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THE ROBERT S. PEABODY INSTITUTE OF ARCHAEOLOGY

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On the Cover

Archaeology Building, Andover, MA, 1904.

The Peabody celebrated its 121st Founder's Day on March 21, 2022. In 1901, The Peabody (known at the time as the Department of Archaeology) was established by the Trustees of Phillips Academy through an anonymous donor, now known as our namesake, Robert S. Peabody (Class of 1857). Check out this original article of the announcement from the Phillipian Archives (Page 1, Column 1), the student newspaper of Phillips Academy still in operation today.

Welcome to this month's Peabody Institute newsletter! Read further for more on videogame archaeology and the musical history of one very unusual object. Don't forget to mark your



calendars for PA Giving Day on March 30th and keep an eye on social media for special "takeovers" by students and supporters.

Save the Date! PA Giving Day Begins March 30, 2022!

Contributed by Emma Lavoie

Mark your calendars! PA Giving Day begins Wednesday, March 30, 2022! This year, the PA Giving Day event will run from Wednesday, March 30, 9 a.m. to Thursday, March 31, 12 p.m. EDT. Read on to learn more!

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Video Game Archaeology



Contributed by Lindsay Randall

What can video games teach us about Archaeology? Meet Dr. Bill Farley and learn more about how he uses his archaeological training to explore the vast world of video games!

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An Unusual Item



Contributed by John Bergman-McCool

Recently, an unusual item was found while processing one of our adopted drawers. Read on for more about what was discovered and learn about our Adopt-A-Drawer Program.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Diggin' In: Peabody and MAS Digital Lecture Series



SEASON 4

Upcoming Episode Dates:

Episode 6 - April 6th

Episode 7 - April 20th

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!

EVENT INFO

Massachusetts Archaeological Society Monthly Meeting via Zoom

Tuesday, April 19, 2021

7:00 PM

Online via Zoom

Monthly meeting of the NE/Gene Winter Chapter of the Massachusetts Archaeological Society via ZOOM. Registration will be required to obtain a link to the meeting. An email with speaker details and registration instructions will be sent approximately one week before the meeting. This meeting is 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!

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TRENDING NOW

• PA Giving Day begins March 30th! Learn more about PA Giving Day here!

• Support the Peabody this PA Giving Day and give early here! Please be sure to select the Robert S. Peabody Institute under the "designation" section. Any gift made in advance of the event will count toward PA Giving Day totals.

• The Peabody Inventory Completion was featured in The Andovers Magazine. Check out our story on Page 50 here!

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