

Ashokan Sword 2021

Friday, September 17

- 3:00 Gates Open, Arrive and register at Lecture Hall Lobby
- 4:00- 5:00. Set-up forges at pavilion. **Please volunteer to help!**
- 5:00- 6:00 Happy Hour beverage service at Lecture Hall Lobby
- 6:00-7:00 Dinner
- 7:00-7:30 Kevin Cashen -Intro-*Lecture*
- 7:30-8:30 Phillip Baldwin- “The Sword in Myth and Legend in Medieval Europe”- *Lecture*
- 8:30-12:00 Open Forge with Nick Rossi

Saturday, September 18

- 8:00-9:00 Breakfast
- 9:00-9:50 Ric Furrer- “Bronze to Iron in Ancient Weaponry”- *Lecture*
- 10:00-10:50 Zeb Demming – “Making historical steel in the backyard”- *Demo*
- 11:00-11:50 Mike Edelson and Tristan Zukowski (European Sword Techniques) - *Demo*
- 12:00-1:00 Lunch and merchandise sales
- 1:00- 2:00 Phillip Baldwin- “Blade Shaping with Hammer and Anvil” - *Demo*
- 2:10- 3:10 Tom Walter “Kendo and Tamshigiri” - *Demo*
- 3:20- 4:20 Mike Edelson and Tristan Zukowski– “European Sword Techniques and cutting”
- 4:30- 5:30 Lee Jones- "The Serpent in the Sword: Pattern-Welding in Early European Iron Swords and Thoughts on its Origins" - *Lecture*
- 5:30-6:30 Dinner
- 6:30-7:20 Ric Furrer and David Barnhill “Bronze Blade Casting” - *Demo*
- 7:30-8:25 Tim Zowada “Modern Heat Treatment of Longer Blades” – *Demo/Lecture*
- 8:30-9:25 Phillip Baldwin- Heat Treating Long-Blades with Minimal Equipment – *Demo*
- 9:25-9:45 A Memorial Tribute to Those We Have Lost
- 9:15-12:00 Open Forge with Nick Rossi

Sunday, September 19

- 8:30-9:30 Breakfast
- 9:00-9:30 **Remove personal gear from lodging areas**
- 9:30-10:30 Dr. William R. Short “Men of Terror: A Comprehensive Analysis Of Viking Combat” -
- 10:30-11:30 Kevin Cashen- “Bringing It All Together- Accurately Replicating Historic Swords”
- 11:30-12:30 Sword/Knife Display and Show
- 12:30-1:30 Lunch
- 1:30- 2:00 Pack-up pavilion forges. **Please volunteer to help!**