







2023/24 Class Schedule

Teaching Shaker oval box making events here and around the country is a thirty-five year tradition. They are backed by our supplies business for craftsmen. Box making events normally are an evening plus the following day. For away events, contact the sponsor directly for enrollment and cost. In addition to oval box making, we teach traditional skills in chairmaking and projects from John Wilson's award winning book **Making Wood Tools**. These are all good value – with lunch included, too. Noteworthy projects! Methods you can use! And a thirty-five year tradition of great teaching!

BOX BASICS – The mission of our shop is to introduce craftsmen to the tradition of Shaker oval box making. Classes are offered at The Home Shop four times a year. Make a nest of five boxes in cherry. Class \$125 plus \$60 materials fee.

ADVANCED BOX MAKING – Develop your skills with projects of your choice including oval trays, carriers, boxes large and small, even musical ones too! One day in The Home Shop is \$80 plus cost of materials from the catalog.

PLANE MAKING – Where each participant makes their own block, shoulder or molding plane. Shape the wood body, harden and temper the blade. Final sharpening makes it a plane. Class \$100 plus \$60 materials fee.

SPOKESHAVE – Make your own in this one day class, \$100 plus \$60 materials fee.

We produce a full line of box making supplies. The **four page catalog** lists wood parts, patterns, tools and instructional materials. Visit our website for PDF's of John's articles from **Popular Woodworking** – four oval box projects and three planes. Plus a look at The Home Shop and Solar Drying Kilns.

You will enjoy these projects as much as we do. Good teaching, as well as quality materials and support are what you can expect. Guaranteed.

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Hope you can come.



Great accomplishment in class

2023/24 Box Making and Woodworking Classes

September	11 & 12 13 & 14	Nantucket, MA NHA, 1800 House, Box Making Basics 508-228-1894 Nantucket, MA NHA, 1800 House, Shaker Reading Box 508-228-1894
October	14 & 15 16 17 & 18 19 & 20	Enfield, NH Enfield Shaker Museum, Box Making Basics 603-632-4346 Lake Luzerne, NY Adirondack Folk School, Spokeshave 518-696-2400 Lake Luzerne, NY AFS, Shaker Carriers 518-696-2400 Lake Luzerne, NY AFS, Box Making Basics 518-696-2400
November	24 24 & 25	Charlotte, MI Advanced Box Making (8:30-4 pm Fri) 517-543-5325 Charlotte, MI Box Making Basics (6-10pm Fri, 8:30-4 Sat) 517-543-5325
2024 January	12 & 13 13 27	Charlotte, MI Box Making Basics (6pm Fri, 8:30-4 Sat) 517-543-5325 Charlotte, MI Advanced Box Making (8:30-4 Sat) 517-543-5325 Charlotte, MI Making Wood Tools, Block, Shoulder or Molding Plane (8:30-4 Sat) 517-543-5325
February	17	Charlotte, MI Making Wood Tools, Spokeshave (8:30-4 Sat) 517-543-5325
April	8 & 9 10 & 11 12 19 & 20 20	Lake George, NY Adirondack Folk School, Box Making Basics 518-696-2400 Lake George, NY AFS, Shaker Carriers or Oval Trays 518-696-2400 Lake George, NY AFS, Making Wood Tools, Block Plane 518-696-2400 Charlotte, MI Box Making Basics (6pm Fri, 8:30-4 Sat) 517-543-5325 Charlotte, MI Advanced Box Making (8:30-4 Sat) 517-543-5325
June	28 & 29	Pulaski, NY Lakeshore Hardwoods, Box Making Basics (6pm Fri, 8:30-4 Sat) 315-298-6407
July	13 & 14 15 - 17 19 & 20	 Ludlow, VT Fletcher Farm, Box Making Basics 802-228-8770 Ludlow, VT Fletcher Farm, Carriers, Trays and Special Projects 802-228-8770 Enfield, NH Enfield Shaker Museum, Box Making Basics 603-632-4346
September	6 & 7	Charlotte, MI Johnson Wood Expo, Oval Box Demo (Fri, Noon), #2 Oval Box Class (Fri 1-4:30) Visit our booth near the concessions both Friday and Saturday 800-292-5937
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The Home Shop – Oval Box Materials, Tools and Instruction

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