

Heritage Farmstead Museum
presents
Blacksmithing Classes for Adults and Teens



Learn blacksmithing at Heritage Farmstead Museum, Plano Texas with Master Blacksmith Kelly Kring. Kelly has over 20 years experience starting from Boy Scouts of America when he was 16 to running his own business Hot Off The Anvil LLP that was located in Lubbock, Texas.

Basic Blacksmithing Classes

In Basic Blacksmithing you will learn:

- What you need to start out in blacksmithing for yourself.
- Building and maintaining a coal fire.
- Learn the difference between iron, mild, and tool steel.
- Blacksmithing without modern tools.
- Learn to make your first tool and use it. (Nail header for making nails.)
- Make your second tool and use it. (A pair of tongs.)
- Finish by making a set of decorative hooks.

Advanced Blacksmithing Classes

In Advanced Blacksmithing you will learn:

- Learn complex decorative twists and pineappleing.
- Punch and hot cutter making.
- Forge Welding two separate metals together.

Cost:

Prices: \$250 adults: (18+), teens (ages 15-17--with adult) \$200

Family Members: \$175 adults (18+), teens (ages 15-17--with adult) \$125.

Parent and child blacksmithing and Boy Scout Metal Work merit badge lessons are also available.

(BSA merit badge is a one day, six hour class, for no less than 2 and no more than 8 scouts with an adult.)

Classes are a two-day weekend for a total of 10 hours.

Times are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday and Noon to 4 p.m. on Sunday

Only two students per class per available space so bring a friend, sibling, or spouse it take the class with you.

Please wear a long sleeve, 100% cotton shirt and 100% cotton long pants, leather - closed toe - hiking or cowboy boots. No Poly or un-natural blend clothing or sandals.

Leather aprons will be provided. All tools and supplies are provided.

No less than 4 weeks advance notice. Please give us three open weekends that you are interested in and we will try to work your class to fit one of those weekends. A deposit of \$50 (non-refundable) is due when booking. Balance is due at start of class. Email Kelly Kring at Hotofftheanvil@aol.com or call (972) 881-0140 to arrange a class.