

Oregon Archaeology Celebration 2012

Commemorating The Homestead Act of 1862

The Homestead Act provided an opportunity for any adult citizen to claim 160 acres of surveyed government land. Claimants were required to improve the land and after five years, received the property for a small fee. Although intended to encourage settlement and agricultural development of the western United States, speculators, cattlemen, lumbermen and railroads also acquired homesteads.

As we commemorate the 150th Anniversary of The Homestead Act, it is important to understand not only how we grew as a nation but the resulting impacts to the natural and cultural environment.

Oregon Archaeology Celebration events provide learning experiences for everyone. We invite you to join us in celebrating our heritage by participating in events that are offered this year. Please remember that archaeological sites are an important part of our heritage but they are also fragile. If you visit an archaeological or historical site, please treat the site with respect so that others may enjoy it as well. State and federal laws prohibit site damage or the removal of artifacts from sites.

The HOMESTEAD ACT of 1862

The Homestead Act gave citizens opportunities to settle a new world.



Excavation of the Robert Newell Homestead – photo courtesy of Jamie French.

“OREGON ARCHAEOLOGY CELEBRATION: INVITATIONS TO THE PAST”

Created by the Oregon Archaeology Celebration Committee, this traveling poster exhibit promotes Oregon's Past. It features unique annual posters from 1994 through 2012

EXHIBIT SCHEDULE

Through September 23, 2012

Douglas County Museum of History & Natural History, Roseburg, (541) 957-7007

October 2012 - February 2013

Oregon Museum of Science and Industry, Portland, (503) 797-4000

(See October 20th listing for National Archaeology Day event)

March 4 2013 - May 2013

Elsie Stuhr Center, Tualatin Hills Park & Rec. District, Beaverton, (503) 629-6342

June 2013 - August 2013

The History Museum of Hood River County, Hood River, (541) 386-6772

Mid-September 2013 - December 2013

Hammersly Library, Western Oregon University, Monmouth, (503) 838-8418



Photo Cathy Poetschat



Photo courtesy of The High Desert Museum

Willamette Valley / Portland Basin / Coast

■ Through Sept. 12, 11:00 am – 5:00 pm (Wednesday-Sunday)

Explore Oregon! In the Making
Location: Museum of Natural and Cultural History, University of Oregon, Eugene. Sponsor/Contact: MNCH, University of Oregon, Rebecca Black, rblack@uoregon.edu, http://natural-history.uoregon.edu/
Adults (\$3), Children (\$2), 2 & Under (Free), Handicap Access

■ Through February 2013, 11:00 am – 5:00 pm (Wednesday-Sunday)

Out in Space, Back in Time: Images from the Hubble Space Telescope
Location: Museum of Natural and Cultural History, University of Oregon, Eugene. Sponsor/Contact: MNCH, University of Oregon, Rebecca Black, rblack@uoregon.edu, http://natural-history.uoregon.edu/
Adults (\$3), Children (\$2), 2 & Under (Free), Handicap Access

■ Sept. 1-Oct. 31, 10:00 am – 3:30 pm (Thursdays to Mondays),

Tour of the Port Orford Lifeboat Station
Location: Port Orford Lifeboat Station, Port Orford Heads State Park. Sponsor/Contact: Oregon Parks and Recreation Department, Greg Ryder, 541-332-6774, greg.ryder@state.or.us, www.oregonstateparks.org/park_61.php
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, Donations Accepted

■ Sept. 1-Oct. 31, 10:00 am – 3:30 pm (except Mondays),

Tour of the Historic Victorian Hughes House
Location: Hughes House, Cape Blanco State Park, Access from Cape Blanco Rd.
Sponsor/Contact: Oregon Parks and Rec. Dept., Greg Ryder, 541-332-6774, greg.ryder@state.or.us, www.oregonstateparks.org/park_62.php
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, Donations Accepted

■ Sept. 1-Oct. 31, 10:00 am – 3:30 pm (except Mondays),

Tour of the Cape Blanco Lighthouse
Location: Cape Blanco Lighthouse, End of Cape Blanco Road, Past Campground
Sponsor/Contact: Oregon Parks and Recreation Department, Greg Ryder, 541-332-6774, greg.ryder@state.or.us, www.oregonstateparks.org/park_62.php
Adults, Children, Handicap Access to Grounds but Not to Tour, Free to Grounds, \$2 Per Person to Tour

TUESDAY Sept. 4, 7:00 pm

Beyond Hollywood: Forensic Anthropology and Bioarchaeology with Case Studies from Egypt and Syria, Lecture by Trey Batey
Location: Oregon Museum of Science and Industry, 1945 SE Water Ave., Portland
Sponsor/Contact: Oregon Archaeological Society, Catherine Blosser, 503-727-3507, http://oregonarchaeological.org/
Adults, Teenagers, Handicap Access, Free

SATURDAY Sept. 15, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Zimmerman House Heritage Farm
Location: 17111 NE Sandy Blvd, Gresham
Sponsor/Contact: Fairview-Rockwood-Wilkes Historical Society, Twila Mysinger, 503-695-2597, tmysinger@frwhs.org, www.frwhs.org
Adults, Children, No Handicap Access, \$3 Suggested Donation

SATURDAY Sept. 15, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Heslin House and Historic City Jail
Location: 60 Main Street, Fairview
Sponsor/Contact: Fairview-Rockwood-Wilkes Historical Society, Twila Mysinger, 503-695-2597, tmysinger@frwhs.org, www.frwhs.org
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, \$2 Suggested Donation

THURSDAY Sept. 20, 7:30 pm

The Kelp Highway Hypothesis: Maritime Adaptations, Coastal Migrations, and the Peopling of the Americas, Lecture by Jon Erlandson
Location: Paulus Lecture Hall, Willamette University, Salem
Sponsor/Contact: Center for Ancient Studies and Archaeology and Archaeological Institute of America, Tommy Sandvig, 503-370-6654, tsandvig@willamette.edu
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, Free

TUESDAY Oct. 2, 7:00 pm

Representations of Native Peoples and their Artifacts by Museums, Lecture by Deana Dartt-Newton
Location: Oregon Museum of Science and Industry, 1945 SE Water Ave., Portland
Sponsor/Contact: Oregon Archaeological Society, Catherine Blosser, 503-727-3507, http://oregonarchaeological.org/
Adults, Teenagers, Handicap Access, Free

THURSDAY Oct. 4, 7:30 pm

The Deep Prehistory of Indian Gaming: The Perspective from Mesoamerica, Lecture by Barbara Voorhies
Location: Paulus Lecture Hall, Willamette University, Salem
Sponsor/Contact: Center for Ancient Studies and Archaeology and Archaeological Institute of America, Tommy Sandvig, 503-370-6654, tsandvig@willamette.edu
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, Free

FRIDAY Oct. 5, 5:30 pm

Connecting the Dots: Coastlines, Crescents, the Pacific Flyway, and the Peopling of the Americas, Lecture by Jon Erlandson
Location: UO Knight Law School, 1515 Agate, U of O, Eugene
Sponsor: UO Museum of Natural and Cultural History, Lauren Willis, 541-346-5019, lmw@uoregon.edu, natural-history.uoregon.edu
Adults, Handicap Access, Free

FRIDAY-SATURDAY Oct. 5-6, 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Handweaver Sale
Location: Willamette Heritage Center at the Mill, 1313 Mill Street SE, Salem. Sponsor: Willamette Heritage Center and Salem Fiberarts Guild. Contact: Peter Booth, 503-585-7012, peterb@willametteheritage.org, www.willametteheritage.org
Adults, Teenagers, Handicap Access, Free

FRIDAY-SUNDAY Oct. 5-7, 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Quiltopia presented by Helping Hands
Location: Willamette Heritage Center at the Mill, 1313 Mill Street SE, Salem
Sponsor: Greenbaum's and Willamette Heritage Center
Contact: Peter Booth, 503-585-7012, peterb@willametteheritage.org, www.willametteheritage.org
Adults (\$6), Youth (\$3), Handicap Access, Free on Tuesdays

SATURDAY Oct. 6, 12:00 pm

Tour the 1579 Nehalem Bay landing site of Sir Francis Drake, Led by Garry Gitzen
Location: Town of Wheeler
Sponsor: Fort Nehalem Publishing
Contact: Garry Gitzen, 503-368-7959, contact@fortnehalen.net
Adults (\$25), No Handicap Access

FRIDAY Oct. 12, 5:30 pm

Archaeology in Palau, Micronesia: 3000 years of Life and Death in the Chelechol ra Orrak Rockshelter, Lecture by Scott Fitzpatrick
Location: UO Knight Law School, 1515 Agate, U of O, Eugene
Sponsor: UO Museum of Natural and Cultural History, Lauren Willis, 541-346-5019, lmw@uoregon.edu, natural-history.uoregon.edu
Adults, Handicap Access, Free

FRIDAY Oct. 19, 5:30 pm

New Light on the Peopling of South America, Lecture by Anna Roosevelt
Location: UO Knight Law School, 1515 Agate, U of O, Eugene
Sponsor: UO Museum of Natural and Cultural History, Lauren Willis, 541-346-5019, lmw@uoregon.edu, natural-history.uoregon.edu
Adults, Handicap Access, Free

SATURDAY Oct. 20, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Zimmerman House Heritage Farm
Location: 17111 NE Sandy Blvd, Gresham
Sponsor/Contact: Fairview-Rockwood-Wilkes Historical Society, Twila Mysinger, 503-695-2597, tmysinger@frwhs.org, www.frwhs.org
Adults, Children, No Handicap Access, \$3 Suggested Donation

SATURDAY Oct. 20, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Heslin House and Historic City Jail
Location: 60 Main Street, Fairview
Sponsor/Contact: Fairview-Rockwood-Wilkes Historical Society, Twila Mysinger, 503-695-2597, tmysinger@frwhs.org, www.frwhs.org
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, \$2 Suggested Donation

SATURDAY Oct. 20, 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm

National Archaeology Day (Flintknapping, Rock Art Tracing and More!)
Location: Oregon Museum of Science and Industry, 1945 SE Water Ave., Portland
Sponsor/Contact: Oregon Archaeological Society, 503-727-3507, info@oregonarchaeological.org, www.oregonarchaeological.org
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, Free with Museum Admission

SUNDAY Oct. 21, 1:00 pm

Salmon Canneries in the Columbia River Estuary, Lecture by Irene Martin
Location: Lewis & Clark National Historic Park, 92343 Fort Clatsop Rd, Astoria
Sponsor/Contact: Lewis & Clark National Park Association and Lewis & Clark National Historic Park, Sally Freeman, 503-861-4424, sally_freeman@nps.gov, www.nps.gov/lewi
Adults, Teenagers, Handicap Access, Free

THURSDAY Oct. 25, 7:30 pm

Art History, Lecture by Ann Nicgorski
Location: Paulus Lecture Hall, Willamette University, Salem
Sponsor/Contact: Center for Ancient Studies and Archaeology and Archaeological Institute of America, Tommy Sandvig, 503-370-6654, tsandvig@willamette.edu
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, Free

THURSDAY Nov. 1, 4:00 pm

Traditional Cultural Properties and Sacred Sites, Lecture by Erik Thorsgard
Location: PSU, 1721 SW Broadway, Cramer Hall Room 41, Portland
Sponsor/Contact: Dept. of Anthropology, Portland State University, Ember Stevens, 503-725-3081, ember.stevens@pdx.edu
Adults, Handicap Access, Free

TUESDAY Nov. 6, 7:00 pm

Effects of Climate Change on Archaeology and Analysis of Artifacts, Lecture by Shelby Anderson
Location: Oregon Museum of Science and Industry, 1945 SE Water Ave., Portland
Sponsor/Contact: Oregon Archaeological Society, Catherine Blosser, 503-727-3507, <http://oregonarchaeological.org/>
Adults, Teenagers, Handicap Access, Free

THURSDAY Nov. 8, 7:30 pm

Archaeology and the Death and Burial of Jesus, Lecture by Jodi Magness
Location: Paulus Lecture Hall, Willamette University, Salem
Sponsor/Contact: Center for Ancient Studies and Archaeology and Archaeological Institute of America, Tommy Sandvig, 503-370-6654, tsandvig@willamette.edu
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, Free

SATURDAY Nov. 17, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Zimmerman House Heritage Farm
Location: 17111 NE Sandy Blvd, Gresham
Sponsor/Contact: Fairview-Rockwood-Wilkes Historical Society, Twila Mysinger, 503-695-2597, tmysinger@frwhs.org, www.frwhs.org
Adults, Children, No Handicap Access, \$3 Suggested Donation

SATURDAY Nov. 17, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Heslin House and Historic City Jail
Location: 60 Main Street, Fairview
Sponsor/Contact: Fairview-Rockwood-Wilkes Historical Society, Twila Mysinger, 503-695-2597, tmysinger@frwhs.org, www.frwhs.org
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, \$2 Suggested Donation

TUESDAY Dec. 4, 7:00 pm

Topic To Be Announced, Lecture by Virginia Butler
Location: Oregon Museum of Science and Industry, 1945 SE Water Ave., Portland
Sponsor/Contact: Oregon Archaeological Society, Catherine Blosser, 503-727-3507, <http://oregonarchaeological.org/>
Adults, Teenagers, Handicap Access, Free

■ Sept. 21 – Dec. 24, 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

The Art and Tradition of Kimono Exhibit
Location: Willamette Heritage Center at the Mill, 1313 Mill Street SE, Salem
Sponsor: Greenbaum's and Tokyo International University of America
Contact: Peter Booth, 503-585-7012, peterb@willametteheritage.org, www.willametteheritage.org
Adults (\$3), Children (\$2), 2 & Under (Free), Handicap Access

THURSDAY Feb. 7, 2013, 7:30 pm

Living Low on the Seas of Late Bronze Age Eastern Mediterranean, Lecture by Nicolle Elise Hirschfeld
Location: Paulus Lecture Hall, College of Law, Willamette University, Salem
Sponsor/Contact: Center for Ancient Studies and Archaeology and Archaeological Institute of America, Tommy Sandvig, 503-370-6654, tsandvig@willamette.edu
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, Free

THURSDAY March 7, 2013, 7:30 pm

Human Paleoeology and a Late Bronze Age Workshop Aromata, Lecture by Andrew Koh

Location: Paulus Lecture Hall, College of Law, Willamette University, Salem
Sponsor/Contact: Center for Ancient Studies and Archaeology and Archaeological Institute of America, Tommy Sandvig, 503-370-6654, tsandvig@willamette.edu
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, Free

THURSDAY April 4, 2013, 7:30 pm

The Rebuilt Citadel of Midas at Gordion, Lecture by Brendan Burke
Location: Paulus Lecture Hall, College of Law, Willamette University, Salem
Sponsor/Contact: Center for Ancient Studies and Archaeology and Archaeological Institute of America, Tommy Sandvig, 503-370-6654, tsandvig@willamette.edu
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, Free

Central/Eastern Oregon**THURSDAY Sept. 20, 7:00 pm**

Discussion on the Recovery and Presentation of the CSS H.L. Hunley, by Doug Devine at ASCO's General Meeting
Location: 2112 NE 4th Street, Bend
Sponsor/Contact: The Archaeological Society of Central Oregon, ascosmail@bendbroadband.com, www.ascoinfo.org/
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, \$5 Donation for Non-Members

THURSDAY Sept. 27, 6:30 pm

What Makes Us Human? How Studying Primate Genomes Helps Us Understand Our Own Biology and Evolution, Lecture by Kristin Sterner
Location: Hitchcock Auditorium, COCC Campus, 2600 NW College Way, Bend
Sponsor/Contact: Sunriver Nature Center & Observatory and the Nancy R. Chandler Visiting Scholar Program of the COCC Foundation, Karen Aylward, 541-383-7257, kaylward@cocc.edu, <http://foundation.cocc.edu/vsp>
Adults, Teenagers, Handicap Access, \$10 General Admission, \$8 Sunriver Nature Center Members, \$3 Students with ID

FRIDAY Oct. 5, 7:00 – 8:30 pm

The Traveling Museum of Oregon Prehistory, Lecture by Leland Gilson
Location: "The Barn" at Smith Rock State Park Rex Complex, 10260 NE Crooked River Dr., Terrebonne
Sponsor/Contact: Oregon Parks & Recreation Department, Paul Patton, 541-923-7551 x 21, paul.patton@state.or.us, www.oregonstateparks.org
Adults, Children Grades 6-12, Handicap Access, \$5 Day Pass or Annual Pass Required for Vehicle

THURSDAY Oct. 11, 7:00 pm

History of Malheur County Rocks, Lecture by Margaret Stallknecht
Location: Ontario Extension Office, Ontario
Sponsor/Contact: Stallknecht Museum Society, Margaret Stallknecht, 208-740-0937 mestallknecht@yahoo.com
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, Free

FRIDAY Oct. 12, 7:00 – 8:30 pm

Weapons and Hunting Practices, Lecture by Steve Allely
Location: Smith Rock State Park Welcome Center, 10260 NE Crooked River Dr., Terrebonne
Sponsor/Contact: Oregon Parks & Recreation Department,

Paul Patton, 541-923-7551 x 21, paul.patton@state.or.us, www.oregonstateparks.org
Adults, Children Grades 6-12, Handicap Access, \$5 Day Pass or Annual Pass Required for Vehicle

FRIDAY Oct. 19, 6:30 pm

To Siberia and Beyond: Studying Human Biology and Health at the Edge of the World, Lecture by J. Josh Snodgrass
Location: Pozzi Education Center, Sunriver Nature Center, Sunriver
Sponsor/Contact: Sunriver Nature Center & Observatory and the Nancy R. Chandler Visiting Scholar Program of the COCC Foundation, Karen Aylward, 541-383-7257, kaylward@cocc.edu, <http://foundation.cocc.edu/vsp>
Adults, Teenagers, Handicap Access, \$10 General Admission, \$8 Sunriver Nature Center Members, \$3 Students with ID

FRIDAY Oct. 19, 7:00 – 8:30 pm

Gathering and Preparing Cultural Foods, Lecture by Rose Charley
Location: Smith Rock State Park Welcome Center, 10260 NE Crooked River Dr., Terrebonne
Sponsor/Contact: Oregon Parks & Recreation Department, Paul Patton, 541-923-7551 x 21, paul.patton@state.or.us, www.oregonstateparks.org
Adults, Children Grades 6-12, Handicap Access, \$5 Day Pass or Annual Pass Required for Vehicle

THURSDAY Oct. 25, 7:00 pm

History of Malheur County Rocks, Lecture by Margaret Stallknecht
Location: Vail Library, 150 A Street, Vail
Sponsor/Contact: Stallknecht Museum Society, Margaret Stallknecht, 208-740-0937 mestallknecht@yahoo.com
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, Free

FRIDAY Oct. 26, 7:00 – 8:30 pm

Producing Stone Tools, Lecture by Perry Chocktoot
Location: Smith Rock State Park Welcome Center, 10260 NE Crooked River Dr., Terrebonne
Sponsor/Contact: Oregon Parks & Recreation Department, Paul Patton, 541-923-7551 x 21, paul.patton@state.or.us, www.oregonstateparks.org
Adults, Children Grades 6-12, Handicap Access, \$5 Day Pass or Annual Pass Required for Vehicle

THURSDAY Nov. 15, 6:30 pm

Monkey Business: The Impact of Global Climatic Change on Human and Monkey Evolution in Africa, Lecture by Stephen R. Frost
Location: Hitchcock Auditorium, COCC Campus, 2600 NW College Way, Bend
Sponsor/Contact: Sunriver Nature Center & Observatory and the Nancy R. Chandler Visiting Scholar Program of the COCC Foundation, Karen Aylward, 541-383-7257, kaylward@cocc.edu, <http://foundation.cocc.edu/vsp>
Adults, Teenagers, Handicap Access, \$10 General Admission, \$8 Sunriver Nature Center Members, \$3 Students with ID

THURSDAY Nov. 15, 7:00 pm

ASCO Business Meeting with Speaker to be announced
Location: 2112 NE 4th Street, Bend
Sponsor/Contact: The Archaeological Society of Central Oregon, ascosmail@bendbroadband.com, www.ascoinfo.org/
Adults, Children, Handicap Access, \$5 Donation for Non-Members

Year-round Events / Places to Visit

ALBANY REGIONAL MUSEUM

Housed in an 1887 Italianate building in the heart of historic downtown Albany, the museum is a must see for all, with an extensive collection of local memorabilia and historic photos and artifacts. Open Mon.-Fri. 12:00 pm-4:00 pm, Sat. 10:00 am-2:00 pm. 136 Lyon Street South, Albany, Free Admission, Handicap Access, contact 541-967-7122, armuseum@peak.org, www.armuseum.com/

COLUMBIA RIVER MARITIME MUSEUM

The museum interprets the many shipwrecks that have occurred at the mouth of the Columbia River. Current exhibits, Envisioning the World: The First Printed Maps, 1472-1700 and Crossing the Bar: Perilous Passage, which depicts the dangers mariners encounter regularly. Open Daily, 9:30 am-5:00 pm. 1792 Marine Drive, Astoria, Admission includes tour of the historic lightship Columbia, Handicap Access, contact 503-325-2323, www.crmm.org/

FORT ROCK VALLEY HISTORICAL HOMESTEAD MUSEUM

This village museum preserves some of the homestead-era structures from Fort Rock Valley, including the Webster Cabin (built 1915-1917) and Dr. Thom's Office (built 1907). Open May 18 - September 16 (Fri. - Sun.), 10:00 am - 4:00 pm, Fort Rock. For visits/tours during off days and seasons, contact 541-576-2251 or frmuseum@centurylink.net, www.fortrockoregon.com/

FORT STEVENS STATE PARK

Coast Artillery Museum. Summer/Fall 10:00 am - 6:00 pm; Winter/Spring 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. Hammond, near Astoria; \$5 Fee per vehicle for Army Truck and Underground Battery Mishler Tours, contact 800-551-6949, www.oregonstateparks.org/park_179.php

HALLIE FORD MUSEUM OF ART

Galleries featuring Native American, Asian, and European art. Current exhibit Randy Hayes: Unfamiliar Territory. Open Tues. - Sat., 10:00 am- 5:00 pm and Sun., 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm, Willamette University Campus, 700 State St., Salem, \$3 Admission, Handicap Access, contact 503-370-6855, www.willamette.edu/arts/hfma/index.html

HIGH DESERT MUSEUM

Exhibits and programs spanning 10,000 years of culture and history of the Intermountain West. Open May 1 - Oct. 31, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm, Nov. 1 - April 30, 10:00 am - 4:00 pm, 59800 South Highway 97, Bend, contact 541-382-4754, \$12 Adults, Handicap Access, www.highdesertmuseum.org/

KAM WAH CHUNG MUSEUM

Located in John Day, this museum contains a remarkable collection of Chinese traditional medicine and gives a picture of the Chinese in the mining frontier. Open May 1 - Oct. 31, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm, John Day, Free, contact 800-551-6949, www.oregonstateparks.org/park_8.php

LANE COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY & MUSEUM

Exhibits on the Oregon Trail, Historical Vehicles, Period Rooms, Logging, Don Hunter Project, historic photographs of Lane County and children's area. Open Tues. - Sat., 10:00 am - 4:00 pm, 740 West 13th Ave., Eugene. \$3 General Admission, Handicap Access to Main Exhibition Hall and Museum Store, contact 541-682-4242, www.lanecountyhistoricalsociety.org

LINN COUNTY HISTORICAL MUSEUM

Set inside an historic building and railroad freight cars are historic artifacts including a wagon that came over the Oregon Trail. Open Mon. - Sat., 11:00 am - 4:00 pm, Sun., 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm, 101 Park Ave., Brownsville, contact 541-466-3390, www.co.linn.or.us/parks/museums/historymuseum.html

OREGON HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Current exhibits include The Architecture and Legacy of Pietro Belluschi. Treasures of the Vault, and The Photography of Marian Wood Kolisch and more. Open Tues. - Sat., 10:00 am - 5:00 pm, Sun., 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm. 1200 SW Park Ave., Portland, contact 503-306-5198, www.ohs.org

TAMÁSTSLIKT CULTURAL INSTITUTE

Tamástslíkt Cultural Institute of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation (Cayuse, Walla Walla, Umatilla) is a world-class museum, featuring artifacts of pre-contact life amidst the theme of We Were - We Are - We Will Be. Its Living Culture Village of prehistoric dwellings is open weekends between May 26 and Sept. 3. 72789 Highway 331, Pendleton (at the very end of the driveway of the Wildhorse Resort & Casino), contact 541-966-9748, www.tamastslikt.org

TILLAMOOK FOREST CENTER

Interpretive and educational center showcasing the legacy of the historic Tillamook Burn and forest history, 45500 Wilson River Highway, Tillamook, Open Daily, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm, Free, contact 503-815-6800, www.tillamookforestcenter.org

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON MUSEUM OF NATURAL AND CULTURAL HISTORY

Current exhibits include Out in Space, Back in Time: Images from the Hubble Telescope, Oregon - Where Past is Present, and Explore Oregon! In the Making. University of Oregon Museum of Natural and Cultural History, 1680 East 15th Street, Eugene. Open Wed. - Sun., 11:00 am-5:00 pm. \$3 Adults, Handicap Access, contact 541-346-3024, http://natural-history.uoregon.edu/

WASHINGTON ARCHAEOLOGY MONTH

October 1 - October 31
Explore the richness of Washington's past and present and the importance of protecting archaeological sites. To request a free activity guide, call 360-586-3065

WASHINGTON COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY AND MUSEUM

Current exhibit is The Comic Book Art of Aaron Lopresti, and changing monthly exhibitions of contemporary prints. Portland Community College Rock Creek campus. 17677 NW Springville Rd., Portland, Open Mon. - Sat. 10:00 am - 4:00 pm, contact 503-645-5353, www.washingtoncountymuseum.org

WILLAMETTE HERITAGE CENTER (MISSION MILL MUSEUM)

History of the Thomas Kay woolen mill, which produced wool products from 1889 to 1962, and the role of Jason Lee's Methodist Mission in 1830s and the Marion County Historical Society. Mon. - Sat., 10:00 am - 5:00 pm, 1313 Mill St. SE, Salem, \$6 Adults, Handicap Access, contact 503-585-7012, www.willametteheritage.org/index.html

Get Involved

There are many opportunities to participate in archaeological and historic preservation activities and learn more about Oregon's heritage. Contact the following programs and organizations for information:

Passport In Time (PIT) is a volunteer public participation program for archaeological & historic projects on national forests across the country. No registration cost or fee. For more information or for a free newsletter announcing upcoming projects, contact - PIT Clearinghouse, PO Box 15728, Rio Rancho, NM 87174, or 800-281-9176

Oregon Archaeological Society is an organization which sponsors talks and educational programs about archaeology. Open to all, meetings are held at Oregon Museum of Science and Industry in Portland the first Tuesday of each month at 7 pm from Sept. through May. For more information contact - OAS, PO Box 13293, Portland, OR 97213, or 503-727-3507

Archaeological Society of Central Oregon is an organization of people who share an interest in the archaeology of Central Oregon. For more information, contact ASCO at PO Box 8146, Bend, OR 97708-0146

Your local museum or historical society may also have programs or opportunities to learn more about the history of your area. Visit or call them for information.

Oregon Archaeology Celebration Contributors

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Oregon Archaeological Society
Oregon Department of Transportation
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Web Pages of Interest

- Archaeological Institute of America
..... www.willamette.edu/centers/casa/AIA
Archaeological Society of Central Oregon
..... www.ascoinfo.org
Association of Oregon Archaeologists
..... www.assocoregonarchaeologists.org
OMSI Archaeology Program
..... www.oms.edu/home
Oregon Archaeology: Prehistory
..... www.oregon-archaeology.com
Oregon Archaeological Society
..... www.oregonarchaeological.org
Oregon State Historic Preservation Office
..... www.oregonheritage.org
Oregon State Archives
..... http://arcweb.sos.state.or.us/
Oregon State University-Anthro
..... www.oregonstate.edu/cla/anthropology
Passport in Time
..... www.passportintime.com
The High Desert Museum
..... www.highdesertmuseum.org
The Archaeology Channel
..... www.archaeologychannel.org
UO Museum of Natural and Cultural History
..... http://natural-history.uoregon.edu