Notes from the Chair

Thanks to all of you who helped with the State Meeting, especially our Wickenburg duo, Glenda Simmons, president of the Desert Foothills Chapter, and Trudy Mertens, our State Treasurer, who put it all together. What a wonderful venue! Rancho de los Caballeros was beautiful and everything was so well done. Linda Dorsey did a great job with the field trips and the three workshops by Donna Ruiz y Costello, Ken Zoll, Fred Kraps and Kevin Smith made for an interesting and busy afternoon. Evelyn Christian, Rim Country Chapter President, handled a fun silent auction with many wonderful items. Everyone stepped up and helped out. What a special group of people.

We had three great speakers: Historian Joe Stevens from Wickenburg entertained us in the morning with his historic tales of the area; after the dinner on Saturday evening, Dr. John Hohmann gave us a very interesting history of Q Ranch and the people involved with creating it; and Mark Hackbarth spoke of his work at the Palo Verde site in Peoria.

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AAS 2012 Professional Archaeologist Award
Presented to Allen Dart

Allen Dart, Director of the Old Pueblo Archaeology Center, Tucson, was presented with the 2012 Professional Archaeologist Award by State Chair, Paddi Mozilo, after the dinner at the AAS Annual State Meeting in Wickenburg on October 13, 2012. During the presentation, Mary Dahl, vice president of the Santa Cruz Chapter, read...

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!!TIME TO RENEW MEMBERSHIPS!!
2012 Memberships expire on Dec. 31, 2012

Reasons to pay early:
• It will be done - you’ll be able to sit back and relax!
• It won’t slip your mind during the upcoming Holiday season!
• You won’t have to worry about missing The Petroglyph!

Chapter members can renew at chapter meetings. Only at large members can renew online or by contacting the state membership chair.

Sylvia Lesko, Membership Chair
Another highlight of the evening (beside my birthday cake) was presenting Allen Dart with the Professional Archaeologist of the Year Award for 2012.

I also want to thank all of you who took time out of your busy lives to attend. We need your participation and it is important to us to have you there.

Election of officers for next year was held, resulting in the following:

Chair: Paddy Mozilo  
1st Vice Chair: Sandy Haddock
Treasurer: Trudy Mertens  
2nd Vice Chair: Fred Kraps
Secretary: None  
Membership: Sylvia Lesko

Paddi Mozilo, State Chair
The Agua Fria Chapter & the Deer Valley Rock Art Center Host Two Upcoming Classes

Mark your calendars for two training opportunities in January and February hosted by the Agua Fria Chapter of the AAS and the Deer Valley Rock Art Center (DVRAC). DVRAC will be handling the registration for both classes. Classes will be held at the Deer Valley Rock Art Center, 3711 W. Deer Valley Road, Phoenix, AZ 85308.

The Archaeological Photography Class will be taught by Pat Gorraiz, BFA in Photography, ASU and AAS-certified instructor, in two 5-hour sessions, one on Saturday, Jan. 19th and the second on Saturday, Jan. 26th, from 10 am to 3:30 pm. This is a certification course. Bring your digital camera. Film will be discussed but we will use digital only in our field work. If you have a tripod, shade/reflector or lens filters bring them. Course fee: $50.

The Rock Art Recording Workshop is taught by Agua Fria Chapter members. Gain basic competence in rock art recording methods through hands-on activities and professional instruction by AAS certified instructors. This is a one-day workshop on Saturday, Feb. 23rd from 10 am to 3 pm. This is not a certification course. Course fee: $25. To register, call the Deer Valley Rock Art Center at 623-582-8997 or go to http://dvrac.asu.edu/.

Next Arizona Archaeology Expo Planning Meeting

2013 Arizona Archaeology And Heritage Awareness Month

Nov. 14, 2012, 10 am

The next meeting will be at Horseshoe Ranch on the Agua Fria National Monument. Please join us and help develop activities for the Archaeology Expo, which is scheduled for Saturday, March 16, 2013.

Travel from Phoenix: Head north on I-17, and take the Bloody Basin Road exit (just south of Cordes Junction), turn right (east) onto Bloody Basin Road. Continue on Bloody Basin Road for approximately 5 miles, where there is a sign for the Horseshoe Ranch at a "Y" in the road. Turn left onto the Ranch entrance road, which will continue east across the Agua Fria River to the Ranch buildings.

For more information, please contact Kris Dobschuetz, SHPO Archaeological Compliance Specialist, at kdobschuetz@azstateparks.gov or 602-542-7141

Kris Dobschuetz
CHAPTER NEWS

Agave House Chapter

The September meeting was held on Sept. 26th at the Black Mesa Ranger Station community Room. Our speaker was Allen Dart from the Arizona Humanities Council. The organization has a speaker program called "Road" Scholars which provides speakers who will travel throughout the state providing programs to non-profit organizations. Visit WWW.Azhumanities.org for additional information on these programs.

Allen spoke on timekeeping beginning with the Julian calendar in approx. 45 B.C. which evolved into our modern Gregorian calendar. We also found out how to identify the cardinal direction if we find ourselves lost out in the wild without a compass. Whew! What a great thing to know. Very informative program.

The October meeting will be on Wed., Oct. 24th at 6:30 pm. We meet at 5 pm at a local restaurant for dinner with the speaker. This month we will dine at Sue's Pizza Time.

Contact Gloria Kurzhals at 928-536-3056 with questions.

--Era Harris

Agua Fria Chapter

October speaker: Frank Barrios discussed the topic "Mexicans of Phoenix" at the monthly meeting on Oct. 8th. He talked about the history of the Mexican culture from the beginning of Phoenix to the 1970's and the influential and wealthy Mexican merchants who impacted the community, including Miguel Peralta. Enrique Garfias, the Town Marshall of Phoenix, and Francis Shaw and John Alsap, two of the mayors in the 1800's. He discussed the impact of the Salt River flood of 1891, which divided Phoenix into north and south sections -- the poorer community lived on the south side and the wealthier in the north. 1887 brought railroad services with an influx of southerners and a drastic change in Phoenix for the Mexican and Black cultures. Frank also talked about the history of the St. Mary's Catholic Church, completed in 1915 and turned into an Anglo church, and the Immaculate Heart of Mary, completed in 1928 for the Mexican population.

November speaker: The Nov. 12th speaker will be Robert Stokes, Archaeological Consulting Services, who will discuss the excavation of a rock shelter site near Lake Pleasant.

Upcoming events and hikes:

Oct. 26 (Fri) Tour of the Arizona State Museum in Phoenix. We will meet in the Rotunda of the 1901 Capitol Building at the State Seal under the Copper Dome at 1:30 pm. Parking is available in the parking lot on Wesley Bolin Memorial Park on the east side of 17th Avenue. The entrance to that lot is from Adams Street (one way Westbound - stay in left hand lane), just after the curve where Washington street transitions into Adams and before reaching 17th Avenue. There is not an entrance to parking lot on 17th Avenue. Contact Paulette Gehlker to register: paulette@magicmeow.biz

Nov. 4 (Sun) 9 am – 1 pm; Petroglyph hike at Table Top Wilderness in the Sonoran Desert National Monument, off Interstate 8 between Gila Bend and Casa Grande. This will be a 3-mile round trip hike to see spectacular examples of prehistoric rock art. The hike is off-trail but with minimal elevation change. Register with Thom Hulen at info@sonorandesertfriends.org. Registrants will be emailed directions on where to meet.

Upcoming workshops:

DVRAC and the Agua Fria Chapter work in conjunction to bring about these annual workshops to familiarize archaeology enthusiasts with what is involved in rock art recording and site photography. Contact the Deer Valley Rock Art Center in Phoenix at (623) 582-8007 to register for the following 2013 workshops:

Jan. 19 & 26: A two-day archaeology photography class will be held on Saturday, Jan. 19 from 10 am - 3:30 pm and on Saturday, Jan. 26 from 10 am - 3 pm. Cost is $50 for AAS and DVRAC members, $65 for non-members.

Feb. 23: A rock art recording workshop will be held on from 10 am until 3 pm at the Deer Valley Rock Art Center. No AAS certification is offered. Cost is $25 for AAS and DVRAC members and $30 for non-members. For information and registration, contact Casandra at DVRAC at 623-582-8007.

--Lori Hines
Desert Foothills Chapter

October meeting: Thanks to the efforts of Kathryn Frey, our chapter enjoyed a mini-symposium about Perry Mesa at our last meeting on Oct. 10th. We received a lot of information from our special ASU guests, Dave Abbott, Arleyn Simon, and Katherine Spielmann with a special conclusion from our own Scott Wood. We learned from Katherine that the presence of race tracks, roasting pits and age knives showed that there was organized communal feasting and celebration among the various pueblos on the mesa. These pueblos, which rapidly grew by accretion after the late 1200s, are now thought to have been populated by different cultural groups. It is significant to know that these groups were able to come together for ritual events. Arleyn talked about the rock art projects that have been ongoing since 2003. She stated that there are definite Hopi elements at some of the sites. Dave fascinated the packed house with a detailed description of his current phyllite study (phyllite is used as a ceramic temper) of which our chapter has had a part. He has been able to identify specific chemical signatures of the mineral phyllite and has mapped the locations where each specific type is found. Dave's work with phyllite signatures has begun to trace the pathways of ceramic trade from the valley to the northern uplands and eastward, with significant implications for understanding cultural migration. He was profuse in thanking our chapter for funding and for our help with ceramic retrieval and sorting. Scott talked about the history of Perry Mesa research and the transition of thought from Perry Mesa being a defensive outpost to that of cooperative groups from different cultures who transitioned to the area due to dramatic climate changes in their homelands. He is excited about the research possibilities on the mesa and said, "Perry Mesa will be the next Tonto Basin over the next ten years." There is a movement afoot that includes the Tonto National Forest, the BLM and the Game and Fish to create a land, game, cultural resource and recreational management plan for the mesa. Scott indicated that our chapter will play a role in this plan. We thank all our special guests for a wonderful evening!

November meeting: Our November meeting will be a presentation about archaeological looting. Garry Cantley, the regional archaeologist with the Bureau of Indian Affairs will present Archaeological Resource Crime. Garry has worked with the BIA since 1992 and has seen the impact of archaeological looting on Arizona's reservations and federal lands. Garry will show us photos of looted sites and discuss strategies for preventing these crimes. He is directly involved with the Archaeological Protection Resource Act (APRA) of 1979 as a co-leader of the BIA's National APRA training team. Garry states that "APRA provides for an award up to $500 for information leading to a conviction. I'll supplement that with a steak dinner just for information leading to apprehension of the looters." Please join us on Wednesday, Nov. 14th at 7 pm at the Good Shepherd of the Hills Episcopal Church, 6502 E. Cave Creek Road, Cave Creek, for what promises to be a very entertaining evening.

January Field Trip: Perry Mesa fever is high and Scott Wood has offered to lead our chapter on a Perry Mesa field trip to be held Saturday, Jan. 5th. Scott will take us to the Squaw Creek ruin on the south rim of the mesa and to the caliche fields and early Hohokam sites he discussed at the chapter meeting. This trip requires four-wheel drive and carpooling will be necessary to limit the number of vehicles. Participants will meet at the Bloody Basin turnoff on I-17 at 9 am sharp. This hike is only open to DFC members and you must make a reservation as there is a limit on participants. There is no charge. Please contact Mary Kearney at maryk92@aol.com to get on the waiting list. Don't wait! His trip will fill up fast.

Workshops:
Anyone hiking in remote areas should have mapping and compass skills. Our chapter is offering a two-day workshop with instructor Al Cornell, who will teach these skills with a dose of fun. The Topo/Map Reading Workshop will be held on Nov. 3rd and 4th, a Saturday and Sunday, in Sedona. The class start time is 9 am both days. The schedule for the first day includes a maps and compass workshop along with a compass usage course and hands-on map reading. There will be an hour break for lunch and the class should be over by 4 or 5 pm. On Sunday there will be a field trip to practice the skills learned the day before. The field trip will include some hiking with uneven gravel paths and various inclines. Al promises not to leave anyone behind and this day is strictly fun and learning. Participants must bring a lunch. The field trip should be over by 3 or 4 PM. This workshop is limited to AAS members and the fee is $50 per person. There is a class limit so please make your reservations asap to Mary Kearney at maryk92@aol.com.

Anyone interested in rock art and/or astronomy will not want to miss the Ancient Astronomy of the Southwest Workshop with Ken Zoll. This two-day class will be held Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 12th and 13th. The Saturday class will include sessions on Archaeoastronomy, Mesoamerican Archaeoastronomy and Ancestral Puebloan Archaeoastronomy. The Sunday class will include a hike to the V Bar V Ranch to see petroglyphs. Two books are required for the class ($30) and the class fee is $50 per person. This class is only open to AAS members and the class size is limited. More details with exact times and meeting places will be forthcoming. Please reserve your spot with Mary Kearney at maryk92@aol.com.

Other:
Thanks to all those who attended the October AAS Fall State Meeting. There was much to discuss along with the presentation of the Archaeologist of the Year award to Allen Dart. Please read AAS President Paddi Mozillo's account of the meeting in this issue. It's that time of year again! It's time to reserve your place at our annual Holiday Party! This year's event is a pulled pork potluck with the theme of Sprinkle Some Joy! The party will be held at our usual meeting place at the Good Shepherd of the Hills church. Please...
note that the time has changed from years past and that festivities will begin at 6 pm. We will have the usual raffle prizes and silent auctions. If you did not receive your invitation at the October meeting, please be sure to pick one up this month. We are asking for $5 per person to help with party costs. Reservations should be mailed to Kathy Queen at the address on the invitations. This year, last names beginning with A-E brings a side dish; F-M brings a dessert and N-Z brings a salad. The reservation deadline is Dec. 5th. Don't wait to get yours in as there is a limit on seating. Please contact fabulous party planner Joan Young at 623-551-1085 for more information or to have an invitation sent to you. Please consider donating raffle/silent auction items. an unwanted item may be someone else's treasure! Gift cards and restaurant cards are also welcome. You may bring these to the November meeting. All donations are very much appreciated!

--Holly Bode

Homolovi Chapter News:

Our November speaker will be Miles Gilbert telling us about the various archaeological projects he has worked on during his career. Miles is an excellent speaker and we look forward to hearing him again!

The Homolovi Chapter will be co-sponsoring the Winslow Santa Fe Indian Marching Band Reunion Nov. 16-17th. We will be honoring the former band members for the first time in 49 years. They will be featured in the 66th Annual City of Winslow Christmas Parade and we expect about 10,000 spectators and 70-100 entries this year for the parade. The parade is one of our community's State Centennial events.

The Winslow Santa Fe Indian Band was made up of seven Indian tribes representing the Hopi, Laguna, Isleta, Navajo, San Domingo, Jemez and Zuni. From 1923 to 1963 the band made as many as 50 public performances a year and in 1953 represented the State of Arizona in the first Eisenhower inaugural parade in Washington, D.C.

On Nov. 16th band members will arrive in Winslow for a reception in the Grand Ballroom of La Posada from 7 pm AZ-MST to 9:30 pm for a meet and greet, a Proclamation by the Winslow City Council declaring November as a part of the National Native American Heritage Month and Nov. 16th and 17th, 2012 as Winslow Santa Fe Indian Band Day, followed by photographs and oral history recording.

On Saturday, Nov. 17th at 1 pm, band members will ride in the Winslow Christmas parade. Non-profit organizations who are assisting with this historic event are the Winslow Old Trails Museum, The Homolovi Chapter of the Arizona Archaeological Society, The Winslow Chamber of Commerce and the City of Winslow Historic Preservation Commission. The La Posada Foundation LLC is providing facilities at no charge and the Winslow Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the parade.

http://nativeamericanheritagemonth.gov/about/ has more information about National Native American Heritage Month and this link has the small article on the band Vol. 1, Issue 7 (November 2011), which contained an article and 2 photos about the Santa Fe Indian Band: http://www.atsfrr.com/society/Western/index.htm.

We hope you can join us for this event and the Winslow Christmas Parade!

--Karen Berggren

Phoenix Chapter

November meeting: The speaker for our November 8th meeting will be Todd Bostwick, Director, Verde Valley Archaeology Center, who will present In the Land of the Minotaur: The Ancient Palace of Knossos and the Minoan Civilization of Crete. Crete is a large and rugged Greek island located in the middle of the Mediterranean Sea. During the heroic Bronze Age, Crete was the home of an advanced civilization known for its attractive art, well-made crafts, and beautiful palaces. One of those palaces, Knossos, was excavated and partially reconstructed by the famous English archaeologist, Arthur Evans. He named these ancient people the Minoans after King Minos in the Greek myth of the Minotaur, born part beast - part man from an illicit affair by the wife of King Minos. This program will explore the major Minoan sites in Crete, including several of the so-called palaces. A discussion of the art, architecture, and artifacts of the Minoans will be accompanied by numerous photographs taken by Dr. Bostwick during his recent tour of Crete.

October meeting: Our October speaker was Jay Van Orden, retired Director of Field Services for the Arizona Historical Society. His topic was Geronimo's Surrender – The 1886 C. S. Fly Photographs. He showed us about 25 photographs from the 1886 surrender talks between Gen. George Crook and the U. S. Army with the Chiricahua Apaches under the leadership of Geronimo at Cañon de los Embudos in southeastern Arizona. He used eye-witness historical accounts of the event to provide background details to augment and interpret the photographs. He also consulted with descendants of the Chiricahuas who were photographed to provide new historical perspective on this event. This talk was cosponsored by the Arizona Humanities Council.
NOTE: We have moved up the start of our meetings to 7 pm. The doors open at 6:45 pm to allow more time for our members and guests to enjoy a light snack while they chat with each other before the meeting begins.

Upcoming Meetings:

Dec. 13: Carolyn O’Bagy Davis, author, on Kayenta and Monument Valley: 100 Years of Settlement and Trading in Indian Country. Also our Holiday Potluck.

Jan. 10: Arleyn Simon, Director, ASU Archaeological Research Institute, The Archaeology of the ASU Campus.


Gallery and Museum tours:

Nov. 3: Xico Gallery, 33rd Annual Festival in celebration of El Dia de los Muertos: A Celebration of Life Festival. For more information about the festival, go to their website at http://xicoinc.org/el-dia-de-los-muertos.aspx.

Nov. 11: Heard Museum, Phoenix: Members plan to meet at the Heard Museum for a docent-led tour of the exhibit Beyond Geronimo: The Apache Experience. The chapter will cover the docent fee. For more information about the exhibit, see the Heard Museum website at http://www.heard.org/currentexhibits/geronimo.html.

Dec. 1: Grace American Museum and Cave Creek Museum, Cave Creek – We are planning to visit both the Grace American Museum and the Cave Creek Museum, as well as have lunch in a local restaurant. See their websites for more information: http://gracemuseumofamerica.org/ and http://cavecreekmuseum.com/.

Upcoming Workshop:

Feb. 23: Flintknapping Workshop with Chris Loendorf, Project Manager, Gila River Indian Community Cultural Resource Management Program. Chris will demonstrate the ancient technology of flintknapping in a Saturday workshop at Pueblo Grande Museum from 10 am to 3 pm. He will give hands-on instruction to a small group of people. If you are interested in learning how to knap flint, contact Marie Britton at mbrit@cox.net or call 480-390-3491. More details will be available in upcoming Petroglyphs.

Other: Archaeology Southwest’s third Archaeology Café in Phoenix will be on Wednesday, Nov. 28th at 6 pm in the Aztec Room of Macayo’s Central, 4001 N. Central Ave., near the Indian School light rail stop. Pat Stein, Arizona Preservation Consultants, will present Field of Schemes: Lincoln Fowler’s Canal and Farm on the Gila River Indian Reservation. Macayo’s offers happy hour prices for the event. The program is free, but participants are encouraged to order their own refreshments.

The Phoenix Chapter meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month in the Community Room at the Pueblo Grande Museum, 4619 E. Washington St. in Phoenix, starting at 7 pm. 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.

--Ellie Large

Rim Country Chapter

November meeting: On Nov. 20th we will host Speakers Ann Rasor and Don Owen from the Verde Valley Archaeological Center, who will present “Feathers...Inspiring Today's artistic Expressions”. Ann and Don will bring a few examples of feathers used in ceremonial and practical ways by the American Indian culture. The authors assert that feathers have been a critical part of American Indian culture for thousands of years.

Following most meetings, chapter members Bob and Del Wright lead hikes into areas of archaeological interest. The Wrights have been avidly hiking the back country of central Arizona for years and we benefit greatly from their experience and the treasures that they have found in the Arizona wilderness. All members of the Arizona Archaeological Society are welcome to join our meetings and the after-meeting outings. This is a great opportunity to get out, stretch your legs and rediscover the past.

We have been anticipating a mapping, documentation and stabilization project at Goat Camp, a significant prehistoric village site in Payson. The permits have cleared and under the leadership of Tonto Forest archaeologist Scott Wood, survey work has begun. Several members enjoyed a clear autumn day Oct. 20th while participating in a surface collection session at Goat Camp. We look forward to many more opportunities for volunteer to contribute time and energy as this project progresses.

For information about all activities associated with the Rim Country Chapter, please email or call Evelyn Christian, President, at elkwoman3@msn.com (928 476-3092). The Rim Country Chapter meets on the 3rd Saturday of the month at 10 am at The Cottage at The Church of the Holy Nativity, 1414 N. Easy Street, Payson.

--Ric Alling
San Tan Chapter

Our October meeting was delayed by one day due to scheduling conflicts, and many of our members missed a great presentation with very interesting questions and answers following. Todd Bostwick, our speaker for the evening, spoke about his trip to Western Turkey (historic name, Anatolia.) His visit took him to five sites along the western coast line of the Aegean Sea. The first site was Troy which is famous for the Trojan War. The Greek Federation planned to rescue their queen, Helen of Troy, and built the Trojan horse which held their army for a surprise attack. German Archaeologist Heinrich Schliemann along with Wilhelm Dörpfeld excavated the site in 1887 through 50 layers of stratigraphy. Dörpfeld came across a section very closely resembling the Homeric description of a section of Troy and then excavated the city. Troy is dated 2600 – 2450 BC (the legendary Bronze age discussed in Homers Iliad.)

Next stop was Bodrum a resort town located along the southern coast of Turkey. We learned about a shipwreck found many miles off the coast. It was thought that ships traveled along the coast in site of the land. Artifacts found in and around the wreck prove new and important evidence about trade between Turkey and neighboring countries over a broad span of time. This would be the first evidence of sustained open-water traffic in the ancient world.

Then on to Sardis, famous for native gold. Sardis was the capital of the ancient kingdom of Lydia. Some of the artifacts found were the first gold coins produced in this part of the world. This town also boasts the oldest Jewish Synagogue. The synagogue was in a section of a large bath-gymnasium complex, that was in use for about 450 to 500 years. There was also evidence of a Roman road 30 miles long with shops built along it.

Next to Ephesus, once the trade center of the ancient world. It was an ancient Greek city, and the capital of Asia Minor. This site, located near present-day Selcuk, has one of the best restored sites in Turkey. The Temple of Artemis, known to be one of the seven wonders of the world, was entirely made of marble and full of sculptured columns, capitals and shafts. The statue of many-breasted Artemis (also also called Cynthia, from her birth place, Mount Cynthia in Delos) was the symbol of the temple and currently resides in the Selcuk Museum.

We traveled next to Assos. The town is located on the coast of the Adramyttian Gulf. It is possible to see much of the surrounding area from the ancient Temple of Athena, built on top of an obsidian crag. On the acropolis, 238 m above sea level, are the remains of the Doric order Temple of Athena, which date back to 530 BC. All that remains today are foundations, a few large pillars and the Banquet scene, a sculpted artifact from the temple that is housed in the Louvre Museum in Paris, France. Aristotle, the Greek philosopher and polymath, a student of Plato and teacher of Alexander the Great, was welcomed by King Hermias, and opened an Academy in this city. In the Academy of Assos, Aristotle became chief of a group of philosophers, and together with them, he made innovative observations on zoology and biology. Many of the old buildings of Assos are in ruins today, but Behramkale (the city's modern name) is still active and serves as a port for Assos.

Our November meeting will be on the usual evening of the 2nd Wednesday, Nov. 12th at 7:30 pm. Our speaker will be Jeffery J. Clark, Ph.D., from Archaeology Southwest. The title of his talk is A San Pedro Valley Perspective on the Salado about their work in the San Pedro River valley.

On Dec. 12th we will host Sarah Herr, also of Archaeology Southwest, and her topic will be Western Apache Archaeology.

Regular monthly meetings: The San Tan Chapter meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month except June, July, and August. Meetings start at 7:30 pm and are held 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

South African Petroglyph Sites: The November meeting will be held at the Sedona Public Library on the 15th, at 7 pm. Our speaker will be Gary A. David, an independent researcher of Southwestern archaeological ruins and rock art for nearly 25 years. He has published four books on the Ancestral Puebloan cultures of the Four Corners region, the latest of which is entitled Star Shrines and Earthworks of the Desert Southwest. Mr. David earned a master's degree from the University of Colorado and is a former college professor. His articles have appeared in many international magazines and anthologies. Gary continues to give lectures and radio interviews, and he recently appeared on the History Channel. His website is www.theorionzone.com. Gary, his wife, and an aging cat have lived in rural northern Arizona for 18 years. In 2009, he made a trip to South Africa to investigate a number of petroglyph sites, which he will discuss at our meeting.
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A few weeks ago many of us were saddened to learn that on Sept. 8\textsuperscript{th} our good friend Roger Daisley, lost the war he had so valiantly fought against emphysema for the past ten years. His unencumbered spirit can now roam the mountains and canyons he so loved, searching for greater knowledge. Roger and his wife Ellie came to Sedona in 1998, settling in a remote canyon, accompanied by ever-increasing numbers of furry, four-legged homeless critters. Roger's myriad interests included politics, books, landscaping, the flora of the Verde Valley, Friends of the Forest, award-winning photography, the Verde Valley Archaeological Society, and the Site Steward Program. Roger was presented with the first Lifetime Achievement Award from the VVCAS, as well as a Certificate of Appreciation from the Coconino National Forest for participation in the preservation and restoration of our cultural resources.

For more information, please contact Linda Krumrie at (928) 451-4790, or aplaceinthesun@commspeed.net.

--Louise Fitzgerald

Yavapai Chapter:

The \textbf{October speaker} for the chapter was our own member, Fred Kraps, who presented a detailed mosaic of both maps and photographs on a little known pre-Inca society called the Wari. The presentation was based on his recent trip to Peru and included superb examples of a vast array of elegant ceramics, canal constructions and architectural floor plans.

T. J. McMichael will be our \textbf{November speaker}. His talk will be on \textit{Storytelling, The Oral Tradition}. T. J. thinks there is a bit of the storyteller in all of us and he hopes to awaken the sleeping giant in one of our members. He says he was never a good writer and was fifty years old before he learned that he could express himself better orally. Of course, this is the only way that prehistoric people had to pass on lore and knowledge. He will use numerous examples of Native American oral traditions to illustrate this and tells many stories about animals, as did the Native Americans. A biologist by training, he has monitored endangered species, as well as taught classes in environmental education for children and at elder hostels. This is sure to be an interesting evening!

The November field trip is tentatively scheduled to be at a ruin near Henderson flat. Details to follow.


Chapter meetings are held at 7 pm on the 3rd Thursday of the month from September through November and January through June at the Pueblo of the Smoki Museum in Prescott. Contact Pete Lupescu for more information at 928-771-2679.

--Pete Lupescu

\section*{GUIDE TO LOCATIONS}

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AAHS & Arizona Archaeological and Historical Society. Meets in Duval Auditorium, Univ. Medical Center, 1501 N. Campbell Avenue, north of Speedway (www.az-arch-and-hist.org). \\
AIA & Archaeological Institute of America, www.archaeological.org. \\
ASM & Arizona State Museum, UA Campus, 1013 E. Univ. Blvd., Tucson; www.statemuseum.arizona.edu. \\
AMNH & Arizona Museum of Natural History, 53 N. Macdonald St., Mesa; www.southwestarchaeologyteam.org/ \\
ASW & Archaeology Southwest, Tucson, www.archaeologysouthwest.org, 520-882-6946. \\
ASP & Arizona State Parks, 1300 W. Washington Street, Phoenix; azstateparks.com/index.html, 602-542-4174 \\
DVRAC & Deer Valley Rock Art Center, 3711 W. Deer Valley Rd, Phoenix; 623-582-8007, dvrac.asu.edu. \\
OPAC & Old Pueblo Archaeology Center, 2201 W. 44th Street, Tucson; 520-798-1201, www.oldpueblo.org. \\
SHESC & ASU School of Human Evolution and Social Change, Tempe campus, shesc.asu.edu/news-events/events. \\
SWAT & Southwest Archaeological Team, meets at AMNH, www.southwestarchaeologyteam.org. \\
VVAC & Verde Valley Archaeology Center, Camp Verde; 928-567-0066, www.verdevalleyarchaeology.org. \\
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UPCOMING EVENTS, Continued

Nov. 4, 2 pm, Red Rock State Park, Sedona, Lecture: *A History of the Yavapai-Apache Nation*. Apache Elder Vincent Randall and Chris Coder, archaeologist for the Yavapai-Apache Nation, will present a program on the culture, language and history of Tribal People in the Verde Valley area. Seating is limited, call 928-282-6907 to make reservations and assure a seat. The program is free with the park entry fee of $10.00 for four adults in a car.


Nov. 10, 10 am - 4:30 pm, Phoenix & Carefree, Guided Tour: Deer Valley & Spur Cross Ranch Petroglyphs & Pueblo Ruins with Shelley Rasmussen and Allen Dart. Starts at Deer Valley Rock Art Center. Fee $35 ($28 for OPAC & PGMA members); includes all park entry fees. Reservations required: 520-798-1201 or go to their website.

Nov. 14 & 28, 2-2:30 pm, PGM, Phoenix, Museum Tour: *Behind the Scenes Tour* with Curator of Collections Holly Young. Learn about the artifacts that are not on display in the museum and see how museums care for their collections. Open to walk-in visitors with paid admissions, this is a first-come, first-served tour. Space is limited.

Nov. 15, 6-8:30 pm OPAC, Tucson, 3rd Thursday Food for Thought Dinner & Presentation: *Digging Keet Seel: Julian Hayden's 1934 Diary* with Steve Hayden at La Parrilla Suiza Mexican Restaurant, 2720 N. Oracle Road, Tucson. Reservations due by 5 pm Wednesday, Nov. 14. Call 520-798-1201 or go to their website.

Nov. 16, 12-1 pm, PGM, Phoenix, Brown Bag Lecture: *Advances on Geoarchaeological Research: Northwestern Argentina* by Dr. Maria Marta Sampietro Vattuone, Professor of Biological Anthropology, National University of Tucuman. This talk presents results of the last 15 years of geoarchaeological investigations in two important valleys of Northwest Argentina. Free; open to the public.

Nov. 17, 8-11 am, PGM, Phoenix, Hike: *Petroglyph Discovery Hike*. Meet at Kiwanis Ramadas, South Mountain Difficulty: Moderate. An experienced PGM guide will lead participants on a 3-mile, 3-hour interpretive hike. Advance registration is required.

Nov. 17, 10 am - 3 pm, DVRAC, Phoenix: *American Indian Heritage Festival*. Experience the music, art, culture, food, traditions, and innovations of Arizona's American Indians. Enjoy activities for the whole family at the Deer Valley Rock Art Center's annual American Indian Heritage Festival. Free. For more information see their web site.

Nov. 18, 2-3:30 pm, Tubac Presidio State Historic Park, Tubac, Presentation: *The Coming of the Spanish*. Popular speaker Jack Lasseret shares the fascinating story of the Spanish Presidios on the northern frontier of New Spain, of which Tubac was one of four in Arizona. A full house is expected, so sign up early. Wine and hors d'oeuvres will be served. $25 per lecture. Please call for reservations and future dates, 520-398-2252. A portion of the proceeds will benefit the community effort to “Save the Presidio.”

Nov. 19, 7-9 pm, AAHS, Tucson, Lecture: *Upward Sun River site: Climate change, geoarchaeology and human land use in Ice Age Alaska* by Joshua D Reuther & Ben Potter. For more information see their website.

Nov. 24, 10-11:30 am, Tubac Presidio State Historic Park, Tour: *Guided Tour of the Barrio de Tubac Archaeological Site*. Special tour by local experts of the Spanish colonial archaeological site just south of the Park which preserves the remains of the original Tubac town site, including residence foundations, plaza area, refuse area and partial irrigation ditch. Meet at the Park’s Visitor Center. Tour involves a walk of about 1-1/4 miles. Bring walking shoes, sunscreen and hat. $7.50 fee includes admission to tour the Presidio Park. Tour limited to 15; call for reservations, 520-398-2252.

Nov. 28, 6 pm, Archy SW, Phoenix, Archaeology Café: *Field of Schemes: Lincoln Fowler’s Canal and Farm in the Gila River Indian Reservation* by historian Pat Stein, Arizona Preservation Consultants, who shares her research on Lincoln Fowler’s canal and farm on the Gila River Indian Reservation. In the Aztec Room at Macayo’s on Central. The program is free, but participants are encouraged to order their own refreshments. Macayo’s offers happy hour prices for this event

Nov 29, 6-7 pm, ASU Museum of Anthropology, Tempe, Lecture: *Prehistory, Personality and Place: Emil W. Haury and the Mogollon Controversy* by J. Jeffrey Reid and Stephanie Whittlesey. Emil Haury’s definition of the ancient Mogollon in the 1930s as a culture distinct from their Ancestral Pueblo and Hohokam neighbors, he triggered a major intellectual controversy. Archaeologists Jeffrey Reid and Stephanie Whittlesey tell the story of the remarkable individuals who discovered the Mogollon culture, fought to validate it and eventually resolved the controversy. In Wrigley Hall, Rm. 101. All are welcome, admission is free.

Nov. 30, 10-11 am, PGM, Tour: *Park of Four Waters Tour*. The tour will take you through undeveloped, natural desert to the ruins of some of the Hohokam canal systems. General Admission prices apply.

Dec. 1, 10 am - 4 pm, Heard Museum, Phoenix, *Navajo Weaver's Marketplace*. Join 60+ weavers as they display and sell their creations and demonstrate the dyeing, carding, spinning and weaving processes that combine with inspiration to create woven masterpieces. Enjoy lectures on collecting, book signings, films and more. Former Navajo Nation Tribal Chairman Peterson Zah will discuss his new book, *We Will Secure Our Future: Empowering the Navajo Nation*, written with Peter Iverson and published by the University of Arizona Press, as well as sign copies, at a 2 pm event in Steele Auditorium. Free and open to the public.

Dec. 1, 10 am - 4 pm, OPAC, Waddell, Guided Tour: *White Tank Mountains - Petroglyphs of Waterfall Canyon & Mesquite Canyon* with Shelley Rasmussen and Allen Dart. Starts at White Tank Mountain Regional Park Visitor Center. Fee $35 ($28 for OPAC & PGMA members) includes all park entry fees. Reservations required: 520-798-1201 or go to their website.
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