

Bone Tool and Jewelry Making Class

**** T3_5 Sessions Online Bone Tool and Jewelry Making Class_ Class description
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I want to thank the Natur- und Wildnisschule der Alpen, Ron and Geli Bachmann, for setting this up. It is my first online course that also takes place in Europe and is therefore adapted to European times. The class language is English. It's great for my small business to reach a new audience. Enjoy the class!

Class description

If you ever find yourself lost in the woods and forget the knife you usually carry, you want to practice survival situations or simply enjoy hand craft, you should learn as many ways of creating a sharp edge using natural materials as possible. The art of flint knapping is breaking certain types of rocks that only exist in various pockets around the country into stone knives and arrowheads. You can take some rocks, smash them on the ground, and get an edge to carve a Bowdrill notch, but you'll want something a little more precise eventually. Bone tools can be shaped into anything from the fishhook to spearpoint. That material is animal bone. Not only will you learn how to make a variety of tools, but I will also teach you how to turn animal sinew into thread to mount arrowheads and spears or make some of the strongest sewing fibers available in nature. Making jewelry from bone will also be a part of this class. This class is not just for adults. Bone processing is also exciting for children and is easy and fun for them to do.



Class content

- How to find animal bones
- Processing them in a way to maximize the number of tools you can get from a single piece of bone.
- Show you how to process and utilize the sinews, which can be used for anything from sewing to making a bowstring, and in the context of this class, how to attach a bone arrowhead to the arrow itself.
- I will also teach you how to process evergreen tree sap into what is known as "pitch glue." It makes a fantastic waterproofing.
- a few tools you will learn to make are spears/arrowheads, needles, and knives, to name a few! Oh, and jewelry as well!
- Like every class, this one has its own online meeting space where participants can share photos of their work, ask questions, and receive homework assignments and videos recorded between sessions. It is very important to me to provide as

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Class dates and time

All the classes take place on a Tuesday.

- Part 1: 9/17/24 (6:30 pm to 9:00 pm CET / 9:30 am to noon PT)
- Part 2: 10/22/24 (7:00 pm to 9:00 pm CET / 9:30 am to noon PT)
- Part 3: 11/12/24 (7:00 pm to 9:00 pm CET / 9:30 am to noon PT)
- Part 4: 3/10/24. (7:00 pm to 9:00 pm CET / 9:30 am to noon PT)
- Part 5: 1/7/25 (7:00 pm to 9:00 pm CET / 9:30 am to noon PT)
- Backup date: 2/4/25 (7:00 pm to 9:00 pm CET / 9:30 am to noon PT)

Class Costs, Early Bird Discount and Registration Link

- Class costs: 250 USD
- Early bird discount with registration by June 20, 2024: 220 USD
- Early bird discount with registration between June 21 and 30, 2024: 235 USD
- Registration and payment take place directly on the T3 website at: (below the course description)
<https://www.tombrown3.com/schedule>