $50 cancellation fee (per class) for any canceled registration, regardless of the date of withdrawal. If you cancel one class and transfer to another, this $50 fee is still applied.

4. If you withdraw from a workshop more than 60 days in advance, the school will refund the deposit on the class, less the $50 cancellation fee and $45 nonrefundable registration fee.

5. If you withdraw 30 to 59 days before the class, the school will refund only 50% of the deposit on the class, less the $50 cancellation fee and $45 nonrefundable registration fee.

6. If you withdraw within 29 days of the class, there will be NO REFUND OR TRANSFERRING OF THE MONEY TO ANOTHER CLASS ON ALL PAID MONEY FOR ANY REASON.

7. If you cancel any class and are eligible for a refund, the available refundable money can be applied to another class in the same year (less the $50 cancellation fee). You cannot transfer money to another class in the next year’s schedule.

8. Refundable money will be sent back before the end of the school year.

9. If for any reason MASW must cancel a workshop, all money will be refunded, including the $45 registration fee.
2017 PRICE LIST
HARDWOOD, PLYWOOD, AND VENEERS

The following is a price list of the items that can be purchased at the school. My prices are direct from the manufactures and can vary from shipment to shipment, so prices could go up by the time your class starts. Each supplier has told me that they will try to lock in their prices, but you know how hard it is to lock yourself in at set pricing for as much as 8 months in advance. We do not pre-mill lumber.

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### PLYWOODS B-2 GRADE: ¼, ½, ¾ full sheets are available upon advanced order only.

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1/8 INCH BENDING BIRCH $34.00
3/8 INCH WIGGLE WOOD (BENDABLE PLYWOOD) $38.00

### VENEERS RANDOM WIDTH AND LENGTH (PRICING AVERAGE $3.00 PER SHEET)

**Wood prices are subject to change; however we will do our best to keep them as listed above.