



KNEWSLETTER IN A NUTSHELL



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Our *international* membership is happily involved with "Anything that goes 'cut'!"

April 2025

IT'S SHOW TIME!!!

Hello!

You'll be receiving this Knewsletter a little early this month in preparation for our big show!

We are working to get all the finishing touches done before April 11th. We are so excited to see friends and familiar faces.

We have a few open tables due to some last minute cancellations, if you would like to book a table we still have some room. Reach out to Susan Goddard and she will get you taken care of.

If anyone has any questions about the show/venue/lodging/Eugene - feel free to contact us as soon as possible and we'll get you what you need.

Safe travels to everyone making the trip and see you next week!

-OKCA Board

[CLICK HERE](#) for the 2025 rules to the **Rope Cutting Competition**.

ATTENTION TABLE HOLDERS:

Last year, we had a lot of tardy table holders. We have a strict start time on both Saturday and Sunday, please be respectful of the attendees, fellow club members, board members, and hired staff by arriving during the setup hours on Saturday and Sunday (April 12th and 13th). Friday, April 11th, is the only flexible day.

On Sunday 04/13 A Secret Shopper will be buying knives for future Silent Auctions. This Secret Shopper will be actively roaming the aisles between 9am-9:30am & 2:30-3:00pm on Sunday.

[CLICK HERE](#) for the rules to the **Handmade Knife Competition**.

NEW RULE highlights from this year's table holder agreement.

1. Exhibitors are to be packed up and out of the building by 5pm Sunday.

2. LICENSED SERVICE ANIMALS ONLY: Unlicensed service animals or pets are not permitted in the

buildings of the Lane County fairgrounds and will be asked by the fairgrounds administration to leave the premises.

3. All tables must be 90% knives or knife related items (e.g. swords, axes, edged tools, edged weapons, knife books, knifemaking supplies).

4. All blades must have their tips/points facing away from the aisle.

April Meeting at Sizzler 4/16/2025
(dinner at 5:30pm, meeting starts at 6:00pm)

1010 Postal Way
Springfield, OR 97477



2025 Display tables

“Custom Commercial Knives Of The Viet Nam War” James Pulis A6 & A7 - Gerber , Randall , Buck , SOG and the Sea Wolf by Gus Marsh.

Ken Izawa A8 & A9 -

KNIVES MADE BY QUEEN CUTLERY, Titusville, PA (Queen & other brands) Chris Morreale A10 & A11 - Schatt &

Morgan: Heritage Series, highlights from Keystone Anniversary Series and File & Wire Series – all made by Queen. Also, some Schatt & Morgan made by Cooper Cutlery, after Queen. Queen Cutlery, Queen Steel & Queen City. Colonel Coon, Maher & Grosh, and Queen USA Tuna Valley made by Queen. Also, Tuna Valley made before, and after Queen. Winchester Knives made by Queen and Bluegrass Cutlery, Winchester, OH.

“RARE and CLASSIC FIGHTING KNIVES and CLANDESTINE WEAPONS of the ALLIED FORCES of WWII” Bob Lowry A12 -

“Theater Knives of WW2” Randall Veenker A14 -

“CutCo Cutlery” Aaron Nichols A16 -

“Horn Handled Knives” Anthony Nichols A17 -

“Cavalry Sword to Fighting Knife” William Adams A18 - A complete Cavalry Sword and knives made out of pieces of a cavalry sword.

“Tribute to the Buck 110” Steve Greenough - X21 & X20 - Variations Since its inception the Buck 110 folding hunter has been the most copied knife model in history. This assemblage is but a small fraction of the LB5 clones.



“Blades South of the Border” Mike Adamson - X19 - travel far south...

“Buck Knives” James Gedlick X17 - knives made in the old Buck Knives custom shop from 1980 thru their closing of the custom Shop in 1993. Also included are some one of a kind custom knives made by Frank Buck prior to the custom shop. Frank passed away in July of 1974 in a car accident.

“Issued Auto and Gravity Knives of the U.S. Military from 1898 to 1991” B.K. Brooks X13 - These

knives are actual military issued auto and gravity knives. From early Miller gravity knives, World War I Springfield Armory balloon knife, famous Schrade World War II paratrooper knives, Camillus, Logan/Smyth and Colonial knives dating from the 50's through the 90's and ending with the black Navy Seals Automatic knife. You will be able to see these specialized knives used by generations of American Military personnel.

“It's a Surprise” David Gentry X9 - Says Dave Gentry, it will be discovered at the show.

“Remington Boy Scout Knives” Jim Pitblado X8 - Contains a complete display of both the fixed blade and folding Boy Scouts knives as well as original advertising and information on dating the variations over the 20 years these were produced.

“Kindjals of the Caucasus” Dale Larson X6 - The kindjal (aka: qama/kama, khanjar/khanjali, Khanchal, kinzhal) is the traditional double edged dagger widely used in the Caucasus, a region covering from Eastern Europe to Western Asia between the Black Sea and Caspian Sea, from Russian to northern Iran. Within the framework of the basic distinctive style decoration and detail varies from simple to ornate.

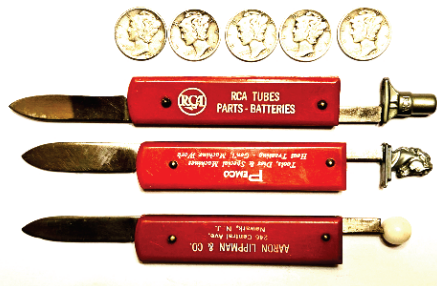


“SMALLS: Push me Pull you” By BK Brooks

In the olden days (which I lived through some of it) knife companies came out with a variety of gadget knives that had fast opening blades or interesting mechanisms, some made to evade the federal 1957 switchblade laws that came into effect. Some very interesting knives appeared before and after that ban and I plan to do a quick review of a few of them. Many featured push or pull levers evading a spring release. Most were novelty style knives or advertising handouts made pre-ban and it is the smaller knives I am centering on. So let's take a stroll down memory lane.



The most picked up one thus a crowd favorite was the RCA advertising knife which has no manufacturers tang mark. It works with a simple lever feature requiring one to pull it out from the moveable back bolster snapping the blade open or closed. What attracts people is the back bolster is either a horses head, or a white pearl like ball or a RCA radio tube (which some claim is a RCA microphone). My pearl ball and radio tube are marked RCA while the Horses Head model is advertising



Production Engineers and
Manufacturing.

Similar to the design above function wise is a Tar Heel Cutlery Club Youth Show knife dated 1969 and



manufactured by SARCO. I guess it was the nearest thing you could get to a post ban switchblade which the “Tar Heels” thought was appropriate as a Youth knife. It is small so I guess size matters in that state. Jim Sargent started SARCO as J. Sargent Company in 1968 with his wife, Jean. Jim is the author of knife books and articles on antique and collectible cutlery. He has held the presidency and various other positions with the National Knife Collectors Association and served on its Board of Directors. In the early 1980's, Jim was instrumental in the establishment of the National Knife Museum in Chattanooga, TN.



These lever style fast opening knives have been around pre and post ban. Some obvious older models have a crown bolster and when pulled out you can see on the lever rail they were made by the Jet Knife Corporation under pat #2416227 with examples dating back to 1947. Others obviously older are marked patent pending and advertising companies like Golden Wedding Whiskey noting: 5 Great Whiskies Skillfully Wedded into one. But my favorite is marked BOOZE Farming Equipment New Richmond Indiana. Watch out old man Booze is on the combine again and he has a knife!!!!

Another little gem is an unmarked knife where the opening device is incorporated into the body of the knife by means of a slit cutout and protruding rivet that slides back and forth to open or close the knife. Fortunately it came with its box marked Automatic Kwik-Nife. The box notes “No Springs”. Obviously a post ban reference. Other similar styles of knives with body slits and rivet or protruding buttons allowed one to slide knife blades in or out manually. Some have locking notches so you can set the size of the blades longer or smaller. My examples are smalls but Case Knives made a bigger much more rugged style of this type of knife.

Last and probably least in this review is a small tube style knife manufacturer unknown marked Compliments Butte Montana Board of Trade. One tube contains the knife which in this case is spring activated with a covering tube when slid back allows the knife blade to pop out. Slide that tube back and it secures the blade. It's a cute little bug probably made for sewing and cutting thread.



There are various others out there and I am not covering them all, nor the more common versions made by Schrade (pull ball, ring turn), Miller gravity and Eagle Pencil (gravity OTF) styles. The above just covers some of the interesting quick opening smalls from the past out there for knife collectors. Happy Collecting.

B K Brooks
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The Theme of the 2025 April show is **KITCHEN CUTLERY**

The Display Award - Chef Knives

The awards given to the winners of the Display tables at the show this year will be custom made Chef knives. The blades are hand forged San mai by Murray Carter and will be embellished by select custom knife makers in our club. A BIG THANK YOU TO MURRAY CARTER, THE MAKERS and GENE MARTIN for making all of this happen.



Embellished by Gary Griffin



Embellished by Grant Cunningham

Embellished by the following knife makers:

Jim Jordan
Gary DeKorte
Cameron House

Lynn Moore
Jeff Murrison
Brion Baker
Levi Walusiak
Gene Martin
Gary Griffin
David Kurt

Theo Eichorn
Leon Adams
Grant Cunningham
Tyler Aldrich

Club Coins for Sale

The club coin will feature the 2025 cable damascus friction folder club knife with an Oregon cable bridge in the background

200 made - 1 Troy Ounce .999 Fine Silver. 70 will have gold inlay on the knife and letters of the "heads" side with no gold on the "tails" side. 130 will be silver only on both sides. A large number of these silver only coins will be given away to the club members who have been of service to help make the show happen. The remaining coins will be for sale only to club members through this newsletter and at the April show. The design of the face of the coin was created by Bob Hergert. Gold inlay coin limit - 1 per club member. Silver only coin - 3 per club member.

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Club Coin with gold inlay

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Club Coin silver only

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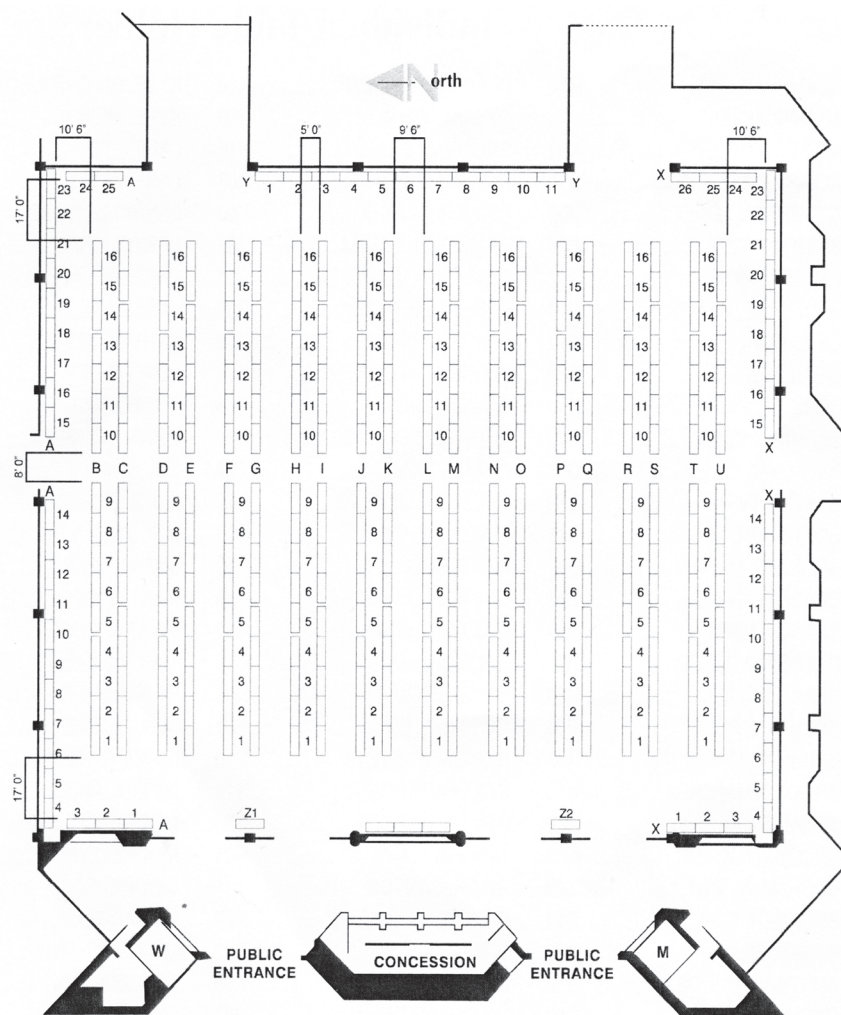
You can mail in the order form and check or go online

<https://okca27.wildapricot.org/Club-Store>



The 48th Annual Show

Lane Event Center



Company Table Holder Locations

5 ELEMENTS FORGE	M09	ELK RIVER KNIVES	E09	NIFEBOY.COM	I04
541 TRADING LLC	G02	EUGENE VET CENTER	X03	NW KNIVES & COLLECTIBLES	C10
A LASKEY ENTERPRISES LLC	A21	FABER KNIVES	S03	OREGON DEPT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS ..	X02
ABRASIVES INC	Y05	FLYLABEL	I06	OREGON PARACORD KNIFE & TOOL	Q01
ACRE FORGE	E03	FORRESTFORGE	G10	PHILLIPS ENTERPRISES	R13
AL MAR KNIVES	Y01	FREEMAN OUTDOOR GEAR LLC	U10	PROVISION FORGE	Q10
AL WARREN CUSTOM KNIVES	H09	GARRETT KNIVES	M08	QUALITY BLADE BOOKS	T01
AMERICAN MADE BLADE	D03	GEORGE FILGATE PHOTOGRAPHY	X14	RHIDIAN KNIVES	T03
BAKER BLADES	D02	GODDARD KNIFE WORKS	N10	RING OF FIRE FORGE	I02
BLACK HOLE FORGE	L02	GRANDDAD'S TOOLS	J06	RIVER TRADERS	D16
BLUE RIDGE KNIVES	N01	GRANMA'S ATTIC	I07	ROGUEAPPARATUS	S07
BLUE STAR DISTRIBUTING INC	R10	GREY LEATHER CO	M02	SAMS VALLEY FORGE	K07
BOSS STEEL BLADES	M11	GRIFFIN MADE KNIVES	D04	SCARAB AND SQUIRREL FORGE	K11
BRADFORD KNIVES	F03	GUNSTOCK JACK'S KNIVES	U03	SHADOW MOUNTAIN FORGE	X24
BRT BLADEWORKS	R12	HABURN KNIVES	H16	SHARPS BROS. KNIVES	M05
BRYAN CHRISTENSEN KNIVES	H01	HAHALUA DESIGNS	K13	SLASH 7 METALWORKS	R12
BUCHANAN KNIVES	I03	HAWTHORNE CUTLERY	D14	SPYDERCO	F01
BUCK COLLECTORS CLUB	U11	HIGHLANDER	P14	SQUID INDUSTRIES	Y03
BUCKNER KNIVES	M12	IRON BEAR KNIFE & FORGE	F16	ST CROIX BLADES	R05
CARTER CUTLERY COMPANY	R01	IRON THISTLE KNIVES	M14	STEELPORT KNIFE CO	P10
CJM KNIVES	F06	J & R SPECIALITIES AND COLLECTABLES	U11	SWORDFISH SCRIMSHAW	I09
COBRATEC KNIVES	L10	JOHNSTON'S CUSTOM KNIFE & LEATHERWORKS	G04	TERO TUF	J11
CORRADO KNIVES	F10	KERSHAWGUY.COM	U05	TIMBER TIGER FORGE	M16
COVERED BRIDGE FORGE	P12	KNIFE MAGAZINE	N02	THE BLADEMAKER	K01
CURIOSITY FORGE	A15	LIFER KNIVES	B10	TRU-GRIT INC	A01
CUTCO CUTLERY	B12	LPKNIVES	F07	TUCH KNIVES LLC	J04
CUTLERY SHOPPE	P08	LUCKY WALUSIAK	P01	TWMORRIS FORGE	L14
DAVID KURT HANDMADE KNIVES	H04	MODERNDAMASCUS	D01	VALLEY MOBILE SHARPENING SERVICE ..	G12
DELIGHT VALLEY BLADES	P02	MOSAIC PINS BY SALLY	Q10	VON HELMICK KNIFE CO	Q14
DUSTY KNIFE CO	T15	MURISON ENTERPRISES	S04	WAYNORTH CUTLERY	U02
DWG INC	U04	MYSTREET LLC	G07	WILDFIRE KNIFE AND TOOL	C05

Individual Table Holder Locations

ADAMS, WILLIAMI14	DEKORTE, GARY Q03	KEYES, GEOFFM09	PULIS, JAMES B01
ADAMSON, MIKEU13	DICK, STEVEN G08	KUNTZ, SCOTT Y05	PYSHER, SCOTT F05
ALDRICH, TYLERL02	DOUGE, STEPHEN R10	KURT, DAVIDH04	QEDAN, MAJID P14
ALLELY, STEVE K02	DYSON, JOHN N09	KYLE, MICHAEL B06	RADDA, STERLING L09
ALVAREZ, JACKJ08	EICHORN, THEO K06	LANE, KELLY G01	RAPPOPORT, DAVED14
ANDERSON, DAVE U05	ERICKSON, DANIELI02	LANHAM, BRUCEI09	REMMEN, ERIK C08
APPLEBY, IANR12	ERICKSON, JENNIFERJ11	LARSON, DALE U01	RESNER, MARKG06
BAILEY, PHIL B08	FABER, MICHAEL S03	LASKEY, AL A21	RICHARD, RAYMONDJ01
BAKER, BRIOND02	FADDEN, GARY Y01	LIM, BRANDAN Y03	RISTER, ROLAND S13
BAULDREE, TRAVIS D10	FAUST, JAYSONJ06	LIMPER, STEVE T13	ROAM, STEPHEN Q05
BELL, DON O12	FEIL, ERIC E05	LISCH, DAVEJ10	ROGERS, IAN H15
BERG, LARRY N05	FELLRATH, CLIFF K08	LOFFER, JEFF P08	ROWLEY, MIKE R06
BERG, LEE O05	FILGATE, GEORGE X14	LOWRY, BOB A12	SARGANIS, PAUL G12
BERG, TONYH10	FORREST, BRIAN G10	MAGNUS, CHRISM16	SAWYER, MICHAEL T08
BERNING, RON E10	FREEMAN, JEFF U10	MALONE, HERB H07	SCHEMPP, EDT10
BIRKY, JACK O01	FRIED, BRUCEG13	MARIN, LUKE L13	SCHICK, JIM I04
BJERKLUND, RONK11	GAHAGAN, GREGT04	MARTIN, GENEQ11	SCHULTZ, DAVE B14
BLANKS, TONYL10	GANNON, TIMK13	MARTIN, ROBERTX24	SHARPE, RYAN A01
BRADLEY, CHRIS E09	GARRETT, ANDREWM08	MARTIN, SALLY Q10	SHARPS, JOHN M05
BRANDT, MARTINN13	GATRILL, RHIDIAN T03	MARTINDALE SR, GARY L08	SHUN, FUJIKAWA F11
BRANSFIELD, ROB I01	GEDLICK, JAMESU11	MCVEY, TOM B14	SILER, CHRIS J05
BRAY, EDSSEL P10	GENTRY, DAVE U04	MICKE-HAYDEN, LORRAINE ..M06	SILKWOOD, WALTER L15
BRICE, MATTHEW R05	GIAMPIETRO, MATTN07	MILLER, PAUL L06	SILVEY, MIKEJ14
BROCKELMAN, KRAIG P02	GLESSER, ERIC F01	MOJICA, JOEL M11	STEPHENS, CLAYQ07
BROOKS, BK Q09	GODDARD, STEVEN10	MOORE, CHESTER K14	STUCKY, DAN C01
BROWN, BRYANX15	GOETTIG, JERRY D03	MOORE, LYNNO13	SWEDER, SCOTT F16
BUCHANAN, ZACI03	GOLDEN, ROBERT M13	MORABITO, JOHNK03	TAUTGES, TOM F08
BUCKNER, TOM M12	GRANQUIST, RONF03	MORAN, MIKE O14	TEMPLE, MIKE H13
BURTSCHER, ROBERTJ12	GREENOUGH, STEVE R15	MORGAN, CRAIGM01	TENDICK, BEN I12
CACITTI, JACK O09	GRIFFIN, GARYD04	MORGAN, HANNAH M02	THOMPSON, LEON K10
CALAVAN, JEFF P12	GROH, SANTOS L11	MORREALE, CHRISF06	TOLLEFSON, RON S05
CALDWELL, KEVIN K07	HAINES, PAUL P07	MORRIS, GLEN R08	TRICHIA, ARLEE G15
CAMPAGNA, CHARLIEU02	HANES, JEFFN15	MORRIS, TOM L14	TUCH, WILLIAMJ04
CAPPS, DENNY F12	HANHAM, DON S01	MORRISON, SEANP04	TURFA, JOE I07
CARTER, TETSUO R01	HAY, DARI06	MOSSEFIN, DALE M10	VANLEY, PETE R03
CATES, MIKED08	HILL, JOSHUA Q01	MOYER, TIMOTHY M14	VEENKER, RANDAL E06
CHICARILLI, ROCCOJ15	HIxon, WAYNEC05	MURISON, JEFFS04	VINCENT, DALE O10
CHOPP, JAMISON E03	HOSKINS, HOWARD L04	MYERS, WAYNE O11	VOLLSTEDT, SCOTT N05
CHRISTENSEN, BRYAN H01	HOUSE, CAMERONF09	NGUYEN, TRYSTAN G03	WAGES, BRYANB10
CLARK, MICHAELR09	HOUSTON, SHAWN L12	NICHOLS, AARON B12	WAGNER, RICK T01
CLARK, TOMMY N01	IRVIN, BILL T06	NICHOLS, ANTHONY B12	WALUSIAK, LEVI P01
CLAUSSEN, BILL C10	IZAWA, KENG02	NIESS, DAVID K15	WARREN, AL H09
CLEARY, TOM C15	JEFFERIES, DAN K04	O'DONNELL, M. SHAWN T14	WELLS, JIM E12
COCHRANE, HOUSTONE11	JOHNSON, BARRYU03	OLIVER, DEAND16	WRIGHT, GARYB07
COPE, DANNYH05	JOHNSON, HERB F14	OLSEN, TRAVISC04	YARBER, ERIC E02
CORRADO, JIMF10	JOHNSON, RAY O07	ORTIZ, BERNARD L03	ZALESKY, MARK N02
CORSE, ROBERT O15	JOHNSON, ROGERT15	PACEWICZ, LARRYF07	
CUMMINGS, MICHAEL S07	JOHNSTON, MIKE G04	PARKINSON, JACK M15	
CUNNINGHAM, GRANT C03	JORDAN, JIMA15	PENNY, CURT D05	
DAVIS, JOHNE01	JOST, JOHN G07	PHILLIPS, KURT R13	
DAY, DENNISD12	JUNG, DAVIDM03	PIRONE, LOU E15	
DE WET, KOBUS D01	KARDOS, ATTILA K12	PITBLADO, JIM R02	
	KELLEY, GARYK01	PRIEST, JOHN L01	

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Knives (Carbon and stainless) and **axes** and other items that "go cut" available on **eBay** under Mayeriboutique.

<https://www.ebay.com/usr/mayeriboutique>

Special requests welcome. Bulk sales welcome. Mention that you are a OKCA member for a 10% discount. Thanks Becky Pierce



Knives outreach – Jeff Dowell here, son of Ted and Betty Dowell / www.tmdknives.com in Bend. With mom's recent passing in July, I'm in the process of trying to 'close down' dad's shop, and there are hundreds of items I'd like get into the hands of knifemakers at very reasonable prices. Heat Treating Oven, Air Compressor, Multiple Ted-built Grinders, Handle Materials, Raw Steels, Ground Blades, Shop Tools, Books & Magazines and collectable TMD Memorabilia. If you're interested, please go to the website and select the TMD MARKETPLACE to see what is available. It is not yet fully populated with everything we have that's available, but there will be new stuff being added every week or two between now and the end of the year. Thank you!

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For Sale - Junglee "Baby Hattori" Fighter Classic knife of the 1980s out of Seki City. AUS-8 Stainless. Pt serrated swedge. Rubberized grip. 11 1/4-in. o.l. Complete with all original box, sheath, etc. \$500 Contact Steve at (818) 300-8675

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Wanted:: Remington scout/utility knife with pioneer boys or highlander boy's shield or heroism shield. Email jpitt306@earthlink.net or phone Jim (562)716-9857.

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Filipino Sword Repair: Someone who can repair Filipino Swords. I have a couple that need some tender loving care. Please contact me at cheta45@sbcglobal.net or 916-435-4931. Thank you, Chester Moore

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Blades and knifemaker supplies. All blades are ground by Gene Martin. I also do custom grinding. See at www.customknife.com, contact Gene at bladesmith@customknife.com (541)846-6755.

After Covid, Sally has come up with some new and unique mosaic pin designs. That includes 1/4", 3/16" and 1/8" stars. sally@customknife.com

WANTED: T. M. Dowell integral hunting knife. new or used. Call Ed at 503-842-4470 or eforam@centurylink.net.

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The Knewsletter

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All the demonstrations will take place in Meeting Room #3 or #4 which are located to the right (South) of the Show Entrance.

OKCA 48th Annual Show Schedule - 2025	Friday 04/11	Saturday 04/12	Sunday 04/13
Set-up & OPEN (Friday - open ONLY to table-holders and members of the OKCA)	Set-up 8am-9am OPEN 9am-5pm	Set-up 7am-8am OPEN 8am-5pm	Set-up 8am-9am OPEN 9am-3pm
Silent Auction	Start 12pm	Silent Auction will End between 3pm & 4pm	
Custom Knife Competition (register and drop off your knife)	1-2pm		
Spark Testing Demonstration - Martin Brandt - At table N14		10am	
Flint Knapping - Kurt Phillips - At table R13		11am	
Knife Sharpening - Lynn Moore - At table O13		12pm	
Rope Cutting Competition	Register	3pm	
Award Ceremony		5:15pm	
Announce Winners of prototype knife	Afternoon		
Secret Shopper			9am-9:30am & 2:30pm-3pm
Scrimshaw - Bruce Lanham - Demo at table I09		All Day	All Day
Photography - George Filgate - At table X14		All Day	All Day
Photography - Bryan Brown - At table X15		All Day	All Day