On the Cover
Lalá [Grandfather] by Jonny Yates, 2020
Lakota
Wood and paper

Jonny Yates (aka Jonny White Bull) is a member of the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe and lives in McLaughlin, SD. Jonny is a talented jewelry maker, stylist, and chef. Jonny is the consummate “maker,” who loves creating carved and painted bone jewelry, drawings, and three dimensional pieces made from cardboard, milk jugs, and other found materials. This piece is titled lalá, or grandfather, in the Lakota language, a reference to Jonny’s ancestor Sitting Bull, who is depicted here. Jonny invites everyone to spin his kinetic artwork and reflect on your own ancestors. Find this piece at the Peabody and learn more here.
We hope you enjoy this month’s news from the Peabody! This edition features important updates to our collections research and access policies, as well as open nominations for the Society for American Archaeology’s Peabody and Binford awards, and Warren Moorehead’s battle with tuberculosis. Look for more news next time as we recap the Phillips Academy fall term and share more fascinating details from our past!

Research Requires Consultation
Contributed by Marla Taylor

The way the Peabody Institute is supporting collections-based research is changing. As of November 2021, consultation with an authorized tribal representative is a required part of any application for access to collections. Read on to learn more!

Nominations Open for Education Awards
Contributed by Ryan Wheeler

The Society for American Archaeology (SAA) is now accepting nominations for their Education Awards. Read on to learn more about the Peabody and Binford awards and how to make a nomination.

Completion and Consumption: Ties to Tuberculosis in the Peabody Collection
Contributed by Emma Lavoie
An interesting discovery from the recently completed Peabody inventory. Learn about the history of tuberculosis (also known as consumption) and its ties to the Peabody collection and a local sanatorium. Check it out here!

Diggin' In: Peabody and MAS Digital Lecture Series

SEASON 3

Upcoming Episode Dates:
Season 3, Episode 9 - December 1, 2021
Season 3, Episode 10 - December 15, 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 will be posted to YouTube afterwards.

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Massachusetts Archaeological Society Monthly Meeting via Zoom

Tuesday, December 21, 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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