New from FLA.
Posted by JohnHerron - 24 Sep 2011 11:21

Don't have much to say I do Like the videos... This is what I do,, its an old form or custom paint.

Its youtube stuff hope this works

I have a lot to learn... Just made my order Thx Jdee

JDEE

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Re: New from FLA.
Posted by leomitch - 24 Sep 2011 13:12

Welcome aboard John! The video was very well done. Look forward to perhaps seeing a video using your new WEPS.

Best regards

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Re: New from FLA.
Posted by mr.cheapguy - 24 Sep 2011 14:25

Welcome from another Floridian.

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Re: New from FLA.
Posted by JohnHerron - 24 Sep 2011 17:45

I will for sure make some videos,

Don't have any real nice blades yet just a few to learn on.

My Razor needs help. I hope to be using it again soon.

Thanks Jdee

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Re: New from FLA.
Posted by Razoredge - 24 Sep 2011 21:28

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Jdee, I've used my WE to refurbish some vintage razors that were in really bad shape. Clay has a video on YouTube showing how it's done.

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Re: New from FLA.
Posted by Jdee - 25 Sep 2011 06:59

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Yes I seen that Video, I will need to order some extra stones I guess.

I ordered the Pro Package plus the Ceramics and extra course stones. I will most likely need the fine

water stones if I start doing many Razors.

Thanks Jdee

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Re: New from FLA.
Posted by jendeindustries - 25 Sep 2011 18:32

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Jdee wrote:

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Thanks Jdee

Welcome, Jdee!

You'll definitely want the water stones for your straight razors. Diamonds are great form making the foundation - the 600 WEPS should be more than enough, but I recommend the finer diamonds for setting a good bevel. I also highly recommend the 400 or 600 Chosera for cleaning the blade up after the diamonds, then a 1-2-3-5-10 Chosera progression followed by some .5 or .25 micron diamond spray on the leather, followed by the clean strops.

Some guys do use all diamonds, so you can also use the Wicked Edge pastes on the paddles, but I'm of the opinion you should go as high as you can on stones/plates before hitting the strops.

I don't know how experienced a sharpener you are, but razors require NO pressure at all - ever and you do not build a burr (yet it still needs to be sharp!). Good luck and enjoy your journey - it's just begun!

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Re: New from FLA.
Posted by Jdee - 27 Sep 2011 12:53

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Once I get the hang of of the system I will be adding all the goodies...

I just mentioned ordering the system to a friend yesterday and have my first job:P

Thanks for the welcome all... Jdee

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Re: New from FLA.
Posted by komitadjie - 27 Sep 2011 15:05

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Heh, amazing how that works, isn't it?

"Hey, I have a sharpener!"

"Well hey, I have this old knife..."

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Re: New from FLA.
Posted by Jdee - 27 Sep 2011 18:07

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Yeah I'm thinking for my own hobby stuff:woohoo: , now I gotta work

Great friends though, got some real nice blades for the kitchen

Said they have a hard time sharpening with the normal gizmos and

can tell that their knives are out of wack.

I hope I can help them and learn.. I,ll be back bugging you all once

I get set up.

Thanks Jdee

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