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#### Case CA52826

# **Instruction Manual**

Case XX 52826 Brilliant Green Smooth Bone Handle 2 Blade Canoe Folding Knife

#### **INTRODUCTION**

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the safe and effective use, maintenance, and care of your Case XX 52826 Brilliant Green Smooth Bone Handle 2 Blade Canoe folding knife. Crafted with precision and designed for durability, this knife is suitable for various outdoor activities including hunting, camping, and general utility tasks. Please read this manual thoroughly before using your knife to ensure proper handling and longevity.



Figure 1: The Case XX 52826 Canoe knife with both blades extended, highlighting its brilliant green smooth bone handle and polished stainless steel blades.

## SETUP AND INITIAL INSPECTION

Upon receiving your Case XX Canoe knife, perform the following steps:

- 1. Unboxing: Carefully remove the knife from its packaging. Retain packaging for future storage or transport if desired.
- 2. **Visual Inspection:** Examine the knife for any signs of damage or manufacturing defects. Check that the blades open and close smoothly and that the handle is securely attached.
- 3. **Familiarization:** Handle the knife to become accustomed to its weight, balance, and feel. Identify the main blade and the smaller pen blade.
- 4. **Cleaning:** Before first use, wipe down the blades and handle with a clean, dry cloth to remove any residual manufacturing oils or dust.

### **OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

The Case XX Canoe knife features two folding blades designed for various cutting tasks. Always exercise caution when handling any sharp instrument.

### **Opening the Blades:**

- Locate the nail nick on the side of the desired blade (main blade or pen blade).
- Using your thumbnail, gently pull the blade outwards from the handle until it fully extends and locks into place. The slipjoint mechanism holds the blade open through spring tension.

## **Closing the Blades:**

- · Hold the knife firmly.
- Carefully push the back of the blade towards the handle, overcoming the spring tension. Ensure your fingers are clear of the blade's path as it folds into the handle.
- Confirm the blade is fully seated within the handle before storing.

### **Safety Precautions:**

- · Always cut away from your body.
- Keep blades sharp; dull blades are more dangerous as they require more force and can slip.
- Never use the knife as a pry bar, screwdriver, or hammer.
- Store the knife in a closed position when not in use.
- · Keep out of reach of children.



Figure 2: The Case XX 52826 Canoe knife in its closed position, illustrating its compact form factor and overall length of 3.625 inches (92.08 mm).

#### **MAINTENANCE**

Proper maintenance ensures the longevity and performance of your Case XX knife.

## **Cleaning:**

- After Each Use: Wipe the blades and handle with a clean, damp cloth to remove dirt, debris, or moisture. Dry thoroughly immediately.
- **Deep Cleaning:** For more thorough cleaning, use mild soap and water. *Hand wash only.* Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely.
- Bone Handle Care: The smooth bone handle can be wiped clean. Avoid prolonged exposure to water or extreme temperatures, which can cause the bone to crack or discolor.

#### **Lubrication:**

- Apply a small drop of light machine oil or mineral oil to the pivot points of the blades periodically, especially after cleaning or if the action feels stiff.
- Open and close the blades several times to distribute the oil, then wipe off any excess.

#### **Sharpening:**

- Maintain a sharp edge using a quality sharpening stone or system.
- Follow the manufacturer's instructions for your sharpening tool to achieve the correct blade angle.

#### Storage:

- Store the knife in a dry environment to prevent rust.
- Consider using a knife sheath or pouch for protection during storage and transport.

## **TROUBLESHOOTING**

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Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Blade feels stiff or difficult to open/close.	Accumulation of dirt/debris in the pivot, lack of lubrication.	Clean the pivot area thoroughly and apply a small amount of lubricant.
Blade has rust spots.	Exposure to moisture, improper drying after use/cleaning.	For light rust, use a fine abrasive pad or rust remover designed for stainless steel. Ensure thorough drying after each use. Store in a dry environment.
Blade does not hold an edge well.	Needs sharpening, improper sharpening technique.	Sharpen the blade using a quality sharpening system. Ensure correct angle is maintained.
Handle material appears dry or dull.	Lack of conditioning, exposure to dry conditions.	Apply a small amount of mineral oil or specialized bone handle conditioner with a soft cloth. Buff gently.

## **S**PECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail	
Brand	Case	
Model Name	Canoe	
Item Model Number	CA52826	
Blade Material	Stainless Steel	
Handle Material	Bone (Brilliant Green Smooth Bone)	
Blade Length	2.63 Inches	
Item Length (Closed)	3.63 Inches	
Item Weight	0.035 ounces	
Special Feature	Foldable	
Recommended Uses	Hunting, Camping, Outdoor Activities	
Product Care Instructions	Hand Wash Only	
UPC	021205528267	

# WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Case knives are known for their quality craftsmanship. For specific warranty information regarding your Case XX 52826 Canoe knife, please refer to the official Case website or contact their customer support directly. General inquiries about product care or usage can also be directed to their support channels.

Manufacturer Website: caseknives.com

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