



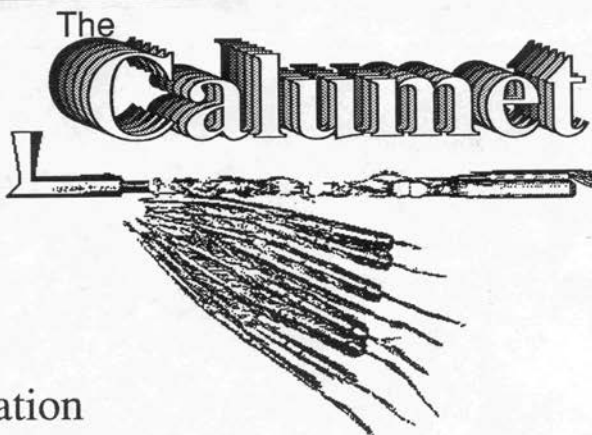
Indian Peaks Chapter
Colorado Archaeological Society

Conservation

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Calendar of Events

- Feb 20 .. Indian Peaks Ex Bd Mtg, 4201 N. Broadway, 7:30 p. m.
- Feb 20 .. "Reinterpreting the Magic Mountain Site" by Dr. William Butler, Museum of Natural History, Denver, sponsored by Denver Chapter, CAS.
- Feb 27 .. Indian Peaks Chapter Meeting, 7:30 p. m., 4201 N. Broadway, Boulder. Pete Gleichman, Native Cultural Services, will speak on the Rock Creek Camp site in Boulder County.
- Mar 7 ... Reception for Colorado Council of Professional Archaeologists at 7:00 p. m. in the Gallery at the University Museum, CU. Indian Peaks will co-host with Denver CAS. Call Ann Hayes to assist. Meet some of professionals in the field.
- Mar 20 .. Indian Peaks Ex Bd Mtg, 4201 N. Broadway, 7:30 p. m.
- Apr 3 ... Indian Peaks "March" meeting, 7:30 p. m., co-host with CU Museum in the Museum Gallery. Dr McKim Malville will speak on "Ancient Astronomy in India and the American Southwest".
- Apr 7 - 13, COLORADO ARCHAEOLOGICAL PRESERVATION WEEK.
- Apr 12 - 14, World Atlatl Association's First Atlatl Contest at Atlatl Rock, Valley of Fire State Park, Overton, Nevada. Application and info from Lenni Clubb, P. O. Box 56, Ocotillo, CA 92259. (691) 358-7835.



The Prez's Coffee Break

by (whoelse?) The Prez



Some time back, it was promised that a list of the Chapter survey equipment would be published in this journal. So shall it be.

The Chapter has: a David White transit, tripod, 3 meter stadia rod, 16-oz (one pound) plumb bob and belt case, Brunton tripod mount, set of chaining pins (11 in the set; that's the way they come), 30 meter tape, 100 meter tape, 200 pin flags, three field cases (the two compartment kind). This equipment is for the use of the Chapter and can be checked out for surveys by Field Directors and/or Field Investigators.

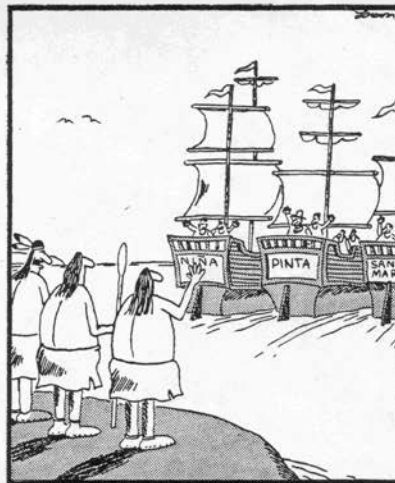
The CAS Quarterly meeting in Denver (actually, Littleton) was great. Bill Maxson will be reporting elsewhere in this journal, so I won't steal his thunder. Do want to note however, that a lithic identification workshop will be held Saturday, March 9 from 9 to 1 at the Historical Society, 1300 Broadway. Cost is \$5 (to cover handouts and refreshments), instructor is OD Hand and signup is with Kay Adams at 980-6921.

Kevin Black announced the deadline for signing up for the Dinosaur Ridge survey is 31 March. This will be a great experience in survey and site form organization. A signup form was in the last issue of Calumet. Maybe Ye Editor will play it again, Ed, in this issue.

Dr. Larry Loendorf of the University of North Dakota, is planning some excavation work this summer at Pinon Canyon. He is interested in getting some low-cost (i.e., free) CAS labor.

A flock of praises to our Jeannie Hamilton for her excellent work as treasurer and membership secretary. Ray Lyons (him of the Blue Sheet calculations) said many nice things about her when I talked with him at the Quarterly Meeting. Jeannie also arranged to keep our Calumet printing costs at a reasonable level, at least for the moment.

The library is being moved to Erie (to give Larry Riggs enough room in his garage). We need some help in cataloguing. Volunteers are appreciated, nay, praised!



"Did you detect something a little ominous in the way they said, 'See you later?'"

February Meeting Focuses on Rock Creek

On February 27, the Indian Peaks Chapter, Colorado Archaeology Society, will hear a report from Pete Gleichman, head of Native Cultural Services entitled: "The Prehistory and Public Archaeology at Rock Creek Camp." The presentation will be given at 7:30 p.m. at the Foothills Nature Center, 4201 N. Broadway, in Boulder.

Pete Gleichman is a professional archaeologist with more than 15 years experienced. He and his wife, Carol, herself an archaeologist, operate Native Cultural Services, an archaeological consulting service located in Boulder.

In the late summer of 1990, the Gleichman's conducted an excavation at Boulder County Open Space's Rock Creek Farm. During a survey by Carol earlier in the year, cultural material was discovered eroding out of the bank of Rock Creek. The erosion of the creek bank threatened to destroy evidence of habitation, which necessitated excavation to identify and study remaining cultural elements.

The site, known as Rock Creek Camp, is an Early Ceramic camp site dating from approximately 1000 A.D. Indication of significant human occupation was found in the presence of several archaeological features tentatively identified as hearths or fire pits. Preliminary excavation yielded numerous artifacts including projectile points, and pottery shards.

At the Gleichman's invitation, several members of Indian Peaks Chapter assisted in the excavation and conducted tours for more than 400 school children to a working archaeological site. In all, the Chapter provided more than 120 hours of work on the site.

Indian Peaks Chapter is presently assisting the Gleichman's in seeking additional funding to continue the primary salvage excavation of the eroding creek bank.

Indian Peaks Hosts Malville at CU Museum. April 3

The Chapter will join with the University of Colorado Museum in hosting a lecture by Dr. McKim Malville, on April 3, 1991. This date replaces our regular meeting date of March 27. Dr. Malville's talk will be presented in the Gallery. Parking will be available in the museum's parking lot.

"Reinterpreting Magic Mountain," Talk Slated by Denver CAS

Dr. William Butler will speak on "Reinterpreting the Magic Mountain Site, at the Denver Museum of Natural History, Wednesday, February 20, at 7 p.m., sponsored by Denver Chapter of CAS. The talk will be held in the VIP room of the museum.

A paper of the same name was published by Dr. Butler in the Fall issue of Southwestern Lore.

MINUTES OF EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING ON JANUARY 16, 1991.

The Executive Board met at the North Boulder Nature Center. The following members were present: Rick Lippincott, Jeannie Hamilton, Ann Pipkins, Steve Montgomery, Larry Riggs, Anita McHugh, Ann Hayes, Bill Maxson and Edna Devai-Alth.

FINANCE: Jeannie Hamilton, Treasurer, reported a current bank balance of \$1357.00.

NEWSLETTER: Jeannie Hamilton negotiated a reproduction fee with Campus Copies. In order to publish the newsletter earlier all material should be delivered to Ed Gefrath, editor, by the 3rd Friday of the month.

FIELD PROGRAMS:

1. Rick Lippincott, Laura Viola: Preliminary assessment of stone alignments near Lyons, 1/26/91, 9:30 AM, intersection of U.S. 36 and Ute Highway (Rt 66).
2. Rick Lippincott: A survey on private land near Erie. (Status - planning stage).
3. Ann Pipkins, Bill Maxson: Monitor the pipeline digging at Boulder Valley Ranch.
4. Ann Pipkins, Brent Wheeler: Recording of historic buildings on Open Space land. (Status - planning stage).
5. Janet Lever, Steve Montgomery: Survey of rock art site in Pinon Canyon. (Status - planning stage).

NEW/OLD BUSINESS:

1. Thanks to Steve Montgomery for press release announcing Dr. Bamforth's presentation, (Ann Hayes).
2. March meeting: Ancient Astronomy in India and the American Southwest - will be held on April 3rd at the CU Museum. Indian Peaks Chapter co-hosts this event by providing refreshments and clean up, (Ann Hayes).
3. The Board also discussed being a co-host with Denver CAS for the early bird social at the meeting of the Colorado Council of Professional Archaeologists (CCPA), provided that money time and manpower requirements can be met, (Ann Hayes).
4. The Indian Peaks Library is temporarily being housed in Erie, (Rick Lippincott).
5. Archeological Preservation Week, April 7 to 13, 1991. See Governor Romer's proclamation elsewhere in newsletter.

Submitted by Secretary, Edna Devai-Alth.

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Roy Romer
Governor

HONORARY PROCLAMATION

ARCHAEOLOGY PRESERVATION WEEK
April 7-13, 1991

WHEREAS, Colorado's prehistory is rich in cultural diversity and its record of the past is represented in numerous archaeological sites within our state; and

WHEREAS, preservation of prehistoric and historic archaeological sites provides significant educational, cultural, and economic benefits to all citizens; and

WHEREAS, many Coloradans volunteer their time and efforts to preserve and protect our state's unique archaeological resources; and

WHEREAS, the Colorado Archaeological Society and the Colorado Historical Society have joined with federal and state officials and private citizens to enhance public awareness of and concern for protecting Colorado's rich cultural heritage; and

WHEREAS, Archaeology Preservation Week provides an opportunity for Coloradans to reflect on the history of our state and the preservation of information about this history;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Roy Romer, Governor of Colorado, proclaim April 7-13, 1991, as

ARCHAEOLOGY PRESERVATION WEEK

in the State of Colorado.

GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado, this thirteenth day of December, 1990

Roy Romer
Governor



PAAC News

Programs for People in
Avocational Archaeology



FEBRUARY

5	Fort Collins	Historic Archaeology
9-10	Montrose	Dating Methods
13, 20	Fort Collins	Historic Archaeology
22, 25	Steamboat Springs	Ceramic Description/Analysis
27	Fort Collins	Historic Archaeology

MARCH

6, 13	Boulder	Lithic Description/Analysis
15-18	Durango	Colorado Archaeology
20	Boulder	Lithic Description/Analysis
23-24	Colorado Springs	Field and Lab Photography
27	Boulder	Lithic Description/Analysis

APRIL

3	Boulder	Lithic Description/Analysis
6-7	Del Norte	Intro. to Archaeology, CAS, PAAC
7-13	Statewide	Archaeology Preservation Week
10	Boulder	Lithic Description/Analysis
12-15	Carbondale	Perishable Materials
17	Boulder	Lithic Description/Analysis
30	Morrison	Dinosaur Ridge Survey*

MAY

1-10	Morrison	Dinosaur Ridge Survey*
17-20	Pueblo	Basic Site Survey
22, 29	Denver	Basic Site Survey
TBA	Estes Park	Lithic Description/Analysis

JUNE

TBA	Estes Park	Lithic Description/Analysis
5, 12, 18, 26	Denver	Basic Site Survey

JULY

3	Denver	Basic Site Survey
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* Survey will include weekend of May 4-5, ending date is estimated. Deadline for registration is 31 March.

PAAC classes are \$10 each made payable to "Colorado Historical Society, PAAC"

The bold face type in the above list shows the Indian Peaks Chapter PAAC class for this period. Location of the class has not yet been determined at press time. Call PAAC coordinator Jean Kindig, 442-2581, for information on this or other PAAC classes.



442-2581

INDIAN PEAKS 1991 OFFICERS

At the November 27, 1990 regular meeting the nominating committee proposed the following slate of officers and directors for 1991:

PRESIDENT	Rick Lippincott
VICE PRESIDENT	Ann Hayes
SECRETARY	Edna Devai-Aith
TREASURER	Jeannie Hamilton
DIRECTOR (Honorary)	Leni Clubb
DIRECTOR	Sue Lippincott
DIRECTOR	Anita McHugh
DIRECTOR	Steve Montgomery
DIRECTOR	Laura Viola
CAS REPRESENTATIVES	Bill Maxson and Suzanne Meyer
PROFESSIONAL ADVISOR	Bill Lucius
PROJECT INFO OFFICER	Ann Pipkins
PAAC COORDINATOR	Jean Kindig
PUBLICITY	Mary Sucke
WAYS & MEANS	Suzanne Meyer
YOUTH PROGRAM	Kay Evatz
CALUMET EDITOR	Edmund F (Ed) Grefrath

The slate was unanimously approved. Thanks to previous officer holders, Ann Phillips, Lee Lacey, Sue Struthers, Dock Teegarden and Larry Riggs for a job well done. Your dedication was deeply appreciated.

Ann Hayes, Sue Lippincott
Nominating Committee Co-chairpersons

NOTE FROM YOUR NEW EDITOR: This is my first attempt in publishing your newsletter. I'm not being overly modest when I acknowledge that it is not a polished document. It will improve ... with your patience and my learning what all those bells and whistles on my computer really do. We plan on limiting the letter to 4 pages, (8 sides), so please understand when I have to paraphrase some of your material e.g., the minutes of the quarterly CAS had to be postponed to next month because of space restrictions.