Online Resources

Vesterheim Museum, Decorah, IA

artifacts tagged "Chip Carving"

http://collections.vesterheim.org/items/browse/tag/Chip+Carving Primstav or calendar stick from 1566, similar to one seen in the Learning Activities section

http://collections.vesterheim.org/items/show/170

Carolina Mountain Reefs (artist Bill Johnson)

Excellent examples of chip carving, with an emphasis on aquatic themes. http://www.carolinamountainreefs.com

My Chip Carving (Marty Leenhouts)

My Chip Carving offers supplies, classes, and online videos through a membership plan.

http://www.mychipcarving.com/

- Some My Chip Carving videos are available to view on YouTube without a membership.
 - https://www.youtube.com/user/MyChipCarving
- "Proper Technique" Especially useful for Part 1, Activity 1, triangles https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Gs-G-VdvA7I
- "Chip Carving Straight Lines" Especially useful for Part 1, Activity 2, straight lines https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=612GG5sSPj4
- "Chip Carving a Rosette"
 Useful for Part 2, Rosettes
 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A1Ra8ITGqeY

Woodworkers Institute (UK)

Wayne Barton carves a plate. Still photos with explanatory text. http://www.woodworkersinstitute.com/page.asp?p=980

Wayne Barton on American Woodshop

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Zj3YvaW-cgc

Lora S. Irish on Chip Carving

http://www.lsirish.com/tutorials/woodcarving-tutorials/woodcarving-projects/chip-carving/

Chip Carving: Tips for Beginners by Kari Hultman

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bOE99r5N0Ds

Introduction to Chip Carving with Jeff Fleisher

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7WRCVqGKX6A

Tools and Supplies

Vesterheim Store

502 W. Water Street P.O. Box 379 Decorah, IA 52101 800-979-3346

Wayne Barton's Alpine School Of Wood Carving

225 Vine Avenue, Park Ridge, IL 60068

847-692-2822

wayne.barton@comcast.net

www.chipcarving.com

Sells knives and other supplies. His knives are the standard, but the cutting knife must have a bevel removed. For an extra charge, he will do it for you.

MyChipCarving

51654 164th St. Garden City, MN 56034 866-444-6996

https://mychipcarving.com

The WoodCraft Shop (not the national chain)

2724 State St.

Bettendorf, IA 52722

http://www.thewoodcraftshop.com/

Woodcraft (the national chain) See their website for store locations

http://www.woodcraft.com/

Chipping Away Incorporated

836 Courtland Ave East Kitchener, ON N2C 1K3 Canada 888-682-9801 http://www.chippingaway.com/

Wood

Krantz Wood Sales

16748 Stanford St. NE Forest Lake, MN 55025 651-464-5632 jkrantz@usfamily.net

Basswood plates

Montzka Woodworking, Inc.

5294 250th Street Forest Lake, MN 55025 651-464-5847 tpmontzka@aol.com

request current pricelist – note added charge for carving grade, as opposed to blanks to be painted.

Norwegian style woodenware

Lusk Scandia Woodworks

N906 County Rd. PI Coon Valley, WI 54623 608-452-3472

luskscandiaww@yahoo.com

http://www.luskscandiawoodworks.com

request current pricelist – request carving grade.

CLASSES

The best source of information about classes in your area will be local carvers, woodcarving clubs, or supply shops. Ask around.

- John C. Campbell Folk School, Brasstown, NC https://www.folkschool.org/
- Carolina Mountain Reefs, Bill Johnson, near Ashville, NC http://www.carolinamountainreefs.com/chip-carving-classes.html
- Chicago School of Woodworking, Chicago, IL http://chicagowoodworking.com/
- Fletcher Farm School, Ludlow, VT http://www.fletcherfarm.org/
- Highland Woodworking, Atlanta, GA
 http://www.highlandwoodworking.com/woodworking-workshops-seminars.aspx
- Milan Village Arts School, Milan, MN http://www.milanvillageartsschool.org/
- My Chip Carving, Marty Leenhouts, Garden City, MN https://mychipcarving.com
- North House Folk School, Grand Marais, MN http://www.northhouse.org/
- Northwest Woodcarving Academy, Ellensburg, WA http://www.nwcarvingacademy.com/
- Vesterheim, the Norwegian American Museum, Decorah, IA http://vesterheim.org/

Scandinavian Festivals with Live Woodcarving Demonstrations

- Milan Village Arts School Annual Spoon Gathering, Milan, MN http://www.milanvillageartsschool.org/spoon gathering.html
- Nordic Fest, Decorah, IA http://www.nordicfest.com/
- Norsk Høstfest, Minot, ND http://hostfest.com/
- Scandinavian Hjemkomst Festival, Moorhead, MN http://www.nordiccultureclubs.org/

Directory of Woodcarving Clubs

Fill in your state and the kind of club you are interested in and a list is displayed. http://woodcarvingillustrated.com/clubs/