



Old Stone Fort Archaeological Society

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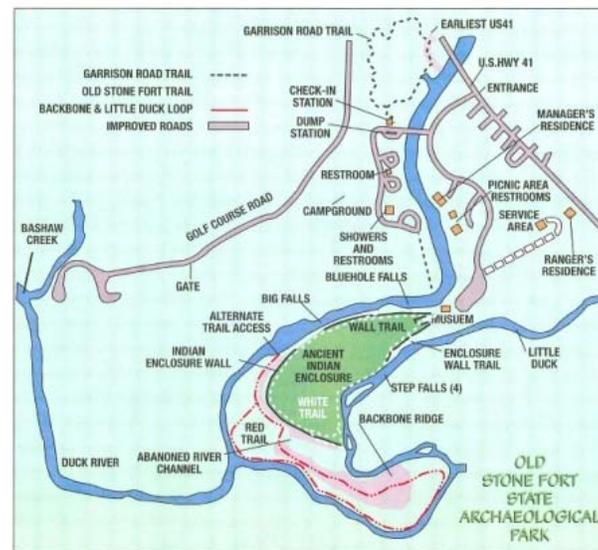
The Old Stone Fort Archaeological Society will meet **Thursday, July 12th at 6:00 pm** at the Old Stone Fort Museum in Manchester, Tennessee. The purpose of this Society is to learn more about prehistoric Native American cultures and the early historic period of Tennessee. Our meetings are on the second Thursday of each month and are **Free** and open to the public.

Hobart Akin Historic Sites at Old Stone Fort

Ranger Hobart Akin is a graduate student in the Public History Program at Middle Tennessee State University. One of the projects Hobart has initiated is a comprehensive survey of all historic activity that has taken place on the Old Stone Fort property, including: Civil War, the paper mill, golf course, cemeteries, and residential homes. While some of these historic activities and house sites are well documented, others were completely unknown before Hobart mapped their locations. This presentation will highlight the historic occupation of the land that was later purchased by the State of Tennessee to protect the Native American enclosure.

Thanks to Van King for his presentation and research on the steatite quarry site in Tallapoosa County, Alabama.

See you Thursday, Mark



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Old Stone Fort State Park – 931-723-5073

<http://state.tn.us/environment/parks/OldStoneFort/>

Tennessee Archaeology Network

<http://www.mtsu.edu/~kesmith/TNARCH/>

MTSU – Center for Historic Preservation

<http://www.mtsuhistpres.org/>

Coffee County Historical Society

<http://bellsouthpwp.net/C/a/CanCofHist/coffee/pubs.htm>

Grundy County Historical Society

<http://gchs.homestead.com/mainpage.html>

Alliance for the Cumberlands

<http://allianceforthecumberlands.org/home>

Historic Bottle Dating – Society for Historic Archaeology

<http://www.sha.org/bottle/dating.htm>

Fly Knap-In – July 13-15th

<http://www.flystoretn.com/index.html>

Flint Knappers dot com – Events, Materials, Tools

<http://www.flintknappers.com/events.php>

Kentucky Archaeology – Online Journal

http://campus.murraystate.edu/academic/j_ky_arch/Journal_Kentucky_Archaeology/

Vanderbilt Dyer Observatory

<http://www.dyer.vanderbilt.edu/>



Ranger Hobart Akin Recording a Historic House Location on Old Stone Fort Park property.



Medicine Bottle

New Video Available At Old Stone Fort Museum

- **Flintknapping: 100 Pounds of Attitude – Angela Parker**

Thanks to Rick Taylor for donating this excellent flint knapping video to the Park Museum. Check at the front desk to see this and other archaeology related videos that are available upon request.

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