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## On the Cover

*Detail of Huron birch bark basket, Quebec*

*Photograph by Gil Talbot*

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*The Ethnographic Research Collection complements the archaeological collections and is used extensively in support of the museum's teaching mission. The North American Indian basketry collection includes 350 pieces representing groups from every major culture area and ranging in date from the early 19th century to the present. This image is one section of a Huron birch bark tray basket from Quebec, Canada. The birch bark is embellished with pictures of figures smoking pipes, embroidered in moose hair.*

*The Peabody is pleased to kick off the new year with the digital publication of our annual report. And if our partnerships and*



*outreach this month are anything to go by, 2022 will be an amazing year for us!*

## Annual Report 2020-2021

Contributed by Emma Lavoie

The Peabody's annual report for academic year 2020-2021 has just been released! Check it out here!



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## Social Justice for Younger Students

Contributed by Lindsay Randall

An important part of the Peabody's educational mission is to support the expansion of archaeology-centered teaching into new areas. Read on to learn more about a new opportunity for the Peabody.



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## Reconnecting with Old Friends

Contributed by Marla Taylor

This month the Peabody hosted a special school group visit from Cape Cod Academy and welcomed back a PA alum who has been a part of the Peabody's extended family for nearly 13 years! Read on for



more!

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Diggin' In: Peabody and MAS Digital Lecture Series



#### SEASON 4

[Upcoming Episode Dates:](#)

Season 4, Episode 2 - February 9, 2022

Season 4, Episode 3 - February 23, 2022

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 new registration site [here!](#)

[EVENT INFO](#)

### Massachusetts Archaeological Society Monthly Meeting via Zoom



**Tuesday, February 15, 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

- The Peabody Inventory Completion was featured in The Andovers Magazine. Check out our story on Page 50 [here!](#)
- Happy to start the New Year with this great article about teaching paleoradiography by James Elliott. Check it out [here!](#)
- Check out all of our Diggin' In series seasons and episodes [here!](#)

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