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HYSB FYI Spoon Carving Workshop Oct. 21

Falls Village—The Housatonic Youth Service Bureau invites Northwest Corner residents to attend its fall series of free F.Y.I. (*For Your Information*) Workshops with Master Teaching Artist Joseph Jude Brien.

The next workshop will be Spoon Carving, to be held on October 21, 2006, from 1 to 4 p.m. at The Grove in Lakeville. Child-parent (or grandparent or close adult relative) pairs will make spoons from blanks of basswood provided by Mr. Brien. He'll show them basic whittling skills and primitive techniques (such as using campfire coals to hollow out a scoop) to make these unique and functional wooden utensils.

HYSB's highly regarded F.Y.I. series provides fun, interactive learning experiences for children and their parents to do together. Brien's woodworking and orienteering workshops for girls and boys, ages 10 & up, teach historical life skills. Admission and materials for all HYSB FYI series workshops are free, but space is limited and registration is required by calling 860-824-4720.