



CONNECTICUT ARCHAEOLOGY FAIR

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8TH, 2022

10AM TO 4PM

AT OLD NEW-GATE PRISON

115 NEWGATE ROAD, EAST GRANBY, CT

Come celebrate Archaeology Awareness Month with the Connecticut Archaeology community!

This family-friendly event will include games, exhibits, and other activities set up around the historic prison yard.

In addition, local professional archaeologists will be giving talks throughout the day about archaeology in our state.

This event is free and open to the public.

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CONNECTICUT OFFICE OF STATE ARCHAEOLOGY,
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List of Speakers:

10:15am to 11am: Stephanie Scialo
The Quenneville Collection: Evidence for Paleoindian Activity along the Konkapot River in Southern New England

Stephanie Scialo is a PhD student at the University of Connecticut and a Research Associate with the Institute for American Indian Studies. She has worked in Connecticut with cultural resource management firm Archaeological and Historical Services since 2016.

11am to 11:45am: Elizabeth Reed
Woodruff Cave faunal collection reanalysis with the Institute for American Indian Studies

Elizabeth Reed is a Research Associate with the Institute of American Indian Studies and a Project Archaeologist with Archaeological and Historical Services. She received degrees in anthropology and human evolutionary archaeology from McGill University and University College Cork, and her main research interests include osteology and the zooarchaeology of prehistoric New England.

Lunch Break

1:15pm to 2pm: Nicholas Bellantoni
"And So The Tomb Remained"

Dr. Nicholas C. Bellantoni serves as the State Archaeologist emeritus with the Connecticut State Museum of Natural History at the University of Connecticut where he received his doctorate in anthropology. He also serves as an Adjunct Associate Research Professor in the Department of Anthropology at UConn and is a former president of the Archaeological Society of Connecticut and the National Association of State Archaeologists.

List of Speakers:

2pm to 2:45pm: Kenny Feder
The "sinister atmosphere of forgotten nations:" Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's use of archaeological landscapes in the Sherlock Holmes canon

Dr. Feder is professor emeritus (Anthropology) at Central Connecticut State University in New Britain, Connecticut and received his doctorate in anthropology from UConn. His primary research interests include the archaeology of the native peoples of New England, and the analysis of public perceptions about the human past.

3pm to 3:45pm: A Summary of Connecticut Field Schools

Mohegan Archaeological Field School: presented by Jay Levy of the Mohegan Tribal Historic Preservation Office

Contact Period and Battlefield Archaeology Field School: presented by Kevin McBride of the University of Connecticut

Whitfield House State Museum Field School: presented by William Farley of Southern Connecticut State University