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PAS MEMBERSHIP VIRTUAL MEETING

TUES, FEB. 8, 7:00 PM

**CLOTILDA:
SEARCH FOR THE LAST AMERICAN SLAVE SHIP**
Joseph Grinnan, SEARCH

We are continuing to meet on Zoom until further notice. Please register ahead of time for this meeting. See the link below.

The membership meeting program this month presents information about the search in the waters near Mobile for the remains of the ship that brought the last slaves to America. Just this week there were media announcements about other programs on the same topic on TV in the near future. Check your local listings for more info.

See you on ZOOM Tuesday. Invite a friend. (continued on page 2)

Register for the February meeting:

<https://bit.ly/3nGL2AzPASFeb2022>

VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT <http://pasfl.org>
AND SEE US ON FACEBOOK.

About our February program and speaker:

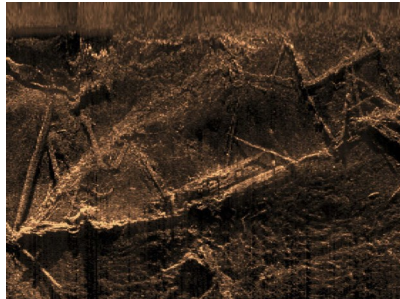
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The schooner *Clotilda* arrived in Mobile Bay in the mid 1800s bringing the last known African slaves to the United States.

Joseph Grinnan from SEARCH, a cultural resource management and archaeological consulting company, will tell us more about this story, what happened to the ship and cargo and the search for the wreck.

Joseph Grinnan graduated from the University of Florida in 2009 and earned his master's degree in Historical Archaeology from UWF in 2013. He now has over a decade of professional archaeological experience and joined SEARCH in 2013. He is responsible for overseeing and conducting submerged remote-sensing survey, diver identification, and data recovery projects, as well as maintaining diver safety. Mr. Grinnan has 14 years professional diving experience, holds a Master Scuba Diver Training rating through Professional Association of Diving Instructors (PADI), SDI Open Water SCUBA Instructor, and American Academy of Underwater Sciences (AAUS) Scientific Diver Instructor. He is also an Eagle Scout. Mr. Grinnan is listed on the Register of Professional Archaeologists (RPA).

(AP photo— sonar image SEARCH)



THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW:

MEETING LINK TO REGISTER FOR FEB 8:

<https://bit.ly/3nGL2AzPASFeb2022>

Meeting links are available on our website, Facebook and in this newsletter. Additionally, the link to register for each presentation will be emailed to PAS members. Advance registration is required to join each meeting. Need more ZOOM INFO - there are tutorials on Zoom.

**2022 PAS SPRING LECTURE SERIES-7 PM
BY Zoom**

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MARCH 8 UWF FIELD SCHOOLS:

SUMMER 2021 RECAP/ SUMMER 2022 PREVIEW

Dr. John Worth and Dr. Ramie Gougeon, UWF Dept of Anthropology

Meghan Mumford, UWF Archaeology Institute

APRIL 12 THE MAROON MARINES:

ARCHAEOLOGY OF PROSPECT BLUFF

Mike Thomin, FPAN

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

FPAN ARCHAEOLOGY LAB– Open BY RESERVATION.

The FPAN Public Archaeology Lab reopened on Tuesday, January 18! Volunteers are welcome each Tuesday and Wednesday from 10:00 am-4:00 pm through May 4, 2022.

They are requiring volunteers to **RSVP ahead of time**. If you would like to RSVP or have more questions, please send an e-mail to northwest@fpan.us with your desired date(s) and time(s) for volunteering. While in the Lab, volunteers are strongly recommended to wear masks, wash their hands frequently, and follow all CDC recommendations.

UWF LAB hopes to reopen toward the end of February! Watch for more info on social media or call. The lab is busy right now with students working on several special projects.

RENEW OR JOIN PAS for 2022 NOW!

Our calendar year is January through December. If you renewed or joined during the fall, you are good for 2022. **Mail** to:

PAS, PO Box 13251, Pensacola, FL 32591 **OR** use **PayPal**

Regular-\$15, Family- \$20, Student-\$6

There is a PayPal link on the PAS website.

ZOOM INTO ARCHAEOLOGY

The current FPAN Northwest newsletter has a whole section of very interesting archaeology lectures you can watch anytime. Go to the website, find the newsletter and click on ZOOM INTO ARCHAEOLOGY. I am amazed at the number of programs!

[FAS ANNUAL MEETING - see website for info](#)

