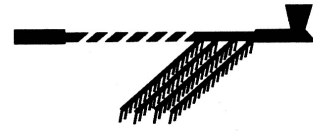


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Newsletter of the Indian Peaks Chapter of the Colorado Archaeological Society  
August, 2011

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Presentation (lecture) meetings are held in the University of Colorado Museum, Dinosaur Room on the Second Thursday of most Months, at 7:00 PM. **The public is always welcome.**

**Web Site: WWW.INDIANPEAKSARCHAEOLOGY.ORG**

- September 8** IPCAS Presentation Meeting, 7PM.  
**September 23** Reading and Discussion Group, 7:00PM to 8:45PM, Reynolds Library Meeting Room  
3595 Table Mesa Drive, Boulder, Topic: Underwater Archaeology  
**October 13** **NO MEETING because of the Annual Meeting**  
**October 15-16** **CAS Annual Meeting, Boulder (IPCAS is host)**
- November 10** IPCAS Presentation Meeting, 7PM, Nichole Branton, Topic: TBA  
**November 17** Reading and Discussion Group, 7:00PM to 8:45PM, Reynolds Library Meeting Room  
3595 Table Mesa Drive, Boulder, Topic: Cahokia  
**January 26** Reading and Discussion Group, 7:00PM to 8:45PM, Reynolds Library Meeting Room  
3595 Table Mesa Drive, Boulder, Topic: European Cave Paintings

## Colorado Archaeological Society Annual Meeting

This year the Indian Peaks Chapter is hosting the Annual Meeting for the Colorado Archaeological Society on Saturday & Sunday, October 15 & 16th. What will this meeting mean for members? We invite all Indian Peaks (IPCAS) members to join us for the event.

The Saturday daytime agenda includes short talks on a wide variety of archaeological topics, a silent auction, and posters. The evening will include a happy hour, banquet, and a noted banquet speaker (See page 4). The entire day is a great way to learn about archaeology, meet other people who are interested in archaeology (including CAS members from other chapters) and have a great time.

Sunday will include field trips to local places of interest to archaeologists. Please put the dates on your calendar. This is a great way to enjoy a weekend learning about and enjoying archaeology.

We are also requesting IPCAS members volunteer to assist both before the event and during the event. We need help getting sponsorships, planning field trips, assisting with publicity, creating and processing registrations, as well as day of tasks like registering attendees.

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Please contact us at [indianpeaksarchaeology@gmail.com](mailto:indianpeaksarchaeology@gmail.com) with questions and your interest in volunteering.



**CAS ANNUAL MEETING 2011 - October 14-16**  
**Boulder, Colorado**  
**Host Chapter: Indian Peaks**

**REGISTRATION FORM:**

*Please complete and mail with your check (made payable to IPCAS) by October 5, 2011 to:*

**IPCAS, P.O.Box 18301, Boulder, CO 80308-1301**

**Questions? Call Karen Kinnear at 303-516-9260 or 720-206-7490**

**(or email Karen at [kinnearkaren@hotmail.com](mailto:kinnearkaren@hotmail.com)).**

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Event	COST	Number Attending	TOTAL
<b>CAS Quarterly Board Meeting dinner (Friday, Oct. 14)</b>	\$19.00		
<b>Conference (Saturday Oct. 15) Registration (valid until and must be received by October 5 - - add \$5.00 after October 5)</b>			
CAS Member	\$22.00		
Student, full-time	\$5.00		
Non-member/non-student	\$25.00		
<b>Banquet , Saturday Oct. 15.- choose one:</b> Jerk chicken/honey glazed pork loin _____ ; vegetarian _____	\$30.00		
<b>Banquet – Speaker only</b>	\$5.00		
<b>Total</b>			
<b>Sunday Morning Field Trips (sign up at conference)</b>			

# 2011 CAS Annual Meeting

## Event Descriptions

(Times are approximate.  
Please check the CAS website for updates in September)

### **CAS Quarterly Board Meeting**

Friday, October 14, 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Olive Garden, 2685 Pearl St., Boulder, CO 80302; 303-546-6506

(will include five entrees to choose from; \$19 includes non-alcoholic beverages, tax and tip)

### **Conference**

Saturday, October 15

Location: A Spice of Life, 5706 Arapahoe Ave, Boulder, CO 80303 (located on Flatirons Golf Course); free parking

Registration opens at 8:00 a.m., Conference, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Coffee, tea, fruit, bagels available

### **Banquet**

Saturday, October 15

Location: A Spice of Life, 5706 Arapahoe Ave., Boulder; free parking

Happy hour/Cash bar: 6:00 p.m.

Dinner served 6:45 p.m.

Banquet - Speaker: Dr. Douglas D. Scott, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Topic: The Sand Creek Massacre of 1864: Finding the Site and Resolving the Issue with Physical Evidence.

### **Conference Hotel:**

The Best Western Golden Buff Lodge

1725 28th St.

Boulder, CO 80301

303.442.7450

Rate for Conference Attendees –

Single queen - \$85.49 plus tax/per night

Double queen - \$94.49 plus tax/per night

Cancellation – 24 hours

When making reservation, ask for Colorado Archaeological Society rate (rooms are available on a space-available basis)

**2011 CAS Annual Meeting Banquet Topic/Speaker**  
**The Sand Creek Massacre of 1864:**  
**Finding the Site and Resolving the Issue with Physical Evidence**  
**Dr. Douglas D. Scott**

**Abstract:**

While the Civil War raged in the eastern states, citizens of Colorado Territory faced an uneasy existence. Fed up with so-called Indian depredations, Governor John Evans ordered two units of the Colorado Volunteer Cavalry to subdue the hostile Cheyenne and Arapaho bands. Using cannon and small arms the Colorado volunteers charged the camp killing around 160 Indians, mostly women and children. The actual site of the event was lost to memory over the years. The National Park Service undertook a reassessment of the documentary records and concluded that the traditional monument location did not overlook the precise site of the village. Using a new historical assessment, archeologists sought and found physical evidence of the village and ordnance materials expended during the attack. The physical evidence shows the line of attack by the Colorado volunteers and their extensive firepower. The Cheyenne and Arapaho related evidence shows almost no evidence of resistance, rather a complete disintegration of organization and a chaotic flight for survival in the face of the attack. The physical evidence supports the contention that the Indian camp suffered a surprise attack and the evidence is consistent with the conclusion the attack was, indeed, a massacre.

**Background:**

Retired from National Park Service after more than 30 years of with the Department of the Interior, his last position was as Great Plains Team Leader, Park Programs, Midwest Archeological Center, U.S. National Park Service, Lincoln, NE. He is currently an Adjunct Professor, Department of Anthropology and Geography, University of Nebraska, Lincoln and an Adjunct Professor, Master's of Forensic Science Program, Nebraska Wesleyan University, Lincoln. Doug received his Ph.D. in 1977 in Anthropology from the University of Colorado, Boulder. He has worked throughout the Great Plains and Rocky Mountain West on a variety of archeological projects. Doug specializes in nineteenth century military sites archeology and forensic archeology. He is particularly noted for his expertise in battlefield archeology and firearms identification having worked on more than 40 battlefield sites, including Palo Alto, Sand Creek, Big Hole, Bear Paw, Wilson's Creek, Pea Ridge, Centralia, and Santiago de Cuba. He was awarded the Department of the Interior's Distinguished Service Award in 2002 for his innovative research in battlefield archeology that started with his work at the Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument.

Doug has also been involved with human rights and forensic investigations since the early 1990s. He has worked with the United Nations and various human rights organizations in El Salvador, Croatia, Rwanda, Cyprus, Iraq, and Canada. He testified as an expert witness in Saddam Hussein's Anfal Campaign Trial in December 2006 using battlefield modeling to show that the events under investigation were not combat related deaths but consistent with an firing squad/execution formation.

## GRAND JUNCTION MAN DIES IN OWL CANYON, UTAH

BY SHEENA MCFARLAND

The Salt Lake Tribune

A Grand Junction, Colo., man died in San Juan County's Owl Canyon on May 9 after a passing hiker found him alone and complaining of intense stomach pain.

John D. Slay, 72, was about a quarter mile from his backpack when a hiker found it and began searching for the owner at about 7 a.m., according to San Juan County Sheriff Rick Eldredge. The man came across Slay, who had no water and said he had stomach pain. The man shared his water, set him up in a tent to keep him out of the rain and then went for help. He left a walking stick with a note along the trail explaining the situation.

By 1:15, the man alerted authorities, who dispatched a helicopter. After flying through the area and not finding Slay, they picked up the man and were able to locate where he had left Slay, Eldredge said. There, they found a group of people who had seen the note on the walking stick and stopped to help. The group had four people; three stayed with Slay while one went for help.

Those who stayed with Slay said he told them he was in a place where he would be happy to die and that he spoke fondly of his wife, son and daughter.

When medics arrived on scene, Slay stopped breathing. They attempted CPR, but could not resuscitate Slay. He was pronounced dead on the scene. His body was flown out of the canyon to a ranger's station, and San Juan County Sheriff's deputies took the body to Salt Lake City. The state medical examiner will determine the cause of death.



This is a photograph of John Slay and me on a project in Pawnee National Grassland about 1996. John was a great guy and fun to be with. John and I had worked together on a number of projects over the years. We had planned to work together on a PIT Project in Wyoming this year but his death interfered. He was a member of IPCAS. I am missing him but I have great memories of our times together. Just two old guys havin' fun. – Tom Cree

## PAAC Schedule: July–December 2011

### July

23.....Cortez..... PAAC Board meeting

### August

27.....Denver..... Site Forms Workshop

### September

15.....Denver..... Site Forms Workshop

17–18.....Glenwood Springs..... Archaeological Dating Methods

### October

14–15.....Boulder..... PAAC Board meeting at CAS annual meeting

21–23.....Pueblo..... Principles of Archaeological Excavation

### November

5–6.....Cortez..... Research Design & Report Writing

19–20.....Denver..... Introduction to Laboratory Techniques

### December

\*2–16.....Denver..... PAAC Laboratory Project

\*Lab project occurs on intermittent dates at the Museum Support Center in east Denver.

### Other Notable Events:

Pecos Conference, August 11–14, Mile-and-a-Half Lake, AZ

Utah Rock Art Research Association symposium, September 23–26, Price, UT

Rocky Mountain Anthropological Conference, October 6–8, Missoula, MT

Colorado Archaeological Society (CAS) annual meeting, October 14–16, Boulder

Plains Anthropological Conference, October 26–29, Tucson, AZ

### Visit the PAAC web site at:

<http://www.historycolorado.org/oahp/program-avocational-archaeological-certification-paac>

As noted on the current PAAC schedule [<http://www.historycolorado.org/oahp/paac-class-schedule>], I will be having two site form workshops here in Denver on **August 27** (Saturday) and **September 15** (Thursday). Each workshop will be held at the Office of Archaeology and Historic Preservation, on the fourth floor of the Civic Center Plaza bldg., 1560 Broadway in downtown Denver. Volunteers are welcome to attend either one or both of the sessions, and anyone interested in the information can attend—these workshops are NOT limited to participants on the Summer Training Survey, so please spread the word. We will start at 10:00am and will be finished by 4:00pm at the latest. Attendance is, of course, completely voluntary. No application is needed, but I would appreciate a brief advance notice from you if you plan to attend.

Each workshop will cover those tasks necessary to transform a partially filled-out field form into a report-ready final form including inking sketch maps, computing legal locations and UTM's, topographic map plots, artifact illustrations, etc. You are asked to bring a pencil, eraser, clipboard or comparable writing surface, and any draft forms you are preparing. We will take a lunch break around 12:30pm—many local restaurants are near the OAHp office [we're at the end of the 16<sup>th</sup> St. mall] or you can brown bag it. As always, you can reach me (or leave a message) at 303/866-4671, fax 303/866-2711, or e-mail (below) if you have any questions about the workshops or have any other questions or comments about surveys, site forms, PAAC certification, etc. Thanks, and I hope to see you soon, maybe at this Saturday's CAS quarterly meeting at the Anasazi Heritage Center [[http://www.coloradoarchaeology.org/Meetings/July2011\\_Cortez.htm](http://www.coloradoarchaeology.org/Meetings/July2011_Cortez.htm)].

Kevin

## **Executive Board Meeting** **April 7, 2011**

**Meeting called to order** at 7:00 PM at Cree residence in Longmont

**Attendees:** Coppin, Cree, Damon, Holien, Kinnear, Robinson, Turner

**Secretary's Report:** Approved minutes from March 2011 Board Meeting.

**Treasurer's Report** (Camell-Coppin): \$2597.88

**Presidents' Report** (Robinson):

### **Old Business:**

- Speaker Scorecard:
  - April 2011 – Bob Brunswig
  - May 2011 – Craig Lee
  - Sept 2011 – Open
  - Oct 2011 – No Meeting due to Annual Meeting
- PAAC Classes – Total of 25 signed up for class, Gretchen Aryara will coordinate class sign up for the Fall (if there is one)
- Meeting venue for 2011/2012: Board agreed to continue meetings at CU Museum. Robinson to contact CU to reserve rooms. No meeting planned for October due to Annual Meeting
- Annual Dues- Status – Current paid memberships – 51
- June Picnic: Plans and reservations are set for Thursday, July 14 at 5:30 PM at Betasso Preserve; site is reserved; trying to find someone to teach members how to throw atlats.
- Summer field trips:
  - May 7: discussed trip to Estes Park to see Bob Brunswig present on Sacred Sites and to visit Estes Museum exhibit on bison hunting
  - May 21/22: Chimney Rock: Maureen Arthur has arranged a trip to visit Chimney Rock
- Summer volunteer opportunities:
  - Brunwig Field School: 1<sup>st</sup> 2 weeks in Dearfield, next 2 wks at Meeker House in Greeley
  - Paul Alford: July 18-22: Lost Lake mining district
- Archaeology Discussion Group: second group had good turnout and good discussion;  
Will meet year round every 2 months; next meetings are May 26 and July 28<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM; topics TBD

### **Annual Meeting:**

- Friday dinner:: still reviewing options
  - Discussions re: contacting potential speakers for availability and interest: Kris and Joanne
  - Discussion on approach to obtain corporate sponsors
  - Publicity: possible advertisement in Archaeology Magazine
    - Need to get website functional to allow advertising of Annual Meeting
    - Possibly try NPR (day sponsor for local events)
    - Once speaker is determined, obtain photo to use in advertising meeting
- Web site transfer: Karen eligible for discount for website on GoDaddy. Karen will transfer domain name
- CAS Quarterly Meeting notes:
  - Provided date/venue for annual meeting
  - Call for papers for Annual Meeting will go out soon
  - Raft field trip is full
  - Still looking for raffle item for annual meeting, in \$600 to \$1000 price range

**Open Floor:** none

**Meeting adjourned** at 8:45 PM

Cheryl Damon, IPCAS Board Member

Secretary. Pro Tem

## **Executive Board Meeting**

### **May 5, 2011**

**Meeting called to order** at 7:00 PM at Cree residence in Longmont

**Attendees:** Anne Robinson, Kris Holien, Karen Kinnear, Joanne Turner, Carolyn Camell-Coppin, Tom Cree, Cheryl Damon, Pete Gleichman

**Secretary's Report:** Approved minutes with changes from April 2011 Board Meeting.

**Treasurer's Report (Camell-Coppin):** \$3,004.88

**Membership report:** 2 members renewed, 53 current members

**Presidents' Report** (Robinson)

#### **Old Business:**

- Mini-grant for May meeting: money to be spent on room rent, speaker's honorarium, and food and beverages. Carolyn to get gift card for honorarium, Kris to get cake, Pete to get soft drinks, Anne to get food.
- Speaker Scorecard:  
May 2011 – Craig Lee  
Options for fall speakers discussed. Cheryl and Tom will contact potential speakers.
- Room space for next year:  
CU museum has been reserved for the 2011-2012 academic year.
- Annual Meeting:
  - Banquet – proposed speakers for the banquet were discussed. Board decided to contact one speaker to determine availability and issue invitation to him if available. Back-up speaker candidate determined.
  - Sponsorship – Anne reported on the sponsorship committee. Instead of silver, gold and platinum levels, Pete suggested that archaeological related terms could be used instead. No decision made. Discussion on levels, vendors, and related items. Further discussion to take place. Karen will confer with A Spice of Life regarding number of tables available, possible layout of tables for vendors, and related items. Discussion on possible need for IPCAS brochure or other form of information/publicity. Once we determine what is needed, brochure/letter will be developed. Anne will draft e-mail to members suggesting various ways they can help the board with the annual meeting. Schedule of tasks to be done will be determined at a later date.
  - Communication plan – options were discussed.
  - Budget – tabled.
  - Conference hotel – naming of conference hotel tabled; search to be continued
  - Quarterly meeting venue – Karen to contact additional venues.
  - Field trips – Pete to confer with Steve Lekson regarding CU museum trip; other options discussed.
- Web site – Karen to have her website advisor confer with Cyndi Cree and get website moved to GoDaddy.com. Board approved cost (to be less than \$100) for conferring and transferring website; GoDaddy cost to be in addition to the transfer cost.
- Next meeting to discuss annual meeting will be held on May 17. Discussion on whether to make it a conference call; if not, location is TBD.

**Meeting adjourned** at 9:25 p.m.

Karen Kinnear, IPCAS Board Member

Secretary. Pro Tem



## **Executive Board Meeting**

**June 2, 2011**

**Meeting called to order** at 7:00 PM at Cree residence in Longmont

**Attendees:** Cree, Damon, Holien, Kinnear, Robinson, Turner, Gleichman

**Secretary's Report:** Approved minutes from May 2011 Board Meeting.

**Treasurer's Report** (Camell-Coppin): not available

**Presidents' Report** (Robinson):

**Old Business:**

- Speaker Scorecard:
  - Sept 2011 – Open
  - Oct 2011 – No Meeting due to Annual Meeting
  - November- Nichole Branton
  - January – Marcy Reisner
- PAAC Classes –no class in Boulder this fall; Gretchen Acharya is coordinator for PAAC
- Current paid memberships – 59
- June Picnic: Plans and reservations are set for Thursday, July 14 at 5:30 PM at Betasso Preserve; site is reserved; trying to find someone to teach members how to throw atlats.
- Annual Meeting:
  - Friday dinner:: still reviewing options
    - Discussions re: contacting potential speakers for availability and interest: may check possibility of using frequent flier miles to cover airfare for speaker
    - Discussion on approach to obtain corporate sponsors -updated promotional levels; if high level, will find appropriate recognition; need to know speaker prior to contacting potential sponsors:
      - Tom will contact companies on line
      - Pete will contact land management agencies
      - Publicity: possible advertisement in Archaeology Magazine. Will plan to pre-announce speaker
      - Volunteers to help with meeting preparation include Gretchen, Jo M, Anne & Dave; Bob M; Kathryn (offered use of car for speaker)
      - Budget: reviewed various scenarios
      - Meeting packet: needs to be ready for review at July quarterly meeting
      - Need to see if easels are available in meeting room
      - Will send electronic copy of registration form for meeting to those members with email
      - No raffle item has been decided yet
      - Friday dinner – for business meeting, expect 30-35 people; still reviewing options
      - Vendors: several possibilities discussed; may sell books or T-Shirts (Kris to research Shirts)
      - Field trips: Ann and Pete to check possibilities
- Inventory at Morey's house: old cabinet, overhead projector, slide carousels, small metal bookcase: agreed to let Morey disposition as he sees fit.

**Open Floor:** none

**Meeting adjourned** at 9:00 PM

Cheryl Damon, IPCAS Board Member

Secretary. Pro Tem

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### MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION - INDIAN PEAKS CHAPTER

Quarterly new member enrollment	Individual	Family	Student
January-March	\$28.50	\$33.00	\$14.25
April-June	\$21.50	\$24.75	\$10.75
July-September	\$14.25	\$16.50	\$7.25
October-December	\$7.25	\$8.25	\$3.75
<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Renewal	Tax-Exempt Donation <input type="checkbox"/> \$10, <input type="checkbox"/> \$25, <input type="checkbox"/> \$50, Other _____		
NAME _____	TELEPHONE (____) _____		
ADDRESS _____	E-MAIL _____		
CITY _____	STATE _____	ZIP _____	

**Please make check payable to:** Indian Peaks Chapter, CAS. Mail to: PO Box 18301, Boulder, Colorado 80308-1301

**I(We) give CAS permission to :**

- Yes  No  disclose phone numbers to other CAS members  
 Yes  No  publish name/contact information in chapter directory  
 Yes  No  publish name in newsletter (which may be sent to other chapters, published on the internet, etc.)

**CODE OF ETHICS**

As a member of the Colorado Archaeological Society, I pledge: To uphold state and federal antiquities laws. To support policies and educational programs designed to protect our cultural heritage and our state's antiquities. To encourage protection and discourage exploitation of archaeological resources. To encourage the study and recording of Colorado's archaeology and cultural history. To take an active part by participating in field and laboratory work for the purpose of developing new and significant information about the past. To respect the property rights of landowners. To assist whenever possible in locating, mapping and recording archaeological sites within Colorado, using State Site Survey forms. To respect the dignity of peoples whose cultural histories and spiritual practices are the subject of any investigation. To support only scientifically conducted activities and never participate in conduct involving dishonesty, deceit or misrepresentation about archaeological matters. To report vandalism. To remember that cultural resources are non-renewable and do not belong to you or me, but are ours to respect, to study and to enjoy.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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