This month we have been focused on sharing— from our exploration of ethnographic photos to our work with NAGPRA… and even an exciting loan to The Smithsonian!!

Read our various posts to learn more!

Beyond NAGPRA/Not NAGPRA
Contributed by Ryan Wheeler

This paper was published in the special issue “Indigenous Collections: Belongings, Decolonization, Contextualization” of Collections: A Journal for Museum and Archives Professionals, 2022, Vol. 18(1):8-17. We’ve reproduced the pre-press version here with pagination for those who do not have access to SAGE publications.

Loan to the Molina Family Latino Gallery
Contributed by Marla Taylor

Did you know that the Smithsonian is opening a new gallery—the Molina Family Latino Gallery of the National Museum of the American Latino—dedicated to highlighting Latino contributions to the United States? Read on to learn more about this gallery and one item from the Peabody’s collection that will be displayed in the inaugural exhibition!

Understanding Ethnographic Photographs
Contributed by Deirdre Hutchison

Meet Friend of the Peabody, Deirdre, as she explores the Peabody’s archives and photograph collections. Learn more about her project—identifying ethnographic photographs and how these images link back to Warren K. Moorehead and the Peabody.

Diggin’ In: Peabody and MAS Digital Lecture Series
SEASON 4
Upcoming Episode Dates:
Episode 8 - May 4th
Episode 9 - May 18th
This series showcases live presentations with archaeologists from across the United States who will take questions directly from you! Different topics will be covered during each 30-minute episode, which start live at 1:30 pm (EST) every other Wednesday and will be posted to YouTube afterwards.

Sign up for Season 4 at our registration site here!

Massachusetts Archaeological Society Monthly Meeting
Tuesday, May 17, 2022
7:00 PM
Robert S. Peabody Institute of Archaeology
Monthly meeting of the NE/Gene Winter Chapter of the Massachusetts Archaeological Society held at the Robert S. Peabody Institute of Archaeology. This meeting is in-person and will be open and free to the public.

More details can be found on the MAS website and Facebook page.

Check out our past MAS meeting episodes here!

Upcoming Events

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Between 1954 and 1977, the Society for the Propagation of Japanese Cherry Trees planted more than 100 cherry trees on Phillips Academy’s campus. Today, many of these cherry trees still exist and Andover welcomes the Spring season with the blossoming of these cherry trees on campus. Fourteen of these ornamental cherry trees grow right behind the Peabody, along Phillips Street.

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