The AAS NEEDS YOU!

Calling all members!

The AAS needs volunteers to work on the 2013 Annual Meeting, the publication and financial committees, and to start planning the celebration of the 50-year anniversary of the AAS in 2014.

Needed for the 2013 Annual Meeting, possibly being held in Bisbee in November, are: hike leaders, a silent auction leader and organizer, a raffle seller and organizer, and a book sales leader and organizer. Even if you can only give a few hours, we’ll take you!

Next year the AAS will be 50 years old. Do we still have any members from 1964? Do you remember how AAS began? Would you like to advise, suggest, or volunteer to assist in a really great 50-year celebration?

Contact Paddi Mozilo, 480-595-9255 or docqb@yahoo.com if you can and will help with any of the above.

-- Paddi Mozilo

At Large Membership Rate Change

Effective April 20, 2013, the State Planning Committee voted to increase the at-large membership to $35 to fall in line with chapter fees.

-- Paddi Mozilo.

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Next deadline is 5 pm on Sunday, May 19th

Calling all Chapter Presidents:

The State Planning Committee voted to pay a $50 stipend to each Chapter President who attends the Presidents’ Meeting to be held on Friday evening before the 2013 Annual Meeting. We will probably meet in Bisbee (watch for announcements in the Petroglyph in the weeks to come). Beginning in 2014, name tags and business cards will be issued for each new Chapter President.

-- Paddi Mozilo
AAS Professional Archaeologist Award
Nominations Due by May 15

Chapters are urged to send in a nomination for their favorite archaeologist: one who has served their chapter and the Society as a whole over the years. Nominations must be received by May 15th. Be sure to nominate your favorite archaeologist!

--Sylvia Lesko, Chair, Professional Archaeologist Award Committee

Volunteer Opportunity: Agua Fria National Monument
6th Annual Wet Dry Mapping on the Upper Agua Fria River
Saturday, June 22, 2013.

The Upper Agua Fria Watershed Partnership and the Friends of the Agua Fria National Monument in cooperation with the Bureau of Land Management are seeking Team Members to volunteer for the 6th Annual Wet Dry Mapping on the Upper Agua Fria River. Mapping will take place on Saturday, June 22, 2013.

Team Members will receive training to promote a safe, FUN and productive field experience collecting data on the presence of water in the Agua Fria River and its tributaries. On Wet-Dry Day, your team will record where the river is wet or dry on individual segments of the river. Volunteers for the team should be comfortable hiking in desert and rugged terrain.

If you would like to volunteer as a Team Member for the 6th Annual Wet/Dry Mapping, please contact Steven Brown at: steven@aguafriafriends.org or call: (928-899-6184).
To join the Friends or to make a DONATION visit our web site at: www.aguafriafriends.org.

Partners in Wet/Dry Mapping

If you have any questions or need further information:
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CHAPTER NEWS

Agave House Chapter

The Agave House Chapter celebrated Archaeology Month with many of its members traveling to the Painted Desert portion of the Petrified Forest and hiking into the petroglyphs off Lacey Point. A marvelous trip was had by all.

March Meeting: On March 27, our speakers were Sky and Dennis Roshay. Sky is a writer and Dennis is a filmmaker. They showed three short, fabulous films to the members. All of the films dealt with petroglyphs. The first was of Chevelon Canyon, including 'The Big Panel' which showed superimposed markings that are thousands of years old. They included the bubble or balloon heads with the antenna that marked them as shamans, as well as elk, sheep and rams. Then they visited the 'Jabberwocky Panel' which included snakes, birds and dragonflies among the many glyphs. Across from that panel was a small equinox marker. Finally they concluded the Chevelon Canyon tour with the 'Slim Jim' panel, which shows dancers, including one with a thick neck, unlike the rest who had just a single line forming the neck. The narratives that Sky created were magical and Dennis's video was fantastic.

From Chevelon Canyon we traveled, by film, to the Dead Mountains and Picture Canyon, where we were shown geometric and abstract archaic glyphs. Crosses in one area were shown that are reminiscent of the Hopi Venus symbols. The final trip was to Nevada on the southern edge of the Colorado Plateau where there were beautiful pictographs on the underside of an overhang of coyotes, mountain lions, snakes, shamans and a maiden, identified by her hairstyle. On the other side of the canyon were petroglyphs of maidens, shamans, geometric circles and squares, and two rabbits. The entire journey was via video camera and was well worth it. The narration was superb as were the pictures and the accompanying music.

April Meeting: The next meeting will be April 24th in the Black Mesa Ranger Station conference room at 6:30 pm. Members who wish to will meet at 5 pm for dinner at the Red Onion. The speaker will be Miles Gilbert, who will be speaking about archaeological discoveries of the Bible.

--Sammy Weitz

Agua Fria Chapter

April Meeting. Our regularly scheduled speaker, Doss Powell, was unable to make it to our April 8th meeting, so our chapter advisor Maurice Shoger filled in. He gave a delightful talk about the Founding of the Agua Fria Chapter and some of the “old timers” who have worked in the area. Maurice Shoger, chapter advisor and educator, spoke about the sites along the Agua Fria and discussed some of the history of the Agua Fria chapter:
• The first site studied by the Phoenix Chapter was the Rich site, known today as Calderwood.
• There have been six sites or projects worked on by various chapters in the Agua Fria River Valley.
• Don Dove, Ruben Nelson and Wilma Allen are AAS members who have published their research.

Some of the unusual artifacts found in the Agua Fria River Valley are Hohokam human effigy jars. He showed slides and brought many artifacts collected from the Agua Fria digs. He emphasized that the people in the Agua Fria area were not “country cousins” of the Salt River Valley Hohokam, but were a vibrant people with trade and out-of-region contacts of their own.

May meeting: In May our final speaker of the season will be David Doyel, Cultural Resource Manager, Luke Air Force Base. His topic is The Grasshopper Pueblo Research Project. The University of Arizona archaeological field school was conducted at the 500-room Grasshopper Pueblo near Cibecue on the White Mountain Apache Indian Reservation. This experience was often the jumping-off point for participants into further archaeological careers. The speaker, David E. Doyel, Ph.D., is the archaeologist for the Barry M. Goldwater Range Luke Air Force Base. He is also a Registered Professional Archaeologist and the author of numerous articles in the archaeology field. Before the meeting at 5 pm, there will be a "Meet the Speaker" dinner at the Applebee's at 5880 W. Peoria.
Monthly Raffle and Book Sale: Phyllis Smith is collecting donations of items for our monthly raffle and books for our big May Book Blowout Sale! May is also the month we will draw tickets for the binoculars, so be sure to buy a ticket or three. We would love to have books on southwest archaeology and history however; this is a great time to spring clean your bookshelves - mysteries, romance, cookbooks, kids’ books, Shakespeare and Jacqueline Susann (the classics). We would love to have them all.

Professional Archaeologist Award: The Aqua Fria chapter needs to submit a nomination for the Professional Archaeologist Award. Contact Paulette Gehlker (paulette@magicmeow.biz) for more details or to nominate someone. Nominations must be received by May 15.

Upcoming hikes and events:
May 25th - Sharlot Hall Museum tour with lunch at Murphy's in Prescott. Contact Paulette Gehlker - paulette@magicmeow.biz to sign-up
June 15th - A guided tour into the new expansion area of Petrified Forest National Monument. It will be a series of drives and hikes to sites. The roads are bad and will require high clearance, 4 wheel drive. You must be able to hike. It might be hot. I will start with 10 people and add more depending on the weather. Email jigolio@aol.com.
Summer We will be going on various hikes throughout the summer in the Flagstaff area, courtesy of Maurice Shoger.
October Tour of the new Mesa Grande Platform led by Dutch Duering.
Fall Recommencement of lab work on Calderwood.

Open chapter positions: The chapter has a few positions that need to be filled now or by next season: speaker chair and hike leader. If you are interested in either of the positions, contact Paulette Gehlker or any of the board members (info found online at http://www.azarchsoc.org/AguaFria#Meetings). We have a terrific chapter and all of us would like to see it continue to grow and prosper.

Monthly meetings: We meet on the second Monday of each month from September through May; everyone is welcome. Social time starts at 6:15 p.m. at West Valley Unitarian Universalist Church with coffee and dessert. The meeting begins at 7 pm in the sanctuary at West Valley Unitarian Universalist Church, 5904 West Cholla Street, Glendale. No monthly meetings are held during the June and July.

Book review is a new feature of our chapter. Have a special SW related book, fiction or non-fiction, you would like to share with the chapter? Contact Paulette Gehlker, Chapter President, or bring to the May meeting.

--Paulette Gehlker

Desert Foothills Chapter

April Meeting: Dr. Doss to the rescue! After our April speaker from the Humanities Council had to cancel, we were delighted that our own Dr. Doss Powell was able to step in. Those fortunate to attend the April 10th meeting were treated to a lively discussion and photos of Dr. Doss's (and some DFC members) trip to Peru last December. His talk focused on the rise of the Inca civilization in the Andes Mountains, AD 1400-1530, and included photos of their famous ruin, Machu Picchu. Like our desert Hohokam, the Incans were hydrologists, specializing in irrigation and terraced farming, constructing many miles of waterways that are still in use today. Dr. Doss also discussed the hierarchy of Incan society which used forced physical labor from its members to benefit the state, and the power of its army to add new groups of people to the labor pool. This system was well orchestrated and is one of the reasons that the Incan Empire was so successful for so long. After the presentation, the audience had many questions and Dr. Doss was patient and thorough in answering them all. We are so appreciative of his efforts and look forward to his next talk!

Geology Workshop: Last year's geology workshop with Wayne Ranney was such a success that Mary Kearney is offering another for this year, on Tuesday, July 2, from 9 am to 4 pm. This workshop will be in a different area of Flagstaff, this time
focusing on the western slopes of the San Francisco Peaks and Lockett Meadow. It will involve moderate hiking and lots of informal learning. The Flagstaff meeting place is yet to be determined. This workshop is only open to AAS members and reservations are limited to 20 adults. The cost of the workshop is $35 and is non-refundable. All fees must be paid by June 1st. This class is filling up quickly! Reserve your place in this workshop by contacting Mary at maryk92@aol.com.

**Survey and Field Work Class:** Archaeological survey is a basic archaeologist's tool. This September, learn how to recognize, evaluate, and use a compass and mapping skills to assess and document a possible prehistoric site. These survey skills will be taught with both classroom and fieldwork, and will be conducted by Dr. Doss Powell and J. Scott Wood. Two evening lecture classes are scheduled for Thursday, Sept. 19 and Thursday, Sept. 26, from 6 to 9 pm at Paradise Valley Community College, Room Q404. Three fieldwork sessions will be held from 7 am to noon on Friday, Sept. 17, Saturday, Sept. 28, and Sunday, Sept. 29 in the Seven Springs area. Class participants must be AAS members; priority will be given to DFC members. The cost for this class is $75 per person. Look for the Survey Class signup sheet at the May chapter meeting, or email maryk92@aol.com to reserve your space!

**Paleo-Human Origin Class, Part 2:** This class is the second part of the spring session on Paleo-Human Origin, but this class is open to all AAS members, regardless of whether you took the first class. Classes will start on Tuesday, Oct. 15 and run on consecutive Tuesdays until Nov. 12. Classes will be held at PVCC and will be taught by Dr. Doss Powell. This second session will focus on human development from 50,000 BC to 500 AD. This is a multidisciplinary approach to paleoanthropology using alternative approaches to explain how new discoveries of hominids have impacted the scientific community. The price for these five sessions is $100. This class is currently full, but October is still a long ways off. Please email maryk92@aol.com to be placed on the waiting list.

By the time you read this issue of the Petroglyph, the DFC’s memorial plaque commemorating Grace Schoonover will have been installed near Schoonover Rock in the Spur Cross Ranch Conservation area. Because Spur Cross officials asked that there be no media or large groups of people attending, a private dedication ceremony will be held by family members, members of the DFC board and park personnel. The plan is to videotape this event and present it to our members at the May 8th meeting. The DFC purchased this plaque as a concrete and visible way to remember someone who meant so much to our chapter. Grace was a former AAS and DFC President, recorded most (if not all) of the area's rock art, conducted dozens of archaeology and rock art classes for the AAS, and was an inspiration to so many. We also plan to honor Grace by developing a new DFC logo that will feature Schoonover Rock. We hope to unveil this at the May 8th meeting.

**May Meeting:** Don't forget that May 8th is our last meeting before everyone leaves for the hot summer months. Join us for our traditional dessert potluck before the main speaker event. Bake your favorite dessert, bring a friend and come early to socialize and enjoy a kaleidoscope of goodies, although members will have to go some to beat hospitality chair Susanne and her home baked cookies! Remember that at this potluck, calories don't count! Join us at 7 pm at our usual meeting place at the Good Shepherd of the Hills Church, 6502 E. Cave Creek Road, Cave Creek, AZ.

Our May 8th speaker is Steve Hayden, the son of famous archaeologist Julian Hayden, who excavated Keet Seel in 1934. When Julian died nearly 15 years ago, Steve returned to the family adobe home in Tucson, where he discovered his dad's diary, handwritten in pencil, recounting the daily work and adventures of rebuilding and excavating Keet Seel. The title of Steve's talk is The 1934 Civil Works Administration's Excavation and Stabilization of Keet Seel - Julian Hayden's Diary. In Julian's private diary, there are many stories and detailed accounts of camp life, and we will find out the reason why there was never an official report of this excavation. Steve's talk will be accompanied by old and new photos of the site and some of the original fiddle music by Kenner Kartchner, who played around the campfire during the excavation. Steve himself was a member of MNA's Glen Canyon Salvage Archaeology project summer crew from 1961 to 1965. He has also excavated at Grasshopper and in Sonora, Mexico. Now retired from a career in community organizing in cooperative business development in the northwest U.S., Steve has been a volunteer ranger at Keet Seel since 2007. We are optimistic that our chapter can work out a private trip with Steve next spring to this beautiful site in Tsegi Canyon. Don't miss this exciting conclusion to our first half events!

The DFC would like to give a shout out to our speaker chair, Kathryn Frey, for her hard work and dedication in booking our many and varied speakers! This is a job that requires a lot of preparation and advance planning and we are grateful to her for an awesome job! Kudos also to our President, Glenda Simmons, who seems to work endlessly on DFC projects. We hope you can enjoy your summer! We have had a great year so far!
September Meeting: Our Sept. 11th welcome-back speaker will be DFC member and archaeologist Larry Ross. Larry worked for 11 years as the Cultural Resource Specialist/Archaeologist for the Squaxin Island Tribe, in Kamalche, WA. For seven years, he was the principal investigator for the Mud Bay wet site on the Puget Sound. His talk will center on his work with this wet site and his findings and interpretations. We look forward to learning more about archaeology in the Pacific Northwest.

There will be a June Issue of the Petroglyph, but don't forget that our AAS website has up to date information about our chapter and all our events. Check www.azarchsoc.org for all the latest happenings!

--Holly Bode

Homolovi Chapter

March Meeting: Our March presenters were Dennis and Sky Roshay sharing their wonderful Pictures and Video of "Petroglyphs in Northern Arizona". Like last year, their videotaping and narrating abilities were exceptional. We were able to view various sites, but Dennis and Sky are careful not to divulge locations. We know what can happen to a site when it is not protected from vandals. Within our vicinity we have found sandstone chiseled out or stone cut with gas powered cutters on petroglyph panels. If small enough pieces, some are "carried off". What these vandals do not realize, is that these Images have been in their locations for hundreds and in some cases thousands of years. And that they are a piece of "church" to the current Hopi and Zuni in our area. That is like stealing a chalice or saint figures out of a Catholic church, or a menorah out of a Jewish temple, or any other item from a "Religious Place." And secondly these are a form of history.

Dennis and Sky, again thank you so much for sharing, everyone enjoyed the program.

Upcoming Speakers: Our upcoming speakers are as follows, and other chapters or individuals are always invited to attend:

April 18 Jo Ann Weldon - pottery specialist, giving us a presentation on Clay Types and Pottery Construction.
May 16 Darlene L. Brinkerhoff - Preservation and Petroglyphs.
June 20 Chuck or Rich - Update on Recent Investigations.
July 18 Sandra Combs - Archaeology of Spanish-Pueblo Contact.
Aug 15 Open for a speaker.
Sept 19 Ken Zoll - Study of V-Bar-V Calendar, Sacred Shadows of Time.
Oct 17 Mike Lawson - History and Anthropology, Sand Creek Massacre.
Nov 21 Miles Gilbert - Biblical Archaeology.

--Karen Berggren

Little Colorado River Chapter

Our trip to the Grand Canyon turned out to be a very memorable experience It was more of a geology excursion and we were fortunate enough to have two of our team, Alex and T.J., that were quite proficient in geology and could give some explanation of the rock formations during our travel to one of the south points at the bottom of the canyon. The road was very passable by any vehicle and several stops along the way revealed plant life and rock formations that were truly amazing. After getting our permit in Peach Springs, we followed Diamond Creek to the bottom of the canyon where the creek flows into the Colorado River. We enjoyed the sightings of several desert sheep, deer, wild burros and a bald eagle. We were truly in the midst of true nature. Our two night stay at the Grand Canyon Caverns on Route 66 was very comfortable. Before we returned home we visited the actual caverns and enjoyed the history of this wonder of nature. You definitely should put this excursion on your bucket list.
April Meeting: For our April meeting we were very fortunate to have Micah Loma’omvaya, Hopi tribal member and consulting anthropologist. His topic was *Tapamveni nit Tutuveni: Hopi Interpretations of Ancient Petroglyph and Pottery symbols of the Southwest*. To quote from the AZ Humanities description of his talk: "An abundance of ancient petroglyphs (rock art) have been left as a fascinating record of ancient people of the Southwest. These irreplaceable cultural resources are a source of knowledge and communication about ancient ways of life and how ancient people adapted to their natural environments, established cultural identity and communicated their cultural practices and knowledge for generations to follow. The Hopi people are part of the long, enduring cultural continuum that can provide insight into advanced interpretations and meanings of these ancient cultural resources. Participants will share in a journey into the beliefs, practices and life ways of the ancient people by viewing many famous petroglyph sites of Arizona and beyond." This was truly a fascinating program, it left you wanting more information so I anticipate an encore presentation by Micah in the future, and he said he has lots more to share.

May Field Trip: We will be heading to a petroglyph site in Apache Creek, NM, in May; this site is on private property near Tularosa Creek. Pottery found at this location determined that the Mimbres tribe, part of the Mogollon Native Americans, inhabited this area. A study reported that the tribe left there 600 to 700 years ago. Pit houses were found in the area and we will be able to see those depressions in the soil if we look carefully.

May Meeting: Our May 20th meeting will feature Lori Hines, who will share with us information on Indian Cultures.

Regular Monthly Meetings: Our regular meetings are held on the 3rd Monday of each month in the Udall Room of the Springerville Town Hall complex. The business meeting is at 6:30 pm and our speaker/presentation begins at 7 pm. Contact Carol Farnsworth for more information at (928)333-3219 or farnsc570@gmail.com

--Billye Wilda

Phoenix Chapter

May meeting: The speaker for our May 9th meeting will be David Abbott, Associate Professor of Anthropology at Arizona State University. His talk is titled “Why move to Perry Mesa?” The migration to Perry Mesa in the late 1200s and early 1300s has been a topic of much debate. One hypothesis proposes that a single mass migration took place as a strategic deployment by a regional-scale alliance for defense. An alternative idea points to improving climatic conditions for agriculture on the mesa top. Recent archaeological results pertaining to the Perry Mesa migration by researchers at Arizona State University will be discussed.

Dr. Abbott has designed and is conducting a long-term research program focused on the ancient pottery of the Sonoran Desert. He combines pottery studies with geological, petrographic, and chemical analyses to determine, the organization of ceramic production and distribution in southern and central Arizona. This work is dedicated to modeling the exchange and social networks that composed the Hohokam regional system, investigating the impact of large-scale irrigation on sociocultural evolution, and developing the unique contribution that ceramic research can make to the study of prehistoric communities. Also, recently, Abbott has joined with other ASU researchers to investigate the prehistoric settlements atop Perry Mesa in the Agua Fria National Monument.

April Meeting: The speaker for our April 11th meeting did not show up, so we conducted a business meeting and then adjourned.

September Meeting: Our Sept. 12th meeting will feature Scottsdale author Carolina Butler, who will talk about her book, *Oral History of the Yavapai*, a history of the Yavapai in their own words. She will explain how it came
to be and how she became involved in it. She will also bring copies of her book for sale and signature. More details are available at www.oralhistoryoftheyavapai.com.

**Upcoming Activities:** June 14: Visit to Bashas’ Museum, Chandler.

**Monthly Meetings:** The Phoenix Chapter meets at 7 pm on the 2nd Thursday of each month in the Community Room at the Pueblo Grande Museum, 4619 E. Washington St., Phoenix. We take the speaker to dinner at 5:30 pm at the Ruby Tuesday Restaurant on 44th Street and Washington just northwest of the museum. If you are interested in having dinner with the speaker, please call or email Marie (480-827-8070 or mbrit@cox.net) so that she can reserve a large enough table.

The May meeting is our last meeting until September. We hope to see many of you at the Pecos Conference which will be held in Flagstaff from Aug. 8 to the 11th. Have a great summer!

--Ellie Large

**Rim Country Chapter**

**May Meeting:** On Saturday, May 18, our speaker will be Miles Gilbert. He will talk along the lines of *Biblical Apologetics, the Archaeology of Israel*. Archaeology does not ‘prove’ the Bible (nor does it disprove it), but many discoveries are very instructive in understanding the Biblical context and many, many Biblical people have been found in the record via personal possessions such as stamps.

**June Meeting:** In June, we will be enjoying Joe and Janice Day from Hopi Second Mesa. The title of their presentation will be: *Pahaana: Stranger in a Strange Land*. Joe Day grew up in Kansas, worked as a missionary to the Navajos in Utah for a time, and came to Flagstaff to run the city’s Head Start program. He was invited to a Hopi kachina dance, a sacred religious ceremony. He kept coming back on weekends, and that’s how he met Janice. Jonathan, his son, started spending his summers on the Hopi reservation, fascinated by the culture. Jonathan day wrote *Traditional Hopi Kachinas: A New Generation of Carvers*, in which he profiled nearly 20 artists. The Days will bring products from their Tsakurshovi Trading Post.

**Other activities:** Our Chapter has begun work further documenting Payson’s Goat Camp Ruin under the direction of our Professional Archaeology Advisor, Scott Wood. Bob and Del Wright continue to often lead hikes to archaeological sites following our monthly programs.

**Monthly Meetings:** We meet in the Fellowship Hall of The Church of the Holy Nativity, 1414 Easy, Payson at 10 am. The public is encouraged to attend our monthly meetings.

--Evelyn Christian

**San Tan Chapter**

**April Meeting:** Arley Simon was our April 11th speaker. She gave a wonderful and detailed presentation on *Rock Art on Agua Fria National Monument*. She detailed all the many sites she had work on, Pueblos Pato and La Plata to name a couple. It would appear that despite all the hard work so far accomplished there is still much to do!

**May Meeting:** On May 8th, our last meeting before summer, our speaker will be Dr. Michael Barton, from ASU’s School of Human Evolution and Social Change, speaking on *Human Origins*. I have heard Dr. Barton speak before and I highly recommend catching this talk. He has a wide variety of skulls to display and he gives a detailed explanation of them.

The San Tan Chapter meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month except in June, July and August. Meetings start at
7:30 pm in the San Tan Historical Museum, 20425 S. Old Ellsworth Rd., Queen Creek, Az. For more information contact Marie Britton at mbrit@cox.net or 480-390-3491

--Marie Britton

**Verde Valley Chapter**

**May Meeting:** Our May meeting will be held on the 23rd at 7 pm at the Sedona Public Library. Our speaker will be archaeologist John Hohmann, who will discuss *Sinaguan Mortuary Practices.*

**GPS Course:** A GPS course will be led by Al Cornell and Mike Vitek; it is open to all members who are interested in improving their skills and safety while hiking. Group #1 will meet on May 6, and Group #2 on May 10, from 8 am to 1 pm, at the Red Rock Ranger Station. If you are interested, please contact Chuck at cjenkins@npgcable.com, or 928-282-4615.

**May Field Trip:** Dr. Wilcox will lead a field trip from May 10-19. Highlights of the trip will include Mesa Verde National Park, Cliff Palace, Ghost Ranch and the Poshuinque Site, Ojo Caliente, the Center for New Mexico Archaeology, Bandelier, Galisteo Basin, and the Maxwell Museum. On Sunday, for those still willing to put in a few hours of easy hiking, there will be a visit to Petroglyph National Monument, an area containing an astounding display of petroglyphs, which is on the road home.

**Loy Canyon:** Vice-President Scott Newth is leading an effort to place archaeological signs to protect the Loy Canyon rock art panels. Volunteers will be appreciated.

For more information, please contact Chuck Jenkins at cjenkins@npgcable.com, or 928-282-4615.

--Louise Fitzgerald

**Yavapai Chapter**

**April Meeting:** Fil Kewanyama, renowned Hopi Artist, spoke to members about ceremonial sites used on pilgrimages from the Hopi Mesas to the Grand Canyon. As well as delighting the audience with his entertaining and informative presentation, he prepared members for an October tour of some of the sites rarely seen by the public.

**May Meeting:** Our speaker on Thursday, May 16th, will be Rita Peck, owner of the Coyote Ruin Property. Rita will share information about the Ruin in preparation for a trip to the site scheduled for May 18th.

-Julie Rucker

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May 1, 7:30-9 pm, PGMA, Phoenix, Lecture: *Archaeology at the Head of Canal System 2: Past and Present* by archaeologists Kathleen Henderson and Laurene Montero. Recent archaeological work in the trajectory of main canals that fed Canal System 2 identified numerous additional canals, as well as unusual water catchment features and habitation structures at the western edge of Pueblo Grande.

May 7, 5 – 7:30 pm, ASW, Tucson: Archaeology Café: *Connecting the American Southwest and Mesoamerica - A Ritual Economy* by Ben Nelson, Prof., ASU SHESC, who provides a big-picture look at relationships between the two regions in the past. He will also discuss his investigations at the site of La Quemada. At Casa Vicente, 375 S. Stone Avenue, Tucson.

May 8, 3 to 3:45 pm, ASM lobby, Tucson, Coffee with the Curators: *The Death of Josseline: Immigration Stories from the Arizona Borderlands* by journalist Margaret Regan discusses the journeys of migrants through the dangerous deserts of southern Arizona.

May 8 & 22, 2-2:30 pm, PGM, Phoenix, Tour: *Behind the Scenes Tour* with Curator of Collections Holly Young to learn about the artifacts that are not on display in the museum and see how museums care for their collections.

May 9, 12:30 -1:30 pm, Heard, Phoenix, Lecture: *Impacts of Fair Trade in the Chocolate Market* by Lisa Reinhardt, CEO/founder of Wei of Chocolate. For more information, go to http://www.heard.org/currentexhibits/ChocoChiliCochineal.html. In the Encanto Room.

May 18, 9 am – 4 pm, PGM, Phoenix: *International Museum Day*. Free admission, free gallery tours and artifact show-and-tell stations, and all-you-can-make arts and crafts ($5 charge).

May 18, 6-7 pm, Library Presenters, Arivaca, Children’s Presentation: *Arts and Culture of Ancient Southern Arizona Hohokam Indians* by OPAC’s Allen Dart at Pima County Public Library's Caviglia-Arivaca Branch at the Old Arivaca Schoolhouse.

May 18, AAHS, Tucson, Tour: *Tour of Kinishba and Fort Apache on the White Mountain Apache Reservation*. For AAHS members. Limited to 20 people. Contact Chris Lange, clange3@msn.com or 520-792-1303.

May 20, 7:30 pm, AAHS, Tucson, Lecture: *Hohokam Petroglyphs At Sutherland Wash: Flower World And Gender Imagery* by Janine Hernbrode and Peter Boyle, both active board members of Archaeology Southwest.

May 21, 6-7 pm, VVAC, Camp Verde, Quarterly Archaeology Presentation. Location to be announced.

June 1, 9 am – 1 pm, PGM, World Atlatl Day Celebration: *World Atlatl Competition*. The local primitive skills group SALT will put on an atlatl demonstration and accuracy contest.

**Current Museum Exhibits:**

Feb. 8 - May 10, 11 am - 3 pm, ASU Museum of Anthropology, Tempe, Exhibit: *Looking for the Future in the Past: Archaeology's Long-Term View*. This exhibit is designed to realign visitors’ thinking about the archaeological record and how we interpret the past. Case studies are used to investigate the potential for archaeological studies of the past to provide insights into ways of creating a more sustainable world.

Mar 15 – June 9, MNA, Flagstaff, Exhibit: *How Splendid is our Past: A Traveling Exhibit of the Arizona Women’s Heritage Trail*, a statewide legacy project linking women's history with historic sites.

**Upcoming Conferences:**


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