

CHIP CARVING WITH HERMAN BUENO

July 27-28, 2019

Greetings Woodworker,

Thank you for signing up for the Chip Carving class. If you are a new student to the MASW, you will have a wonderful weekend. If you are alumni, you already know what to expect and I plan to make it a successful learning experience. I hope spending the weekend here will encourage you to expand your woodworking skills even more in the near future. The chip carving skills I hope you leave with will help you embellish your woodworking projects or create stand-alone chip carving masterpieces.

REQUIRED TOOL (SUPPLY) LIST

You need to have the following tools and supplies in order to make this weekend class a productive and learning experience:

PATIENCE

PENCILS (SOFTER LEADS WORK BEST) or MECHANICAL PENCIL (.5 mm with B LEAD)

SMALL RULER

SMALL (12") T SQUARE (Optional, bring if you have one)

ACCURATE DRAWING COMPASS (Optional, bring if you have one)

WHITE ERASER

CARBON PAPER/GRAPHITE PAPER

TRACING PAPER (Optional, bring if you have it)

The items below have been found online at different websites.

CUTTING KNIFE

Style Model C-1 Chip Carving Knife (**My Favorite !!!**)

Makes a big difference ! This knife will have you ready to carve. I have found that all other knives require some tuning of some kind.

Order from www.fergusonknives.com/woodcarving-knives

Or

Style 15U51 is Woodcraft Orrand - approx. \$20+

Or

Style 07K13 is a Wayne Barton Brand - approx. \$30

Or

Style CKC100 Chip Carver 1" blade - approx. \$30 Order from Hocktools.com

All 4 knives work equally well.....it just depends on what you get used to.

Other brands will also work if they are very similar to any of these knives.

STAB KNIFE (Very nice to have but not required for this weekend)

Style 07K14 is the Wayne Barton Premier Stab Knife - approx. \$30

Hock Tools sells a similar knife as well.

Ferguson has a version as well (BS-1 - approx. \$25)

CERAMIC SHARPENING STONE (order from Alpine School of Woodworking)

ULTRA -FINE WHITE (style 17A23) - approx. \$35 (Must have)

MEDIUM-BLACK (style 17A22) - approx. \$35 (Optional)

Other brands of VERY FLAT stones may work as long as they are not too soft or hollowed out.

SYLLABUS:

Saturday:

Introduction

Samples/Discussion

Sharpen Knives

Fundamentals

 2-Sided Chips

 3-Sided Chips

 Free Form Carving

Borders

Grids

Simple Rosettes

Sunday:

Tougher Rosettes

Free Form Carving

Larger Complicated Projects

Letters

Discussion/Questions

See you in July,

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