Summer Internships

Internships are offered in the summer through Federal, State and Private agencies. If you are interested in a summer internship check the bulletin board in the Anthropology Department. Most local agencies are in close contact with our department prior to the summer season and as such our professors have knowledge on who is looking for student help. Speak to one of them and see what's available.

Also check the ASA/Anthro-Club Web Pages under “Opportunities”.

Other News

Summer Desert Institute Workshops 2007

- The Art of Filming Birds of Prey June 1 & 2
- Raptors of Southern Idaho June 5 & 6
- Ethnobotany: Introduction to Edible, Medicinal, and Useful Plants June 8 & 9
- Desert Ecolgy June 21 & 22
- Idaho's Forgotten Fauna: Small Mammals June 22 & 23
- The Desert in American Culture & History June 25 & 26
- Fish of the Snake and Columbia Rivers July 6 & 7
- Volcanoes of the Snake River Plain July 13 & 14
- Basque Tree Carving July 24-27

Information can be found at http://anthro.boisestate.edu/ under Degree-Undergraduate

ASA Schedule of Events

Apr 7
Wednesday, 4th 5:00pm
Pot Luck
After the Bio-archaeology lecture with Dr. Vera Tiesler at BSU, Dr. Margaret Streeter is hosting a pot luck dinner at 5pm at her home on 2425 E. Tiger Lily Dr., Boise. Everyone is welcome. Bring your favorite food!

Fri 6
Friday, 6th
Nominations close today (6th).
Please send ASA/Anthropology Club Officer nominations via email to: fbrigha@boisestate.edu or drop by the department office with your nominations.

Wed 11
Wednesday, 11th
ASA monthly meeting.
2pm across from Moxie Java in the SUB. Discussion of scheduled events and Key Chain sales.

Sat 14
Saturday, 14th
Flint Knapping
with Chris Willson.
Location: Mike Stadther’s home.
Time to be announced.

Apr 23–27
Elections
Elections for the ASA and Anthropology Club officers starts Monday and will end on Friday. Election ballots will be available at the Dept. of Anthropology. (HWSC 55)
Election results will be posted April 30th.

May 5
Saturday, 5th
ASA/Anthropology Club Year End Brown Bag/BBQ
Bring the family, your lunch or BBQ and lawn chairs and meet us at Celebration Park. Activities for the day include: The State Atlatl Competition Primitive Technologies and Archaeology of the Snake River Plain. More details on page 3.

ASA Contacts:
- Dr. Chris Hill: chill2@boisestate.edu
- Mike Stadther: MichaelStadther@yahoo.com
The Idaho Archaeological Society

The Idaho Archaeological Society is made up of professional and armature archaeologists, students, and interested citizens from around the region dedicated to understanding the past residents of Idaho with the hope that it will be relevant to the present and future. Their mission is to “preserve, educate, and encourage the study of Idaho’s antiquities”. The society consists of five chapters including our own Intermountain Chapter that meet regularly at the LSRD BLM Office on Development Avenue in Boise. Meetings consist of lectures and issues in Idaho Archaeology with a wide array of guest speakers. The IAS also sponsors an annual conference which has previously been held at BSU. Membership is open to those interested in preserving, protecting, and understanding the past lives of Idaho’s earliest inhabitants.

Membership Benefits include:

- keeping informed about Idaho Archaeology through meetings, publications, etc.
- receiving the Idaho Archaeologist, a journal containing professional reports and other archaeological articles, photographs, and information.
- receiving information on chapter meetings, seminars, films, field trips, etc.
- receiving the Artifacts newsletter detailing IAS events and information on Idaho archaeology.
- and helping professional archaeologists with public outreach programs.

Membership for students is $10.00 and more information can be found on the Anthropology Department web site at: http://anthro.boisestate.edu/index.shtml

Idaho State Historical Society 1907-2007 Centennial

One hundred years ago the Idaho State Historical Society became a state agency on March 12, 1907. A centennial is worth honoring and celebrating. Join us as we celebrate this important birthday and learn about Idaho’s past. This is a state-wide celebration and many activities are scheduled. For more information on the complete listings of events visit the web site: www.idahohistory.net/archmonth.html.

All activities are free and open to the public.

The ASA and Anthropology Clubs would like to invite everyone out to Celebration Park: Melba, Saturday May 5th to join us in a year end get together. Bring your family, lunch and lawn chairs!

COMPETITION: Annual Idaho State Open Atlatl Competition, Celebration Park

Date: May 5, 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Location: Celebration Park, 5 miles south of Melba on the Snake River
Sponsor: Canyon County Parks and Recreation

PRESENTATION: Archaeology of the Snake River Plain by Dr. Mark Plew

Date: May 5, 10:00 a.m.
Location: Celebration Park, 5 miles south of Melba on the Snake River
Sponsors: Department of Anthropology, BSU, Canyon County Parks and Recreation

DEMONSTRATIONS: Primitive Technologies by Rod Dotson

Date: May 5, 1:00 p.m.
Location: Celebration Park, 5 miles south of Melba on the Snake River
Sponsors: Canyon County Parks and Recreation, Western Heritage Foundation

For Event info Contact: Dan Charters, 208-495-2745