



## How to Care for Your Chambo Woodworks Cutting/Cheese Board or Charcuterie Board

**\*\*For other wood products please refer to the appropriate care guide specific to those products**

In order to keep your wood product looking great there are simple steps to be taken. If properly maintained your board should last a lifetime.

### What **NOT** to do

- Do not soak your board in water.
- Do not place your board in the dishwasher.
- Do not expose your board to excessive heat for an extended period of time.
- Do not place a hot frying pan or pot directly on your board.
- Do not use harsh cleaners or bleach on your board (white vinegar can be used for sanitizing).

Your board should be cleaned soon after use for ease of cleaning.

### Cleaning

- Remove residue with a cloth, paper towel or sponge.
- Wash board under running water with mild dish detergent.
- Sponges, soft bristle brushes or non-metallic scouring pads may be used for cleaning.
- For stubborn residue or for a more thorough cleaning sprinkle with salt (a natural abrasive) and rub in with lemon juice or vinegar.
- Dry your clean board and allow to dry.

Your board comes oiled, waxed and ready for use. Your board will require regular conditioning to keep the wood from drying out and keep it looking great. A well conditioned board will repel water and clean easily.

## Conditioning / Maintenance

There are many products out there for board cleaning and maintenance. My preferred products are combinations of oil and wax which are applied, allowed to penetrate, and then wiped off. A small amount of product should last many years. Alternatively mineral oil may be applied to the board periodically and allowed to penetrate before wiping off any excess. Beeswax can be used to improve water/stain resistance and give the board a beautiful luster.

Do not use cooking oils to condition your board, they can turn rancid over time resulting in an unpleasant odour.

Most importantly, please enjoy your wood product and contact us directly if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank You!

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