

WHAT WE DO

Our activities...

Lecture Series:

SJBAS meets regularly on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m., usually in the Lyceum in the Center of Southwest Studies at Fort Lewis College. Meetings include presentations on some phase of archaeology or historical subject. Visitors and non-members are welcome and are encouraged to attend.

Field Trips:

Members are eligible to participate in SJBAS field trips which include one-day and multi-day options.

Educational Opportunities:

Members and non-members may participate in Program for Avocational Archaeological Certification (PAAC) classes for a nominal fee.

Volunteer Projects:

Members have an opportunity to participate in archaeological projects in the area.

Newsletter:

Members receive a monthly newsletter, the Moki Messenger, with information about current SJBAS activities and other matters of archaeological and historical interest.

WHO WE ARE

About Us...

The San Juan Basin Archaeological Society (SJBAS) is a chapter of the Colorado Archaeological Society. SJBAS consists of people who are interested in the archaeology and the early history of the Four Corners Region. Members are of all ages and backgrounds, some with extensive training in archaeology and others with more limited knowledge, but a strong desire to learn.

SJBAS has several objectives: to learn more about archaeology in general; to raise public awareness of our region's significant archaeological and historical resources; and to draw attention to the hazards of vandalism to these unique cultural sites.

Members participate in lectures, discussions, field trips, and volunteer projects. Membership is open to any individual interested in the archaeology and history of the Four Corners Region.



It's easy to join!

Follow this link to the "Membership Application"
www.sjbas.org/Application.pdf.

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Exploring, learning about, and preserving cultural, archaeological, and historical resources in the Four Corners Region.

A chapter of the Colorado Archaeological Society since 1979

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MEMBERSHIP

Why join?

SJBAS offers organized year-round field trips, lectures, educational opportunities, fellowship and camaraderie. Members share an interest in exploring the significant archaeological and historical resources in the Four Corners Region.

Non-members are welcome at our monthly meetings, but you must be a SJBAS member to participate in field trips.

Membership automatically makes you a member of the Colorado Archaeological Society (CAS).

How to join...

It's easy to join — just print and complete the [Membership Application](#) from the SJBAS website; write a check for the appropriate amount; and mail everything to our Chapter Treasurer. Refer to the website for the application form and additional details.

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2017 LECTURE SERIES

JANUARY 11TH – Dr. Michael Martin
Topic: “Public History as ‘Speculative’ History through Archaeology: Pros and Cons”

FEBRUARY 8TH – Jeanne Brako
Topic: “Navajo, Pueblo and Hispanic Textiles of the Southwest: a historic summary”

MARCH 8TH – Connie Massingale
Topic: “Provenience— a Sense of Origin” and “Utilization of Plants by Puebloan Peoples.”
A business meeting will follow presentation.

APRIL 12TH – Jane Thompson
Topic: “Uranium Mining in Western CO”

MAY 10TH – Dr. Steve Lekson
Topic: “A Big Picture Look at the Chaco Phenomenon”

JUNE 14TH – Annual Picnic

JULY 12TH – Louie Garcia
Topic: “Weaving in the Pueblo Southwest”

AUGUST 9TH – Kari Schleher
Topic: “Pottery Production, Learning, & Social Network from Mesa Verde to Galisteo Basin”

SEPTEMBER 13TH – Dr. Jesse Tune
Topic: “The Times They Were ‘A-Changin’: Life on the Colorado Plateau at the End of the Ice Age.”

SEPTEMBER 15TH – Dr. Doug Owsley
Topic: “New Discoveries and the Story of Jamestown”

OCTOBER 11TH – Dr. Andrew Gulliford
Topic: “*Arborglyphs in Southwest Colorado*”

NOVEMBER 8TH – Kenneth Wright, P.E.
Topic: “The Great Inca Road: A Pre-Historic Highway Engineering Marvel”

DECEMBER 13TH – Holiday Party

2017 FIELD TRIPS

*Field trips are subject to change.
Always refer to the society website for
the most current schedule and details:*

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Animas Museum
Helen Sloan Daniels Collection
Presentation

Exploring Cochise County, Arizona

El Morro & El Malpais National
Monuments and Acoma Pueblo, New
Mexico

Montezuma Canyon and
Hovenweep National Monument

Hopi Immersion, Arizona

Uranium Mining and Milling
in Western Colorado

Canyon de Chelly Exploration, Arizona

Silverton Mining Museum and Cemetery,
Animas Forks Mining Sites

Cedar Mesa Exploration, Utah

Nine Mile Canyon and USU Eastern
Prehistoric Museum - Price, Utah