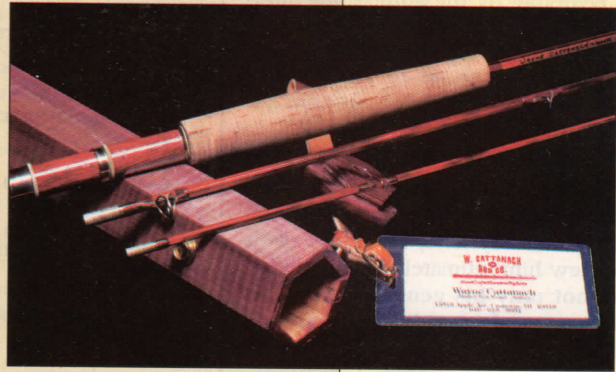



BAMBOO RODMAKING SCHOOL

Six-day course in Arkansas

WHAT MAY BE THE FIRST formal school on bamboo rodmaking will be conducted by veteran rodmaker Wayne Cattanch at the White River Artisans School from October 3 to 8 at Cotter, Arkansas, on the banks of the White River below Bull Shoals. Cattanch is the author of *Handcrafting*

Bamboo Fly Rods (\$40), available from The Angler's Art, Box 148F, Plainfield, PA 17081. The school is designed for novice or experienced rodmakers who want to learn the craft of bamboo rodmaking, from choosing cane, to cutting it into strips, binding, and heating, to planing and gluing. The six-day course costs \$600. For more information, contact the White River Artisans School, 202 South Avenue, P.O. Box 308, Cotter, AK 72626, (501) 435-2600. Bamboo Rodmakers from the



East will meet August 12 and 13 at Boiling Springs Outfitters in Boiling Springs, Pennsylvania (717) 258-6752. For information on the meeting, write *The Planing Form*, a six-issue newsletter (\$20), at P.O. Box 365, Hastings, MI 49058, or call Ron Barch, (616) 945-2329. 

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