

Building a River Shannon Gandelow: A Basic Step-by-Step Guide

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Corrections (Updated March 2017 - page 19 and 34 additions)

The author apologises but a few errors slipped through the proof reading net. *Please make the corrections below in the appropriate places before using the Guide.* Thank you:

- Page 14, the 6th line of the 'Other Supporting Structures' paragraph should read "Cross pieces are fixed every two feet (60cm)", *not 80cm*.

- Page 17, the 2nd line of the 'Centre-nail the saddles' paragraph should read "... into the holes in each of the saddles with 2½" x 1/8-inch (63mm x 3mm) long galvanised nails.", *not 2" x 1/8-inch (50mm x 2mm)*.

- Page 19, Table 7. The angles shown in the book are measured from the vertical edge. As that is going to be planed away (!) it is easier to set your bevel gauge to measure from the top of the floor to the face of the bevel as you plane it off. So use these 'inverse' angles instead.

Note that the stem and stern measurements in inches (and Metric) have been adjusted slightly:

Stn No:	Stem (front)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Stern (rear)
Bevel (inches)	3/16	5/16	7+/16	5/8	11/16	3/4	11/16	9/16	7/16	3/8	3/16
Angle (degrees)	78	73	65	58	57	55	57	60	66	70	78
Bevel (Metric)	5 mm	8 mm	12 mm	16 mm	17 mm	19 mm	17 mm	14 mm	11 mm	9.5 mm	5 mm

- Page 24, the 2nd line of the paragraph below Figure 24, should say "Note that the bottom of the inner part of the stem and stern piece is cut 1¼" (32mm) shorter ...", *not, cut 1" (25mm) shorter*.

- Page 34, Task 3-7, add at the end of the paragraph "Lastly, remove the temporary screws holding the garboard to the stem and stern and 'blind nail' with 2" x 1/8-inch (50 x 3mm) long galvanised wire nails."

- Page 49, last paragraph, third line after " ... past the centreline of the saddle.", add "Draw a pencil line onto the planks along the back of the mould both sides and then remove the mould (frame)."

- Page 50, the 4th line of the 'Final shaping of the knees' paragraph should say "- drawing it at 80 degrees to the slope of the sheer plank ...", *not, drawing it at right angles*.

- Page 58, in the right-hand sketch of Figure 60, where it says 3", this refers to the width of the rear locker support, *not its distance up from the top of the butterfly planks*.

The photograph on the frontispiece (of three people rowing a gandelow in Limerick) is credited incorrectly to Gary MacMahon. It should be credited to Sean Curtin, Irish photographer.