

Sept. 25, 2013

MHA Education Committee Meeting

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In Attendance:

Jim Frisch - Chair
Pat Jenkins
David Moore
Jerry Frisch
Steve Bushway
Tony Biundo
Chris Prior
Richard Smith

Meeting Centered on Workshops for the 2014 Annual Meeting. The following workshops were discussed and actions noted.

#1 Brick Laying Clinic – Instructor Tom Trout

(Dick Smith will phone Tom and ask if he wants to do it again. Derek Frisch and Travis Stringfellow would be available to assist, per Jim Frisch, and Pat Jenkins would be labor.)

#2 Pizza Oven – Instructor Pat Manley & Marty Pearson

(Steve Bushway will contact Pat and see if he would do it again. Derek Frisch and Travis Stringfellow could lead workshop, per Jim Frisch.)

#3 Kachelofen Construction – Instructor Jessica Steinhauser

(Jim Frisch will contact Jessica and get specifics)

#4 Masonry Heater for Beginners – Instructor(s) Needed

#5 Domestic Hot Water from Masonry Heater - Instructor Joe Copeland

(Jim Frisch will contact Dan Givens and find out details and what type of heater is needed)

#6 Cantilever (?) Arches – Instructor Tony Biundo

#7 Mini Clinics:

- Door Installs
- Castables
- Chimney Connections
- Dampers
- Finishes
 - Brick
 - Stucco

Discussion on Mini Clinics at one point was to build a plywood core and at another point was to integrate clinic into actual build. We never decided which course of action we want to pursue. We would need a heater if we integrate and time table. No instructors at this point for clinics.

Homework for committee is on next page:

HOMEWORK:

We need to decide how we are going to run the mini clinics and find volunteers. Email your thoughts on how we should package the mini clinics into a morning session or after session (which two/three could be presented in one session). We also have to decide if we're going to use an actual heater being built or the plywood core.

Two questions need to be answered:

- Are there workshops for all experience levels?
- Are there too many workshops or not enough?

People who are contacting instructors, please email the committee with the results of your email. We may have to find additional instructors to volunteer.

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Richard Smith