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2003 Annual Spring Meeting

North Carolina Archaeological Society

April 25-26, 2003

Western Piedmont Community College, Morganton

Members are invited to a reception hosted by Western Piedmont Community College and the Historic Burke Foundation Friday April 25, from 6:30 – 8:30^{PM}, at the McDowell House at Quaker Meadows. Heavy hors d'oeuvres and beverages will be served.

RSVP for the Friday night reception is requested by April 17th
(only if you're not having lunch on Saturday) to Dee Nelms at 919-733-7342.

Free and Open to the Public

Join the NCAS in an exciting day of activity at Western Piedmont Community College in Morganton on Saturday, April 26. This meeting is not to be missed! Western Piedmont Community College is providing a wonderful venue for this event; it is a beautiful setting with Table Rock and the Blue Ridge visible in the distance.

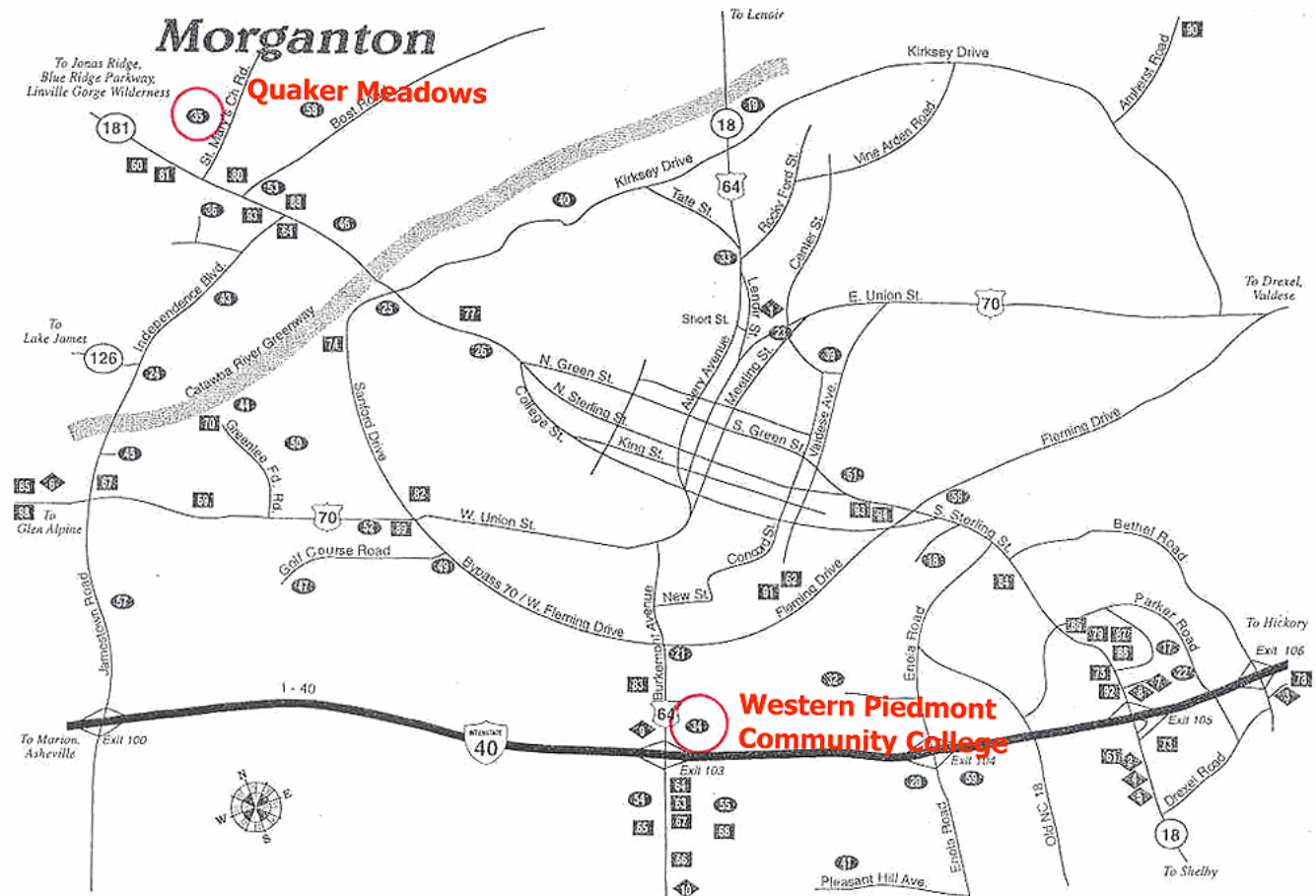
Come and see archaeology displays and exhibits, traditional Native American crafters, primitive technology, slide shows, children's activities, much more. Bring friends and family for a fun-filled day of North Carolina archaeology.

34 = Western Piedmont Community College 35 = Quaker Meadows Plantation

Lodging

The following are all less than three miles away.

- 2 = Holiday Inn (Exit 105) 828-437-0171 (\$53/plus tax)
- 4 = Sleep Inn (Exit 105) 828-433-9000 (\$50.50/plus tax)
- 8 = Hampton Inn (Exit 105) 828-432-2000 (\$55.50/plus tax)
- 9 = Super 8 Motel (Exit 103 across from WPCC) 828-430-8778 (\$55.00/plus tax)
- 10 = Comfort Suites (Exit 103) 828-430-4000 (\$55.50/plus tax)



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| Lodging
◆ Burleson House
◆ Holiday Inn
◆ Rainbow Inn
◆ Sleep Inn
◆ Days Inn
◆ Eagle Motel
◆ Red Carpet Inn
◆ Hampton Inn
◆ Super 8 Motel | ◆ Comfort Suites
◆ College St. Inn/B&B
Points of Interest
◆ Old Courthouse Museum & Visitor's Center
◆ B.C. Chamber of Commerce
◆ Grace Hospital
◆ Broughton Hospital
◆ Grace Ridge
◆ Western Carolina Center | ◆ NC School for the Deaf
◆ Burke County Human Resource Center
◆ Employment Sec. Commission
◆ Freedom High School
◆ U.S. Post Office
◆ Senior Citizen's Center
◆ City Hall
◆ Public Library
◆ Community House | ◆ Public Safety Center
◆ New Courthouse/Tax Office
◆ Burke Co. Sheriff's Dept.
◆ Senator Sam Ervin Homeplace
◆ WPCC & Sen. Sam Ervin Lib.
◆ Quaker Meadows Plantation
◆ Quaker Meadows Cemetery
◆ CoMMA
◆ Jailhouse Gallery
◆ Forest Hills Cemetery | ◆ Ralph Edwards Forestry Cent.
◆ Apple Hill Orchard/Cider Mill
◆ Mimosa Theatre
◆ Freedom Park
◆ Catawba River Greenway Park
◆ Kidds Stuff
◆ Quaker Meadows Golf Course
◆ Mimosa Hills Golf Course & Country Club |
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Activities will take place throughout the day. We have indoor facilities in case of inclement weather. A short business meeting will take place at 9:00_{AM} prior to other scheduled activities. The final schedule for Saturday activities is still being planned but the following events (expect to see more, and visit the NCAS website for updates) will take place during the day:

Slide Programs

The Middle Woodland Biltmore Mound/Habitation Complex site, located on the Biltmore Estate in Asheville (Dr. Larry Kimball, Appalachian State University).

Worlds Collide: 16th Century Spanish and Indian Contact in the North Carolina Piedmont. The Berry site excavation in Burke County; Native American town of Joara and what is believed to be the site of 1567 Spanish Fort San Juan (Dr. David Moore, Warren Wilson College)

Traditional Skills Demonstrations

- Tammy Beane (Collinsville, AL): replicating Native American pottery.
- Larry Beane (Collinsville, AL): flint-knapping and other primitive skills.
- Mark Butler (Charleston, S.C.) exhibiting 14,000 years of replicated Native American tools.

Artifact Identification

Several professional archaeologists will be on hand to identify artifacts. Do you have a piece that you would like identified? Bring it along.

Native American Crafts

- Joel Queen, Cherokee potter
- Driver Pheasant, Cherokee flutes and crafts

Games and Activities

- Pottery making for children
- Chunkey games
- Blowgun shooting

Exhibits

- The Berry Site
- North Carolina Rock Art
- Zooarchaeology
- The Warren Wilson Site
- UNC-CH new research project on Catawba archaeology
- The Town Creek Site
- Cherokee Pottery Workshop
- Native American Stickball
- Lithic Sourcing
- Archaeology on Fort Bragg

Book Sales

Lunch Form to be returned by April 17th

North Carolina Archaeological Society's 2003 Spring Meeting
Western Piedmont Community College, Morganton, Saturday, April 26, 2003

Name(s) as you would like it to appear on nametag (lunch only): _____
I will ___ will not ___ attend the Friday night reception at Quaker Meadows Plantation (free of charge).

Saturday Barbeque plate w/ drink will be \$7.75/adults and \$5.50/children.

_____ @ \$7.75/ea _____ @ \$5.50/ea Total enclosed \$ _____

Mail form with payment to: Dee Nelms, NCAS, 4619 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-4619 or for further information call @ 919/733-7342.

2003 Dues

If you have not already renewed your NCAS membership for 2003, please do so as soon as possible. Your continued support is appreciated.

NCAS Newsletter Publication Schedule

All NCAS members are encouraged to submit articles and news items to Dee Nelms, Associate Editor, for inclusion in the *Newsletter*. Please use the following cut-off dates as guides for your submissions:

Spring Issue	February 28
Summer Issue	May 31
Fall Issue	August 31
Winter Issue	November 30

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