

Ash/Oak Hurdle Gates with Phil Bradley

Thursday April 29th 9.00am – 4.30pm



Working in pairs, you will use greenwood logs, froes splitting chisels, mallets, axes, shave horses and draw knives to make a small hurdle gate in this new, one-day course for two people. Perfect for small access ways to add character to your garden or like Broadrake, to keep the sheep out!

£150 for 2 persons, to include all refreshments and a tasty soup & sour dough lunch. Max. 4 pairs



Material charges of £20/hurdle direct to Phil

Cleft Oak Stools with Phil Bradley

Thursday Sept 30th 9.00am – 4.30pm



£80 includes refreshments & lunch. Max. 6 persons

More greenwood working for an oak stool, using the same methods as for the hurdles, but with smaller leg lengths and a wider piece for the stool top. Shaping with hand tools gives a lovely tactile finish. Material charges of £20/stool direct to Phil

Ash Splint Baskets with Steve Tomlin

6th-7th October, Weds-Thurs 9.45am – 4.30pm



£165 for 2 days

All refreshments, lunch & materials included

Ash splint basketry is a new and exciting craft being introduced to the UK. An ash log is pounded to separate the individual growth ring layers which are woven into lightweight, elegant and strong baskets. Traditionally carried out in the US, Steve learned to make these baskets with April Stone-Dahl, an Ojibwe craftswoman from Wisconsin. You will learn about pounding, grading and preparing splints and the skills to weave a practical and beautiful table basket.

Scything with Steve Tomlin

Thursday August 5th 9.45am – 4.30pm



Book direct <https://stevetomlincrafts.co.uk/>

All refreshments and lunch provided

Scything is a very satisfying & peaceful mowing method, perfect for small areas of meadow. Steve has taught here every year since 2013 when he taught us!

Workshops make a great gift, perhaps for a special birthday or to share a new learning experience with a friend or family.

We can create an electronic gift card for you to print out and give to the lucky recipient.



Workshops 2021

We have invited well known tutors to run workshops for us in very popular topics.

Please visit the website to see further images & e-mail or telephone to enquire about making a booking. Our tutors are very popular so book early to avoid disappointment. All the prices include refreshments with home baking.

We are in an amazing location within the heart of the Three Peaks area of the Yorkshire Dales with stunning views of Ribbleshead Viaduct.



Accommodation available in the bunkbarn



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BLACKSMITH FOR A DAY 2021

Tutor: Adrian Wood

Sundays - August 22nd and Sept 12th

9.45am until 4.30pm

Learn how to hammer the hot metal!



£105 including all materials, lunch and refreshments
8 places on each workshop

Tutor Adrian Wood leads workshops in blacksmithing in many venues across the North of the country. His courses are always very popular and fill up very quickly. He works on decorative blacksmithing commissions for many clients in his own forge at Hornby, Teeside when he's not teaching others. www.awartistblacksmiths.co.uk

You will need to wear layers of old clothing as it can be hot work and sensible shoes (not plastic). Safety glasses must be worn and these will be provided along with a thick apron.

4 mobile burners and 6 anvils are set up so everyone can work together.

Basic blacksmithing skills will be taught to create a selection of items from key rings, curved hooks, toasting forks, pokers, and dragon hooks.

WILLOW WEAVING WORKSHOPS 2021

Tutor: Phil Bradley

24th-25th March, Weds - Thurs

21st - 22nd April, Weds - Thurs

13th May, Thursday

30th June, Wednesday

8th July, Thursday

15th-16th Sept, Weds - Thurs

Frame Baskets £135

English Round Baskets £135

Plant Supports £70

Curlews £70

Giant Seed Pods £70

Square Baskets £135

9.45am until 4.30pm

Learn a new skill to create useful & decorative items



Prices include all refreshments & lunch
10 places on the sculpture workshops
8 places max. for the 2 day basket workshops

Tutor Phil Bradley lives in NW Cumbria where he grows his own sustainable willow for basketry, garden items as well as bird & animal sculptures, all popular workshop topics. He has created some amazing structures and sculptures at RHS Harlow Carr and also takes commissions. www.philbradley.net

Phil will guide the group through all the processes to make sure that everyone masters the traditional basketry weaves or the framework & free weaving for the sculptural days. His gentle humour and excellent teaching style will make sure that everyone successfully creates their very own basket or piece of sculpture.

All tools will be provided with a materials fee of £10/£20 for the organic willow to be paid direct to Phil.

SPOON CARVING WORKSHOPS 2021

Tutor: Steve Tomlin

5th-6th May, Wed-Thurs Beginners Spoons £165

9th-10th Sept, Thurs-Fri Improvers Spoons £165

9.45am until 4.30pm

Spoon carving is very popular - can be addictive!



Refreshments, greenwood & lunches are included
8 places max.

Steve Tomlin will guide you safely, step-by-step, through the skills of this lovely way to create unique utensils and spoons from a fresh cut log. The May 2 day course is perfect for beginners, with safe axe work cuts taught to split and roughly shape the wood and the different knife cuts demonstrated with emphasis on safety. On the first day you will master a kitchen utensil, with butter spreaders and eating spoons with a deeper bowl on the second day.

For those of you who have already started out with this absorbing craft then the 2 days Improvers workshop will reinforce your axe skills & the knife carving techniques to shape and finish your spoons efficiently and confidently. We will make a range of items to explore different design elements, including 'cranked' eating spoons. Part of the course will include looking at sharpening equipment and techniques to make sure your own axe and knives are kept sharp and safe.

All materials and tools are provided. Please wear layers of old warm clothing and sturdy footwear.
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