INTO DARKNESS:  
THE ARCHAEOLOGY AND USE OF  
CAVES IN FLORIDA

Please join us on Tuesday, Oct. 13 at the Bowden Building, 120 Church Street, for the October PAS membership meeting.

During one of the UWF field schools summer 2014, students investigated a number of caves in the Marianna area. One of the grad students involved, Gregg Harding, became interested in this for a thesis topic and has since been able to borrow archived collections from other sites from the Bureau of Archaeological Resources collection to further his study of the area’s cave sites.

For thousands of years people have been utilizing caves in the southeastern United States. These caves have been used for shelter, burials, religious ceremonies, and have been mined for natural resources by both prehistoric and historic people. In Florida, caves have produced human remains, cultural materials, and even petroglyphs. Many of these caves still affect our lives through tourism, recreation, and scientific research. This presentation presents an archaeological look at the past and present use of caves in Florida.

Didn’t Get A Newsletter by email???
IF YOU SEE THIS ON LINE AND HAVE NOT RECEIVED A NEWSLETTER, IT IS BECAUSE YOU HAVE EXPIRED.

As of the August issue, those of you who have not renewed for 2015 were dropped from the email/mailing lists. Those who send checks Oct - Dec will be paying their 2016 dues. Send your check to the post office box

WEBSITE FOR PAS
http://pasfl.org
BY THESE HANDS CEMETERY PROJECT—SEPT 17-19

UWF’s Archaeology Institute is pleased to partner with FPAN and John the Baptist Church on a grant project entitled "By These Hands: The Vernacular Markers of Pensacola's Historic African American Cemeteries." Join us on September 17-19 to explore these amazing outdoor museums that feature handmade markers created by local craftsmen and artists, and to learn more about the city's historic cemeteries! PAS is providing refreshments for the Sept. 17 evening lecture. Visit the website or FPAN website for complete info. Make your reservations to participate in as many activities as you can. PAS members are especially encouraged to attend the Friday activities to learn about restoration and participate in hands-on activities.

Like all historic cemeteries, Pensacola's historic African American burial grounds are outdoor museums that reflect cultural attitudes and adaptations. The vernacular markers that dot early 20th-century African American cemeteries in Pensacola are not merely physical marks on the landscape - they have a powerful story to tell about the African American community as a whole. The story of Pensacola's vernacular cemetery markers encompasses individuals, occupations, ideologies, and expressions. Through a series of professional talks and tours and the development of interpretive materials, the story of Pensacola's African American cemeteries will begin to emerge. By bringing this story forward, we will be sharing the story of Pensacola's historic African American cemeteries and we will also be weaving the threads of our story into an expanding tapestry that links us, as Floridians, to a regional, national, and world heritage.

For more detailed information on workshop events, visit the "By These Hands" project site!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

FPAN LAB—Volunteer at the FPAN lab downtown beginning 8/24 from 10 am to 4 pm Mondays and Wednesdays this semester. No experience is necessary.

UWF LAB—The staff at the lab at UWF will be teaching the archaeological lab methods class this semester. For the first 6 weeks of class, students will be learning about and studying for tests about artifact identification. These activities will require most of the lab space. Beginning Oct. 5, the UWF lab will be open for volunteers from 10 am to 2 pm on Mondays. Be sure to stop for a parking pass at the Visitor’s Center.

FAS

PAS is a chapter of the Florida Anthropological Society (FAS). Twenty two members of PAS are also FAS members. You must join FAS individually to receive the journal, The Florida Anthropologist, and the FAS Newsletter. See the FAS website or more information: http://www.fasweb.org

Dues are: Regular and Institutional - $30,
Family - $35, Student - $15 (with copy of current student id).
**Applications are available at PAS membership meetings each month. Join us!
12TH ANNUAL SECRETS OF SANTA ROSA:
ARCHAEOLOGY AND HISTORY IN YOUR BACKYARD

SATURDAYS IN OCTOBER, 11 AM AT ARCADIA MILL ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE

OCT. 3 GHOSTS OF NARVAEZ, De SOTO AND De LUNA: INDIGENOUS PEOPLES & THE FAILED CONQUESTS OF SANTA ROSA IN THE 16TH CENTURY
Dr. Erin Stone, UWF History Department

OCT. 10 HOME IS WHERE THE ARTIFACTS ARE: A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS FROM THE 2015 ARCADIA FIELD SCHOOL SESSION
Katherine Sims, UWF Archaeology Graduate Student

OCT. 17 FROM JAKE’S POINT TO BAYPOINT:
INVESTIGATIONS OF A 19TH CENTURY LUMBER MILL
Zack Cruze, UWF Archaeology Graduate Student

OCT. 24 THE KILLIAN: A NEW DISCOVERY ON THE BLACKWATER
Chris Dvorscak, UWF Archaeology Graduate Student

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LANTERN TOUR OF ARCADIA MILL

Arcadia Mill is excited to host a spooktacular evening of learning by lantern light on Saturday, October 17th at 7 pm (doors open at 6:30 pm). Limited tickets will be available.
Tickets are PRE-SALE ONLY in the Arcadia Visitor's Center or online at historicpensacola.org/arcadia.cfm.
For more information, visit us online or contact us at 850-626-3084.

PAS MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION
Membership in PAS runs from January through December each year. Dues are:
Student—$6 (with student ID)
Individual—$15
Family—$20
Life—$200
PLEASE JOIN US!

SATURDAY
OCTOBER 17
7 PM
-DOORS OPEN AT 6:30 PM-

$5 ADULTS
$4 CHILDREN

TICKET INCLUDES BOARDWALK TOUR, REFRESHMENTS AND KIDS’ ACTIVITY

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Things you need to know:

Sept. 17-19  **BY THESE HANDS**  ACTIVITIES—SEE article P. 2

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GREGG HARDING, UWF Grad Student
7 pm, Bowden Building, 120 Church St.
(Board meeting will be held at 5:30 before the meeting)

OCT. 3, 10, 18  24 SECRETS OF SANTA ROSA SERIES, SEE ARTICLE P. 3
11 AM, SATURDAYS AT ARCADIA MILL ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE

NOV. 10  **BRICKS ON THE BLACKWATER: ARCHAEOLOGY IN PUBLIC EDUCATION**
Jess Hendrix, UWF Grad Student

**MEETING SPACE SEPTEMBER - MARCH COURTESY OF**

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