



Thirty (30) day Notice of Intent Requirements for Journeyman Smith Candidates

ABS bladesmiths who plan to be juried for their Journeyman Smith rating at the annual Blade Show in Atlanta, Georgia or the ICCE Show in Kansas City, MO need to contact the American Bladesmith Society through our Chairman at least thirty (30) days prior to the scheduled Judging date to advise us that you will be presenting your knives to the Judging Panel. We need to check the ABS membership records in advance and to verify your ABS join date, school attendance date if applicable, dues payment record, and obtain a copy of your Performance Test Certification Form. We will then prepare and certify a list of eligible candidates for the Judging Panels.

To notify the ABS of your intent to present your knives to a Judging Panel in Atlanta or other official testing event please contact the ABS office at 419-832-0400 or email at absadmin@americanbladesmith.org
