

Lyons Chapter - Colorado Archaeological Society



June 1983

Yah Ta Hay to all C.A.S./Lyons members!

Everybody seems to be going out on digs or surveys... expeditions here and there...as, once again, another beautiful summer on the great Colorado Plateau begins to unfold.

As an advisory-nominating committee--made up of C.A.S./Lyons members Cleo Barnes, Louise Derr, David Davis and Peter Christensen--we propose that the officers of C.A.S./Lyons, and the duties and responsibilities of these positions, be as follows:

I. President:

- a) oversees and co-ordinates all Lyons C.A.S. meetings and activities ; coordinates all C.A.S. related functions
- b) attends quarterly and yearly C.A.S. meetings
- c) appoints members to fill all vacant positions until a meeting of Quorum can vote on the matter

II. Vice-President

- a) responsible for all treasury activities and monthly treasury report
- b) responsible for signing blue sheets during classes and surveys in order to generate C.A.S. money
- c) backs up the President in all his duties

III. Secretary

- a) secretary of all C.A.S./Lyons meetings and activities (take notes)
- b) is editor and publishes a monthly newsletter (mailing a newsletter to all chapter members)

IV. Publicity Chairperson

- a) in charge of publicity; publicizes meetings and activities to the public at large and the local media

V. Librarian

- a) in charge of library; is responsible for checking out books to members
- b) responsible for the maintenance of the C.A.S./Lyons site file survey reports
- c) arranges P.A.A.C. class schedule with instructor

VI. Speaker Coordinator

- a) organizes meetings and activities
- b) arranges speakers, meeting places for speakers and informs the editor of the newsletter in a timely fashion so as to facilitate the publication of the aforesaid information
- c) informs Bobbi Klausling, chairperson of Colorado Archaeological Awareness Year, of the speakers and topics discussed at chapter meetings so that she may include this information in state-wide newsletters (for 1983 only)

VII. Field Director

- a) locates and organizes sites to be surveyed
- b) should have experience and skill in conducting site surveys
- c) responsible for maintenance and distribution of all survey equipment

We would like to know if you are interested in being nominated for one or more of these positions; or if you wish to nominate someone who you feel is qualified for any of these positions.

If you would like to become involved--but don't feel that you have enough time for an officer-level of commitment--there will be committees requiring volunteer support under the Field Director, the Newsletter Editor and the Speaker Coordinator.

We would also like to know: Which location you prefer for our regularly scheduled chapter meetings:

- Boulder
- Lyons
- _____ Other

What P.A.A.C. classes do you still need and want?

- Basic Site Survey/Archaeological Ethics
- Colorado Archaeology
- Lithic Description and Analysis
- Ceramic Description and Analysis
- Historic Archaeology
- Perishable Material
- Field and Lab Photography
- Archaeological Dating Methods
- Research Design and Report Writing

O.D. Hand will be available to teach a class in the fall (possibly ceramics). Will you be available?

_____yes _____no

What do you want in the way of activities and/or functions out of this club?

- | yes | no | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | surveys |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | informative newsletter |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | speakers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | workshops and seminars |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | craft workshops |

<u>yes</u>	<u>no</u>	
___	___	P.A.A.C. classes
___	___	field trips
___	___	group picnics, potlucks or camping activities
___	___	Other: _____

The last Tuesday of the month has been our regularly scheduled meeting night. Have you been unable to attend these meetings because of this schedule?

_____yes _____no

Please give some thoughtful consideration to these questions and bring your answers to our next meeting on Sat. June 25, 7:00p.m. at Lyons Museum. Or, if you will be unable to attend, please mail your reply to:

Peter Christensen
Salina Star Route
Sunset, Colorado 80302

By synthesizing and co-ordinating this information, we hope that C.A.S./Lyons will be better able to serve your archaeological interests.

Thanks

P.S. A dig in the Morrison formation southwest of Denver on the Ken Caryl Ranch is being conducted by the Denver chapter of C.A.S. All interested Lyons/C.A.S. members are invited to participate. The dig will begin on the weekend of June 11th and 12th and continue through Sunday, June 26th, and every other weekend thereafter all summer long. Work includes excavation at Crescent Site, a rock shelter. For more info, contact:

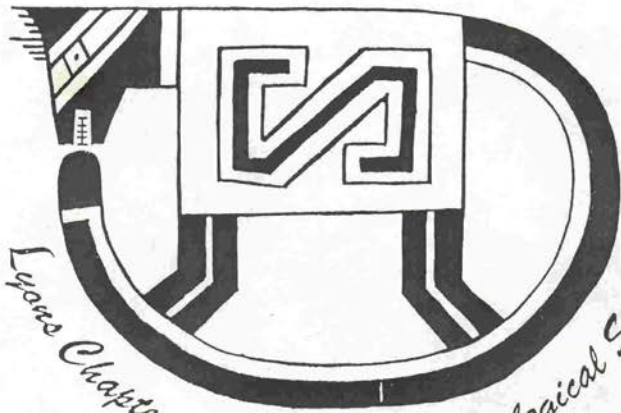
Bill Hammond, Pres.
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or

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P.P.S. We anticipate increased membership and participation in our C.A.S./Lyons chapter during 1983-Colorado Archaeological Awareness Year. If you know of someone new who you think would be interested in activities of an archaeological nature, please encourage them to become involved with us!

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