

# Old Stone Fort Archaeological Society

May 2008

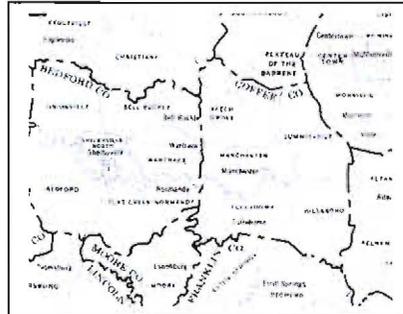
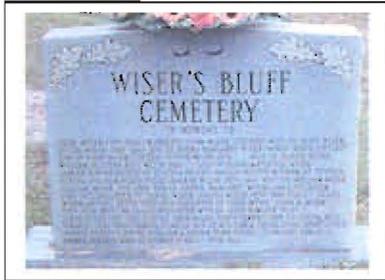
The Old Stone Fort Archaeological Society will meet **Thursday, May 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm** at the Old Stone Fort Museum in Manchester, Tennessee. The purpose of this Society is to learn more about prehistoric Native American cultures and the early historic period of Tennessee. Our meetings are **Free** and open to the public. Our program this month:

**Don Merritt**

*who will present*

## **Early Historic Settlement in Coffee County**

Archaeologist Don Merritt will present his research on the early historic period of Coffee County, Tennessee. A native of Tullahoma, Don has been involved in archaeology since the Normandy Dam project of the early 1970s. One of Don's recent projects in Coffee County was the research and restoration of Wisner's Bluff Cemetery in Noah. This will be a very informative and interesting program, invite your friends and family.



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**Old Stone Fort Archaeological Area - Knap-In and Atlatl Event - May 2-4, 2008**

931-723-5073 - <http://www.state.tn.us/environment/parks/OldStoneFort/>

**Tennessee Archaeology Network**

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

**Tennessee State Parks Events**

<http://state.tn.us/environment/parks/events.pdf>

**Alabama Archaeological Society**

<http://www.usouthal.edu/aas/>

**Underwater archaeology of World War 2 Invasion Beaches in Saipan**

On June 15, 1944 US Marines stormed ashore beginning the Battle for Saipan. World War II tanks, landing craft, barges, ships, and material litters the waters. Today the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands on the Island of Saipan has brought in underwater archaeologists Jason Burns and Michael Krivor to inventory their submerged cultural resources. As part of their public outreach program Jason and Michael will post updates on how the project is proceeding.

[http://www.uri.edu/artsci/his/mua/project\\_journals/saipan/saipan\\_intro.shtml](http://www.uri.edu/artsci/his/mua/project_journals/saipan/saipan_intro.shtml)

**World History Chart**

<http://www.hyperhistory.com/>

**Memphis Archaeological and Geological Society**

<http://memphisgeology.org/>

**Chucalissa News - May 2008**

<http://cas.memphis.edu/chucalissa/newsletters/may08news.pdf>

Mid-South Archaeological Conference - June

**The Parthenon - Nashville**

<http://www.nashville.gov/Parthenon/index.htm>

**Coffee County Historical Society**

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

