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ARCHAEOLOGY EXPLAINED

MIKE BALDWIN : An archaeological site is any place where there has been human activity and the result of that activity leaves behind something that can be seen or touched by observers. A crumbling, abandoned house and the litter strewn around it is an archaeological site. A prehistoric campsite marked by stone spear points, burned and broken animal bones, and blackened, ashy soil is also an archaeological site. An Indian mound, an old stone wall, a prehistoric animal carcass that was butchered by ancient hunters, and an unmarked pioneer or Native American cemetery are also archaeological sites. Even an abandoned nuclear missile silo is an archaeological site. These places are the physical remains of human lifeways.

Sometimes archaeological sites have features that are easily seen where they protrude above the ground – like a pile of old bricks where a chimney has fallen down, an earthen mound built by prehistoric people, or an elevated ridge running through the woods that is an old road bed or rail tramway. Usually it is only discolored soil and the artifacts,



like stone tools, old nails and pieces of dishes, charred rocks and broken bits of animal bone that tell where a site exists. In plowed fields artifacts may be easy to find. In forested areas this evidence is often buried by leaves, brambles, and topsoil, and it takes special methods of searching to locate the indications of past activities of settlements.

There is no place in our area where archaeological sites cannot be found. Natural forces like erosion have destroyed many of these sites, and there are many sites which may not even be noticed by the casual observer. All archaeological sites are, by their nature, time capsules, revealing the secrets and telling the story of how people lived in times past.

Once a site has been destroyed, the story it has to tell has been lost forever. A site may be destroyed by farming, by construction or simply by vandalism (people digging up artifacts and taking them home as souvenirs). Once artifacts have been removed from the original site, much of the information they can provide has been lost, like ripping the pages from a valuable book.

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PRESIDENT'S CORNER



W.C. MCDANIEL :
November has two important upcoming events for MAGS' members. Thanksgiving and the launch of the holiday shopping season are not either one of them.

First, we launch our membership renewals for 2007. You are encouraged to renew as soon as possible, Remember dues are the primary source of income for the club's general fund. The general fund pays for our facility rental, newspaper production and mailing, federation dues, memorials and club events such as the Christmas party and display prizes. Please remember our dues have remained the same for many years and MAGS absorbed a hundred percent increase in our facility rental in early 2006. So please renew.

At our November membership meeting we will be electing officers for the 2007-2008. A slate of nominated officers was announced at the last membership meeting. Show your support for the hard work of the nominating committee and for those club members who are willing to commit to serve as an officer by attending and participating in the election process.

Our last field trip of the year will be to collect crystals in the Hot Springs, Ark area. Complete details for the November 18th trip will be available at the November membership meeting. Also at the November meeting we will have our last auction of the year, material donated to the club by Dr. Young.

-- *W.C. McDaniel*

2006-07 Dates To Remember

	Board Meeting	Membership Meeting	Due Date For Newsletter Articles
November	02	10	Oct 23
December	11/30	08	Nov 20
January	04	12	Dec 23
February	01	09	Jan 22

ANNOUNCEMENTS



2007 MEMBERSHIP DUES

Renewal time for your 2007 dues has arrived. Dues are the primary source of the club/s general fund. Please pay your dues at the membership meeting or mail your payment to the Club treasurer.

AUCTION

Dr. Joe Young's donated material will be auctioned off at the November meeting. Who knows, there may be great Christmas gift among those items?

PTERO AWARD

On November 18 MAGS will receive the Ptero award in Nashville. Mike Baldwin will attend and accept on behalf of MAGS. The award is presented by the Tennessee Earth Science teachers (TEST).

MAGS NOVEMBER FIELD TRIP

The MAGS November Field Trip will take place on November 18th to the Quartz Mine of Ron Coleman located in Hot Springs Village, Arkansas. The meeting point will be at 8:00 a.m. in front of the gift shop. More information regarding this trip will be provided by Lou White, our Field Trip Director, at the November Membership Meeting.

November Roadcut

W.C. MCDANIEL : November takes a look at amber by reprinting an article that appeared on the web site of the Park Hills, Mo. rock club:

AGES of AMBERS

Author Unknown

Amber has long been appreciated and traded by the Syrians, Phoenicians, and even the Vikings. The Greeks believed it was solidified sunshine, considered it a precious stone, a jewel, but called it 'Elektron' for its ability to attract bits of material if rubbed on cloth. Nero, Emperor of Rome, sent expeditions to buy Baltic amber, to cut as gemstones or to powder for medicines to treat inflammations and muscle spasms.

Amber is a polymerized compound of hydrogen, oxygen, and carbon and contains varying ratios of succinic acid, several resins, and brown volatile oil (amber oil). Polymerization is the process wherein the molecules of sticky resin are linked into larger molecules. Amber has a hardness of 2, a specific gravity of 1, and can be melted at 100 degrees C. It can be cooked down to black colophony or amber pitch. Amber varies in color, being found in blue, red, black, green, and honey colored.

Pinus succinifera, the trees which produced amber resin, existed through the Miocene Age, but not all amber is the same age:

- Bavarian -225 million years old
- Lebanese- 115 to 135 million years old
- Siberian 80 to 115 million years old
- British Columbia -100 million years old
- New Jersey- 90 million years old
- Alaskan - 80 million years old
- Canadian -70 to 80 million years old
- Arkansas- 60 million years old
- Baltic-40 million years old
- Dominican Republic 25 to 40 million years old

From Hound's Howl Feb. 2003 via Rocky Echoes. Oct 2004; The Shin-Skinner News 6-'05, ChatBox (date not recorded)

ARCHAEOLOGY EXPLAINED *(continued from front page)*



In many instances, archaeological sites are destroyed by accident because they are in the path of a construction project, or they are considered to be unimportant. Often, significant information in archaeological sites can be rescued before the site is destroyed, or a construction project can be modified to preserve the site. Different sites are important for different reasons. To archaeologists and other scientists, certain kinds of undisturbed deposits and artifacts can provide answers to important questions about human history, prehistoric lifeways, ancient environments and other topics. Modern Native American tribal members view some sites as important ancestral settlements, cemeteries or other religious places. The rarity of some sites provide a connection to significant historical figures or events.

You can help preserve archaeological sites by reporting possible sites to your state's archaeological survey office. All site information is confidential so site owners won't be bothered with trespassers, and the sites themselves won't be damaged or destroyed by vandals. State archaeological offices survey the state to identify and record archaeological sites; excavate prehistoric and historic sites; protect and preserve those sites; conduct research and encourage public cooperation and responsibility for site reservation; publish archaeological findings in scientific and popular formats; and work with other state agencies in the protection and management of archaeological sites on state lands. Here are a few tips for reporting an archaeological site.

[01] Join an archaeological society, such as the Memphis Archaeological and Geological Society, to learn more about archaeology and how to record sites.

[02] If you find an archaeological site on state or Federal property, report it to the agency manager or archaeologist. Taking anything from these sites is unlawful.

[03] Always ask permission of a landowner before visiting an archaeological site on private property.

[04] Never take anything off a site or disturb it in any way unless the landowner has given permission and you know how to keep a record of what is removed.

[05] Never dig in an archaeological site. Digging disturbs evidence and destroys part of the scientific value of a site and the objects in it.

[06] Never dig in or disturb cemeteries, either marked or unmarked. Deliberate disturbance of any human grave without proper permits is unlawful.

Contact information for state archaeological offices in Arkansas, Mississippi and Tennessee:

Arkansas Archaeological Survey
2475 North Hatch Avenue
Fayetteville, AR 72704-5099

Phone: 501-575-3556

Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation Division of Archaeology
1216 Foster Avenue
Nashville, TN 37210

Phone: 615-741-1588

Mississippi Department of Archives and History
200 North Street
Jackson, MS 39201

Phone: 601-576-6850

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November Birthdays



- 1 W. C. McDaniel
- 6 Gwen Lum
- 9 Michael Herren
- 10 Leisa Law
- 10 Docia Lenz
- 15 Megan Givens
- 16 Briana Burns
- 16 Abbey Randolph
- 17 Logan Pulley
- 17 Edward Lindsey Rucks
- 17 Ed Wagner
- 18 Cathie Jacobs
- 18 David McIlwain
- 19 Chris Chrisman**
- 19 Nina Riding
- 20 Simon Laulederkind
- 20 Lane Tutor
- 21 Celeste Long
- 22 Melba Cole**
- 23 Shirley Ruth Chrisman**
- 24 Rena Everett
- 26 David Shankman
- 28 Alan Parks
- 30 Robert Neill
- 30 Alexa Kaitlin Ouellette

*Lifetime Members in bold type

Topaz

Topaz comes in an assortment of colors, the most precious of which are golden yellow and pink. The gems are found in Russia and in parts of North and South America, Europe, Africa and Asia. Because it can be clear, blue, pink or yellow, topaz has often been confused with other stones. Its name is associated with a Greek island on which it was first discovered.

Golden topaz stones, which highlight the mellow colors of autumn, are very rare and expensive. Like many other gems, the topaz, called by ancients the "stone of strength," was considered a cure of many ailments. It was even thought to five off light in the darkness.

If you were born in November, you are lucky to have a birthstone with such a variety of colors. And those who possess the topaz are said to be cheerful, intelligent, friendly and to live long lives.

Happy Thanksgiving!



**MAGS is very happy to announce
the following new members!**

**Mike Smothers
Frank & Gayden Schwartz
Lloyd & Betty Marler
Evelyn Carrico
William & Janet Huettel
Nelson Eddlemon
Bonnie Brooks
Kenneth & Hillary Pulley
Alan Robert & Mary Jo Peterson**

Web Site Statistics for October 2006

MIKE BALDWIN : Here's a brief look at our web site,
www.memphisgeology.org, from 01/21/2002 through 10/21/2006:

Visits	: 164,935	Top pages in the past 30 days:	
Hits	: 612,308	home page :	750 hits
Average visits/day		explorer0604.pdf :	589 hits
(past 30 days) :	189	argon2003.pdf :	483 hits
Average hits/day		rocknews0906.pdf :	428 hits
(past 30 days) :	618	rocknews1006.pdf :	405 hits
		explorer0403.pdf :	262 hits

(A visit is every time someone comes to our web site. A hit is every page viewed once a user enters our web site.)

November DMC Field Trip

The DMC Program of the SFMS Field Trip Committee Presents An Official Field Trip of: the Aiken Gem & Mineral Society (HOST) and the Memphis Archaeological and Geological Society

**9:00 am , Saturday, November 4, 2006
Graves Mountain, Lincoln County, GA**

Collecting: Rutile, lazulite, kyanite, prophyllite, goethite/hematite (iridescent), pyrite, muscovite, and ilmenite. For micro collectors, barite, cacoxenite, candallite, gypsum, phosphosiderite, strengite, variscite, wavellite and woodhousesite can be found.

DIRECTIONS: Exit I-20 for Washington, GA SR 78 (SR 10, SR 17). Travel north to Washington, turn right onto SR 378 and drive 11 miles to the Graves Mountain area. The entrance to Graves Mountain is on your right about 8/10 mile past the Lincoln county line. From Lincolnton, Ga., travel east on SR 378 and the entrance to Graves Mountain will be on your left about 5 miles from Lincolnton.

Food and Drinks: Bring your own as there is nothing available at Graves Mountain.

Meeting Location: Entrance to Graves Mountain.

Fees: A donation of \$5.00 per person is recommended. Donation will be collected when your liability release form is filled out.

Equipment: A transport cart, buckets, backpack, 8-lb sledge, 2-4 lb crack hammer, rock hammer, pry bar, shovel chisels, SAFETY EYEWEAR, and gloves. Hard hat required if you plan to work adjacent to the high wall areas.

Children and Pets: Children 12 years and older can participate but must be supervised by a parent or guardian. Pets must be kept under control by owner.

Special Conditions: **Ladders or power tools of any kind are not allowed. (Hand tools only!) Stay away from edge of all high walls. No repelling off anything. No one is allowed to drive their vehicle beyond the parking area. Everyone to be off the mountain by dusk.**

Lodging: The Cullars Inn in Lincolnton, Ga. Tel. (706) 359-6161.

Camping: Elijah Clark State Park – approximately 6 miles east of Lincolnton on Hwy SR 378. Reservations (770) 389-7275 or 1-800-864-7275. Park Office (706) 359-3458.

Contact: Jim Stoops Tel. (706) 860-4608, Email: jirout_2@hotmail.com

Field trips are open to all members of associated clubs of the DMC program of the SFMS Field Trip Committee and to all members of SFMS member clubs who have provided their membership with SFMS liability insurance. Because of insurance requirements, members of the GENERAL PUBLIC are NOT invited on this or any DMC program field trips!

DMC Program/SFMS Field Trip committee's purpose: To collect field trip information from its member societies, schedule and coordinate field trip dates, disseminate field trip information to all member clubs so that each member society may publish this information as one of the "official" scheduled field trips.

2006 SFMS Shows

November 4-5, 2006, Ft. Pierce, FL
St. Lucie County Rock & Gem Club.
Rock and Gem Show
St. Lucie County Fairgrounds, Midway Rd.
Hours: 4th & 5th, 10:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.
Contacts: Dealer Chairman, Dennis Ponte
at 772.288.3296 or
dennisponte@msn.com and Show
Chairman, Norm Holbert at
772.873.0787 or
normholbert@bellsouth.net.



November 10-12, 2006, Pascagoula, MS
Mississippi Gulf Coast Gem & Mineral
Society 17th Annual Magnolia State Gem,
Mineral, & Jewelry Show.
Jackson County Fairgrounds.
Hours 10:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.
Contact: John M. Wright,
228.875.9192 or osjw@datasync.com.



November 17-19, 2006, Marietta, GA
Cobb County Gem & Mineral Society
21st Annual Gem & Mineral Show
Cobb Civic Center, 548 South Marietta
Parkway.
Hours: 17th & 18th, 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
and 19th, 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Contact: Mary Ingram at 770.427.1108,
www.cobbcountymineral.org/event.html
or mimgram@mindspring.com.

“The Show 500” in 2007

W.C. MCDANIEL This is a year long program to collect rocks and fossils for the gem dig and grab bags for the **28th annual Mid-America Mineral, Fossil Jewelry Show which will take place April 28 and 29, 2007.** In addition to rocks and minerals, cloth material will be collected to make the grab bags and volunteers will be needed to sew the 500 bags. Each month a targeted donation has been identified. Bring your donations and contributions to the membership meeting according to the schedule shown below:

November	:	Fossils and geodes
Dec	:	Your choice
January	:	Quartz from any locality
February	:	Miscellaneous minerals
March	:	Fossils and tumbled stones
April	:	To be determined based on necessity

GIGANTIC MONSTER FOSSIL DISCOVERED

SHELBY HARTMAN : A fossil of a "Monster" fish-like reptile has been found by scientists off Norway in a 150 million-year-old Jurassic graveyard on an Arctic island. The researchers discovered remains of a total of 28 plesiosaurs and ichthyosaurs -- top marine predators when dinosaurs dominated on land -- at a site on the island of Spitsbergen, about 800 miles from the North Pole. "One of them was this gigantic monster, with vertebrae the size of dinner plates and teeth the size of cucumbers," Joern Hurum, an assistant professor at the University of Oslo, explained. "We believe the skeleton is intact and that it's about 33 feet long," he said of the pliosaur, a type of plesiosaur with a short neck and massive skull. The team dubbed the specimen "The Monster." Such pliosaurus are known from remains in countries including Britain and Argentina but no complete skeleton has been found, he said. The skull of the pliosaur was among the biggest on record. Scientists will return next year to try to excavate the entire fossil, buried on a hillside.



Plesiosaurs, which swam with two sets of flippers, often preyed on smaller dolphin-like ichthyosaurs. All went extinct when the dinosaurs vanished 65 million years ago. The scientists rated the fossil graveyard "one of the most important new sites for marine reptiles to have been discovered in the last several decades."



"It is rare to find so many fossils in the same place -- carcasses are food for other animals and usually get torn apart," Hurum said. Hurum reckoned the reptiles had not all died at the same time in some Jurassic-era cataclysm but had died over thousands of years in the same area, then became preserved in what was apparently a deep layer of black mud on the seabed. At that time, the area of Spitsbergen was underwater several hundred miles further south, around the latitude of Anchorage or Oslo. Hurum said the presence of fossils was also an interesting pointer for geologists hunting for oil and gas deposits in the Barents Sea to the east. "A skull we found even smells of petrol," he said.

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September 2006 Board Meeting Minutes

SUSAN THOM : The MAGS board of directors met August 31, 2006 at the Blue Plate Café, 5469 Poplar Avenue. The following were present: Mike Baldwin, James Butchko, Nancy Folden, Shelby Hartman, Idajean Jordan, Sherida Helms, Cornelia and W.C. McDaniel, Park & Terri Noyes, Raynee Randolph, Susan Thom and Lou White. The secretary's minutes from the August board and general meetings were accepted and approved with the following correction: under (5) Junior Program – Matthew Huber is a geology student. The following reports were given: (1) Treasurer report presented by Cornelia McDaniel: The financial report was given, motion made, seconded, and the vote carried the motion to approve report subject to audit. (2) Field trips report presented by Lou White: The field trip is to Crowley's Ridge on September 9 to collect selenite, sharks teeth and fossils. Paul Sides will guide group to several locations one of which is new for the club. October 21, club will collect at Vulcan Quarry. Our November 18 field trip is to Hot Springs looking for quartz. (3) Adult Program presented by Idajean Jordan: Paul Sides will give insight on field trip Sept. 9. Also a video on a fieldtrip to the Philadelphia mine filmed by Dr. Jim Cole will be shown. In October or November, Dr. Pat Podzorski of the Egyptian Institute at the University of Memphis will present a program on fossils and minerals of ancient Egypt. On the other month a representative from Barden Stone will speak. (4) Juniors Program presented by Raynee Randolph: The Juniors will have a program on mining equipment. David Helms will borrow Geiger counter from his work to show group. In November the Juniors will have their own Christmas party, and in December they will join in with the adults for the present swap/potluck Christmas party. (5) Library report presented by Nancy Folden : No report.

(6) Editor/Web report presented by Mike Baldwin & Shelby Hartman: Mike says Shelby is doing a wonderful job on the newsletter. Shelby asks that the contributors submit information as soon as possible instead of at schedule deadline. The numbers on Web visits is down, but the visitors that come are reading more pages – hits are up! (7) Historian report : No report (8) Sunshine report : Rena Everett is improving and doing well. (9) Membership report presented by Cornelia McDaniel : Three new applications were approved – Nelson Eddlemon, William Widdle and Bonnie Brooks. Motion to extend applications through December 2007 was seconded and the vote carried the motion. (10) Rock Swap report presented by Lou White : Rock Swap is September 10 from 4-7pm. October 21st our fish fry/rock swap will be at Alan Park's home Bring a shoebox of rocks and your favorite side dish or dessert! (11) Show report presented by James Butchko : No updates. First meeting on Thursday night around end of September and beginning of October. Park Noyes will audit books from last show. (11) Old business: (a) Introductory Rock Collection Kits will be purchased for use in the Roger Van Cleef Educational Program. (b) Changes to Standing Rules and procedures, MAGS financial accounts, 2006 are as follows: 1) Under All Accounts – 9 No standing rules for any accounts shall conflict with any by-laws. 14 The combined balance of the club checking account and regular savings account shall not drop below 50% of the average annual Club expenses (including the Show) of the last two respective fiscal years. 2) Under Club savings accounts -- *All monies in the MAGS Facility Development Fund shall be maintained in certificate of deposits. Nancy Folden made a motion to adopt Standing Rules and procedures, MAGS Financial Accounts 2006 as corrected effective immediately tonight. The motion was seconded, and the vote carried the motion. Nancy commended the financial accounts committee members for their good work --

James Butchko, Don Richardson, Randa Spears, and Nancy Folden (chaired). 3) Secretary needs to bring minutes showing Bylaws changes have been approved to next meeting. (12) New Business: 1) Telephone/email votes from board members were used to approve rental of temporary storage facility for David McIlwain donation. There is lots of material for grab bags, gem dig and for sale, as well as some equipment. No one has had time to sort through it yet. David McAlister helped in the move. 2) Old Sharp TV in storage – need to sell or give to charity. Meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

September 2006 Membership Meeting Minutes

SUSAN THOM : The MAGS membership meeting was held at Shady Grove Presbyterian Church on September 8, 2006 presided by Lou White. There were 57 members and 3 visitors – Neville Mayfield, Sara Rayne and Ben McDaniel. 1) Welcome to visitors and new members. 2) Our sympathies go out to W.C. and Cornelia on the loss of WC's brother-in-law. 3) The trip to Crowley's Ridge near Marion, AR is tomorrow, September 9. Take old shoes or boots, buckets, newspapers, butcher knife/machete, large screwdriver, etc. for hunting. Saturday, October 14 should be Vulcan Quarry (we need to check with Quarry staff). 4) Rock swap at Lou White's home is this Sunday from 4-7 p.m. 5) Alan Parks, chair for nominating committee, recognized other committee members – Raynee Randolph and Susan Thom. He requested the each club member seriously consider a position on the MAGS board. Committee must have slate of officers to present to membership at October meeting to vote on in November. 6) Rock Swap/Fish Fry at Alan Parks' is October 21, last swap of the year. Date change probably. 7) Moving and Sale Day, September 30th (David McIlwain's donation to

club – We'll be moving everything not sold at the sale to our old storage facility. What is not sold, must be moved. To participate in the sale you must help with the move. 8) Show 500 project (Gem Show grab bags) – bring your tumbled stones and petrified wood to the next membership meeting. Anyone who can sew bags, please pick up material to sew. 9) Our new Financial procedures and plans have been adopted by the board. 10) Thanks to Marvin Nutt (book) and Ron Brister (dissertation) for donation to our library. 11) Adult Program given by Paul Sides who will lead group to Crowley's Ridge field trip tomorrow. Also, a video taken by Dr. Jim Cole of a Philadelphia mine (zinc mine now closed) off Buffalo River was enjoyed. We recognized some older (meaning long time) members of the club. 12) Youth Program is on mining equipment. 13) Adult Display participants were Carole Lybanon (winner) and Lou White 14) No Youth displays. 15) Door Prize Winner was Karen Schaeffer. 16) Silent auction and sale. Meeting adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

The main purpose of Memphis Archaeological and Geological Society is to promote and advance the knowledge of the Lapidary Sciences in the mining, identification, cutting, polishing and mounting of gems, minerals and fossils to the utmost of our geological and lapidary capabilities.

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SFMS NEWSLETTER AWARDS: New Editor 1st—86; 2nd—88, 97 • New Editor (Explorer) 4th—03 • Certificate of Excellence—89, 90, 91, 92, 93 • Large Bulletin 1st—87 • Small Bulletin 1st—04, 4th—03 • Special Publication 2nd—03 • Art 77, 80, 81, 82, 86 • Junior Article 1st—03 • Adult Article 2nd— 89, 90, 04; 3rd—92; 4th—85, 04; 5th—91, 03; 6th—87; 8th—04; Honorable Mention—03, 04

DUES: \$20 (Family); \$16 (Single); \$8 (Junior)

NOVEMBER 2006

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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26	27	28	29	30		

Nov 2, 2006 6:30 p.m. Board Meeting - Blue Plate Café, 5469 Poplar Ave.

Nov 4, 2006 9:00 a.m. DMC Field Trip, Lincoln County, GA

Nov 10, 2006 7:30 p.m. Membership Meeting - Shady Grove Presbyterian Church
5535 Shady Grove Rd.

Nov 18, 2006 8:00 a.m. MAGS Nov. Field Trip, Ron Coleman's Quartz Mine,
Hot Springs Village, AR



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