

RAMMED EARTH CONSTRUCTION TRAINING

...come along to a
dirty weekend!

With Rowland Keable & RESET

A hands-on course to introduce the principles and practicalities of rammed earth construction. Over the weekend, participants will build a permanent, sustainable structure on a farm in the heart of the Wiltshire countryside, under the guidance of leading expert Rowland Keable.

27th-30th May 2011

Ansty, Wiltshire



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Why rammed-earth?

80% of the world's population live in earth buildings. As we face the challenges of a transition to a zero carbon society, Rowland Keable inspires people with this cement-free and accessible low carbon building technology. Referencing his work at the Eden project, the WISE Centre and Hill Hilt Wood, Rowland will teach participants how to set up rammed wall, door and window openings on a weekend workshop in the beautiful Wiltshire countryside.

About Rowland Keable

Rowland Keable of RamCast CIC has been building with rammed earth since 1985 and is an international expert on this truly low carbon local construction. He has co-authored books on the subject, taught in schools of architecture, engineering and surveying and runs regular workshops for wider audiences as well as construction professionals.

For more info please visit: www.rammed-earth.info

Programme

27th Friday: Arrival Midday ++ Setting up

28th Saturday: Rammed Earth Building

29th Sunday: Rammed Earth Building

30th Monday: Lunchtime Departure

Evenings: A screen will be set up to show films.

Participants are also welcome to bring instruments to add to the evening's entertainment!

Food

Lunch and refreshments provided. In the evenings, facilities will be provided for cooking collaborative community meals, with locally sourced and fresh produce available.

Accommodation

The workshop will take place at Coombe Farm, in the village of Ansty, Wiltshire. Basic camping will be provided on-site, with access to toilets and shower facilities, and basic kitchen facilities.

For other accommodation locally including B&B, please visit: www.shaftesburydorset.com

Fees & Registration

£220 full fee

£180 Student & RESET Member

£120 16-18 yr-olds

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Families are welcome!

For more information on the workshop, please contact Clare Smith, at: clare.smith@reset-development.org.uk or follow the link: www.reset-development.org



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