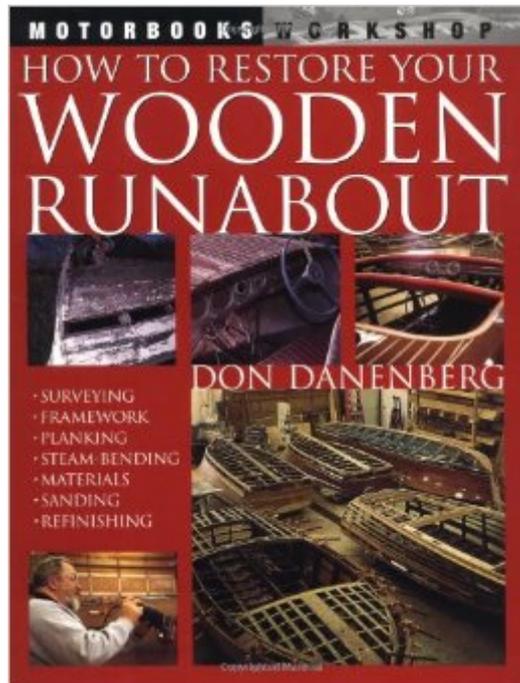


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Synopsis

Breathe life back into your classic wooden runabout with expert tips from restoration guru Don Dannenberg. This valuable guide provides information that'll put wind back in your sails as it discusses woodworking concerns such as surveying, disassembling, repairing, and reconstructing. Lavishly illustrated with 300 photographs that guide you step-by-step through each restoration process. Dannenberg also elaborates on topics ranging from engines and electrics to instrumentation and upholstery.

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This book is well written and is something you can read just for reading sake! Been doing boat repair for a long time and learned a lot from Don. Both Volumes 5 stars.

I ordered this for a gift for a ChrisCraft aficionado :) They were ecstatic and called it the "Bible" of how to restore. The book was in better shape that described and it arrived sooner than I expected. I wrote a note of the seller so I can do business with them repeatedly! Truly this seller has integrity.

I just purchased an Antique Chris Craft and I wish I had bought this book first. The book has great tips about the different types of boats, what to look for when buying a boat, and discussion on Marine Surveyors. By the end of the book you will have a much better idea if you have the skills,

time, tools, and shop to restore a wooden boat. I really appreciated that the author has strong opinions about various boat restoration processes and is not afraid to make them known. He explains in depth why he likes some techniques and doesn't like others. I found the book easy to read although I would recommend the reader spend a little extra time in the section on terms so you can follow directions. Definitely plan on also purchasing Vol 2.

A very good introduction into the subject of the mechanical aspects of old Chris Craft boats. It gives good insight into the design aspect of how the system work and how they can be disassembled/repared and or rebuilt. This book provides enough information to encourage you to dig in and tackle the problem at hand.

This book delivers to the novice at wooden boat restoration some great tips and sage advice as the project is about to be undertaken. General to specific ideas to help with the plan of attack as the project is about to be undertaken. His description of what to do and watch out for are very insightful and he is not afraid to share his knowledge.

An excellent source of info and opinions. Carries on from vol 1 with very little repetition.

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