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2002 NCAS Fall Meeting

The fall meeting of the North Carolina
Archaeological Society was hosted by the
Research Laboratories of Archaeology and was
held jointly with the North Carolina
Archaeological Council in the Hanes Art
Auditorium at the University of North Carolina
at Chapel Hill on Saturday, October 19, 2002.
This re-scheduled meeting replaced the planned
Bus Trip to South Carolina, which was
cancelled due to lack of sufficient interest.

The more than 60 members who attended heard four interesting talks on diverse archaeological subjects. The guest speakers were: Dr. Brett Riggs, "Archaeology of the Cherokee Removal;" Dr. Donald Haggis, "Recent Excavations on the Greek Island of Crete;" Dr. John Scarry, "Apalachee Archaeology;" and Dr. Vin Steponaitis, "The Kennewick Decision and Its Implication for the Future of American Archaeology."



2002 Election of Officers

The 2002 Election of Officers was held at the fall business meeting on Saturday, October 19, at the Research Labs of Archaeology, UNC-Chapel Hill.

Linda Stine France and John Mintz replaced Barbara Brooks and Linda Hall as new Board Members. Thank you Barbara and Linda for serving, and welcome Linda and John.

2002 North Carolina State Fair

The archaeology exhibit at the 2002 North Carolina State Fair was a success. The overall attendance for the fair this year was 696,977.

John Mintz with the Office of State Archaeology did a wonderful job designing and setting up the display this year. The theme of this year's exhibit was "The Archaeology of North Carolina: 10,000 years and counting."

Two exhibit cases were used. One featured a projectile point chronology with associated prehistoric ceramics; the other case featured examples of historic ceramics and nails.

I hope some of you had the opportunity to stop by and see the booth.



2003 Spring Meeting

The 2003 North Carolina Archaeological Society spring meeting will be held at Town Creek Indian Mound at Mount Gilead. The date will be announced in the spring newsletter.

Instead of a program of speakers, we will have a program of workshops.

Be sure to check the spring newsletter for all the details.

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 cutoff dates as guides for your submissions:

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