

S.A.L.T. MISSION STATEMENT

S.A.L.T.'s primary goal is to understand, practice and share all life skills and arts of the ancient world. This is accomplished by regular Skills Meetings and informing the public through various Events.

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JOIN US AT THE S.A.L.T. SKILLS MEETING - EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 2024

10 am - 2 pm

at the SEDAV VAAKI MUSEUM

4619 E. Washington Street, Phoenix, AZ 85034 (602) 495-0901

S.A.L.T. FLINT KNAPPERS / DRUMMING CIRCLE 9am

S.A.L.T. QUARTERLY BOARD MEETING FOLLOWS SKILLS CLASS

S.A.L.T. SKILL #25 GAMES

CORN COB DARTS & DICE GAMES

with Ron & Donna Moses and Laura Robins

These classes both involve making a game item and then using it in the associated game.

Corn Cob Darts and Hoop Game: Make a corn cob dart and, if you wish, a corn husk hoop target. Compete with other students with your finished dart using an indoor hoop target range. Corn Cob Darts and Hoops is a variation of Hoop and Stick games. These games were (and still are) played by young and old for fun and also to teach and practice hunting skills. Two-Sided Dice Game: Make a set of two-sided seashell dice and scoring sticks. When completed, challenge another student or a team to a game. Two-sided dice games have been used since ancient times for a variety of purposes in addition to being fun to play. Think about our modern use of flipping a coin to see who goes first or who pays? In some cultures, "luck" is considered to be a powerful force and winning may determine the outcome of disputes large and small.



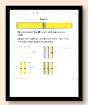
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Laura will bring the materials to make and play Alberts's Dice Games, too

(Please bring a dish to share for the potluck Brunch!)

(CUTTING TOOL, CORDAGE AND FRICTION FIRE instruction always available at every meeting!)

SKILL #1 CUTTING TOOL: Level I Make a flake and discoidal blade.



SKILL #2 CORDAGE: Level I Make a uniform 3-foot length of cordage.



SKILL #3 FRICTION FIRE: Level IDemonstrate one method of primitive fire starting







(S.A.L.T. Members remember to call Tamara 602-920-8228 to add family members to the S.A.L.T. LIST for free admission to PGM)