

East Central Region
Florida Public Archaeology
Network

Quarterly Report
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Executive Summary

The first three months at our new host, the Florida Historical Society, has been a productive period. We have settled into our offices, have our computers fully functional, and have already held three very successful events here at the Library. Our activities and events are listed below.

The activities for the last quarter are as follows:

Type of Activity/Event	# of Events/Presentations/Activities	Attendees #
Public Presentations	5	107
Public Events	4	626
Professional Presentations (conferences, etc)	3	140
Professional Events attended (conferences, etc)	3	
Adult Training/Workshops	0	
School/Youth Programs/Workshops	15	1,053
Radio/TV Presentations/Interviews	2	
Volunteer Programs	0	
Meetings attended – Government, Schools, Administration	22	128
Printed Articles – Magazine, Newspaper	1	700
Printed Media produced – Brochures, Booklets, Guides, Maps	3	2,022
Electronic Media produced– Blog, Podcasts, Mass Emails	7	2,612
Major Publications – Book, Chapter, Journal Article	1	
TOTAL	66	7,388

Public Outreach

Public Lectures

- South Brevard Historic Society – 45 Attendees
- In the Dirt Lecture – 43 Attendees
- Rossetter House GPR Survey Event – 65 Attendees
- Mim's Library – 9 Attendees
- Florida Historic Society Annual Mtg – 35 Attendees
- Cocoa Library – 15 Attendees

Youth Event/Presentation

- Lagoon Days – 135 Attendees
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- Lake Silver Elementary Career Day – 105 Attendees
- Theodore Roosevelt Elementary – 23 Attendees
- Saturn Elementary – 300 Attendees
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- Flora Ridge Elementary – 20 Attendees
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- UNF Field school Visit – 15 Attendees
- Oxbow Center Summer Camp – 20 Attendees
- Erna Nixon Park Summer Camp – 25 Attendees

Aiding/Advising Local Governments

Orange County

- Assisting city of Eatonville in updating historic pres ordinances
- Assisting Oakland Nature Preserve in public fieldwork
- Participate in Central Florida Archaeological Society meetings

Brevard County

- Brevard County Historical Commission – Dr. Wentz serves on board
- Article on update of FPAN's East Central Region, 3 years later
- Assisting historic site nomination for Moore site

Martin County

- Organized HADS Training at House of Refuge for November 9, 2010
- Organized Lecture Series with Martin Co Library, Spring 2011
- Email distribution of new lecture series, teacher training, archaeology camps, and in-class activities for schools

Seminole County

- Site visit – Sanford Museum
- Site visit – Central Florida Zoo
- Site visit – Sanford Student Museum
- Email distribution of new lecture series, teacher training, archaeology camps, and in-class activities for schools

Osceola County

- Native American Festival
- Organizing fall lecture series, Osceola County Library
- Organized summer camp participation, Osc Co Historic Museum
- Email distribution of new lecture series, teacher training, archaeology camps, and in-class activities for schools

Indian River County

- Participated in 3 Lagoon Days, Environmental Learning Center
- Email distribution of new lecture series, teacher training, archaeology camps, and in-class activities for schools

Okeechobee County

- Site visit, Okeechobee Chamber of Commerce
- Site visit, Okeechobee Main Street
- Arranged participation in Okeechobee festival for July
- Email distribution of new lecture series, teacher training, archaeology camps, and in-class activities for schools

St Lucie County

- Participated in 2 Oxbow Nature Center summer camps
- Site visit, St Lucie County Historic Museum
- Site visit, Ft. Pierce Library
- Email distribution of new lecture series, teacher training, archaeology camps, and in-class activities for schools

Assisting DHR

Working with Jeff Moates and Kevin Porter to develop course on Florida burial laws and NAGPRA

Developing archaeology information card – currently at the printer

Florida Archaeological Council

- Dr. Wentz serves as board member and will be in charge of new memberships as of May 2010

Future Events

Our summer film series is underway and we have had good attendance thus far. We will be holding our first joint summer camp with FHS, at the historic Rossetter House in Melbourne. The camp will focus on Florida prehistory and history and we will be joined by Joseph Adams, an educator at Fort Christmas who will be teaching the kids about Florida Cracker culture.

Our fall “In the Dirt” lecture series has been scheduled, which will feature lectures by me, Gregg, Sarah Miller, and Steve Archer. This will be first time Sarah and Steve will participate in our series and we are looking forward to having new presenters with new topics.