

## **ROCKLER'S NEW POCKET PUSH STICK COMBINES SAFETY AND CONVENIENCE**

### **Pocket-Sized Push Stick Keeps Safety Within Reach**

MEDINA, MN (January 8, 2013) - Rockler Woodworking and Hardware has just introduced the Bench Dog Pocket Push Stick, a small push stick designed to fit in shop apron or pants pockets. The compact size of the push stick enables quick and convenient access, making it easier for the user to work safely during any project. The Bench Dog Pocket Push Stick is designed to handle jointing, sawing, routing, and additional applications where a small push stick is sufficient.

"The Bench Dog Pocket Push Stick is a combination of safety and convenience," said Rockler's Vice President of Product Development, Steve Krohmer. "The fact that it fits in a pocket makes it a valuable safety asset that is always at hand. Larger push sticks are often left in the toolbox or vehicle on a job site, and people sometimes decide to perform dangerous cutting operations by hand instead of taking the time to go find their push stick. With the Bench Dog Pocket Push Stick, it's always within reach, and that provides the opportunity to work safely every time."

The Bench Dog Pocket Push Stick is 9<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" long and made of durable polymer material which allows a little bit of give when it experiences stress in a pocket or a tool bag to keep the tool from breaking. The over-molded rubber handle is comfortable and easy to grip, adding to its function as a safety tool. The end of the body is notched like most push sticks to accommodate the 90° corners of wood stock and push it along power tools for precise cuts, keeping the user's hands out of danger.

The Bench Dog Pocket Push Stick (48305) retails for \$5.99 and can be purchased at Rockler Woodworking and Hardware stores nationwide, Rockler independent resellers, Rockler.com, or from the Rockler catalog. For store locations or a free catalog, please visit [www.rockler.com](http://www.rockler.com) or call 1-877-ROCKLER.

Note: Hi-resolution images and text to go along with this news release are available for download at [www.rockler.com/news](http://www.rockler.com/news).

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