

SON OF SKEW

October 26-27, 2019

with Alan Lacer

Objectives:

By the end of the class each participant will:

1. Demonstrate their skill at sharpening the skew chisel.
2. Perform at least 8 of the presented cuts with a medium to high level of consistency.
3. Using only skew chisels, complete at least three of the following projects: 3 eggs, tool handle, top, doorstop (with double pommel), and Christmas tree ornament.

Tool List:

Skew chisels*, 1/2" or 5/8" and a larger size between 1" and 1 1/2", 5/16" to 3/8" thick is preferable

*I do **not** recommend the "oval style" skew chisels! Bring them if you must and we will discuss the limitations.

Diamond hone, fine grit (500 or 600 grit)

Eye protection is mandatory. Marc has a few face shields or safety glasses for purchase, but you might want to bring your own. Face Shield with a Z87+ rating is a must. The "plus" is very important.

I will have a number of skews available for sale before and during the class. Contact me for a price list or visit my website (alan@alanlacer.com). On my website there are articles on skew chisels, honing, and general sharpening. There are also two DVD's available on the site or from me directly related to the skew.

Please, please call, fax, write or email me if you have **any questions** or difficulty finding these supplies or questions about the class—I want you to have as productive a weekend as possible.

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