BERRIEN SPRINGS PARTNERSHIP SYLLABUS AND INSTRUCTOR QUALIFICATIONS

* CLASS TITLE Carpentry / Home building skills / Tool use with Victor Fuentes
* AGES 11-18
* CLASS TIME 930-1130 Begin Tuesday Jan 17, an 8 week class totaling 16 HRS
* MINIMUM 5, max 9 students
* LOCATION ADDRESS 46588 CR703 COLOMA MICHIGAN 49038
* CONTACT INFORMATION Victor Fuentes 310-597-1354 EMAIL- Vicseemailyahoo.com

CLASS DESCRIPTION

LIKE TO BUILD THINGS?? Lets build! This is a class that first introduces general TOOL and Construction SAFETY, with saws, drills, and many hand tools used in home building/construction and shops. We then will proceed to the building skills used to construct a small take home project to get students familiar working with simple skills. Then we will move onto a TINY HOME/SHED project the class will work on together for the remaining class hours. There will be TRICKS OF THE TRADES each class as well. This will introduce students to actual home building / Remodeling skills on a small scale. Open to any skill level. Victor has been involved in all aspects of the building trades for 33 YRS.

SAFETY and CLASS EXPECTATIONS will be discussed first day of class. ALL materials will be provided.

BEHAVIOR Active engagement of ALL students during class with respect of others.

STUDENT ASSESSMENT

Student will be assessed a 4 wk and final review quiz to ascertain PASS or FAIL grade based on the materials covered prior to the quiz.

ALL CLASSES ABIDE BY THE FOLLOWING:

Student agrees to attend at least 80% of class sessions/lessons offered. Attendance

is kept online and tracked by Partnership staff. Failure to meet 80% or be on track

to meet 80% may result in program discontinuation.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES: (online, books, video, etc.):

Teacher will provide miscellaneous materials from time to time.

MAIN INSTRUCTOR QUALIFICATIONS

Victor Fuentes has over 33 yrs experience in commercial and residential construction both new and remodleling. Furniture and cabinet making, drafting blueprints. Since finishing his apprenticeship in Chicago 1993, Victor has won 3 building awards .

COURSE OBJECTIVE

To introduce general safety awareness, tool usage, as well as some common skills used within the construction trades while building a small scale project. Victor hopes to pass on the passion and creativity that’s fueled his construction history which students can use simply as a hobby or turn it into a full blown career direction.