On the Cover

Happy New Year! We are hoping that 2021 will see us return to some version of pre-pandemic normalcy. Despite the pandemic, however, we continue to share archaeology and anthropology through classes and collections. Read more about learning opportunities at the Peabody and ongoing collections research in this issue of our newsletter, along with some interesting artifacts of cold climates. And, don’t forget to sign up for Diggin’ In and the monthly meetings of the Massachusetts Archaeological Society!

Technology Meets Creativity at the Peabody

Contributed by Lindsay Randall

Using a new digital platform, Peabody Curator of Education and Outreach, Lindsay Randall, is finding new ways to highlight and augment the Peabody’s educational initiatives and digital programs. Check out her new video!

C14 Dating the Collection

Contributed by Marla Taylor

Peabody Curator of Collections, Marla Taylor, facilitates C14 dating on bone artifacts in the Peabody Collection from Pikimachay Cave in the Ayacucho Valley of Peru. Read on to learn more about this update!

Winter Artifacts in the Peabody Collection

Contributed by Emma Lavoie

As the winter season takes hold and a new year begins, the Peabody shares some collection highlights. Enjoy exploring some of our winter artifacts found in the Peabody collection.

Diggin’ In: Peabody and MAS Digital Lecture Series

SEASON 2

Upcoming Episode Dates:
Season 2, Episode 2 - February 10, 2021
Season 2, Episode 3 - February 24, 2021

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 then will be posted to YouTube afterwards. View Season 1 of the Diggin’ In Digital Lecture Series here!

Sign up through rspeabody@andover.edu or info@massarchaeology.org to get on the ZOOM invitation list for Season 2.

Massachusetts Archaeological Society Monthly Meeting via ZOOM

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 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.

Please request a link to attend the ZOOM meeting at: info.nechapter@massarchaeology.org

UPCOMING EVENTS

Nights In: Peabody and Massachusetts Digital Lecture Series

Season 2

Season 2, Episode 1 - February 11, 2021
Season 2, Episode 3 - February 24, 2021

This new interdisciplinary program will present anthropologists from across the United States who will share their research directly from their homes. Each episode will be recorded during live seminars and will last 60 minutes. Registration is free, and the seminars will be posted to YouTube afterwards.

View Season 1 of the Organic Indigenous Farmer video series here!

Sign up through presentations.org for the free Zoom link for the next digital lecture!

Manuscripts in Archaeological Society Monthly (March 2021)

Upcoming February 2021

Monthly meeting of the MASA Winter Chapter of the Massachusetts Archaeological Society. Each March, MASA paper presentations will be recorded and available on YouTube. Registration is free, but requires a Zoom registration link. Registration will be sent via email approximately one week before the meeting. This meeting is open and free to the public.

Please request a link to attend the Zoom meeting at: info.masadigital@massarchaeology.org

TRENDING NOW

• After more than 35 years, changes are coming for the Massachusetts state flag. Follow the story here
• A Year in Review - Explore the Top 10 Archaeological Discoveries of 2020 by HeritageDaily here!
• Check out the Peabody’s 2021 Winter Highlights and find out more

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