



Hiawatha National Forest

YOUTH ARCHAEOLOGY WORKSHOP

GRAND ISLAND NATIONAL RECREATION AREA

Overview

A three-day hands-on Grand Island archaeology workshop for youth entering grades 6-12 July 11th, 12th, and 13th

This coming June the Hiawatha National Forest will host its 17th Grand Island Youth Archaeology Workshop: *a hands-on archaeology experience for Alger and Marquette County youths*. Participants will gain a new understanding of our area history and the importance of protecting cultural resources as they participate in an actual survey on Grand Island National Recreation Area.

Given the delicate and precise nature of archaeological work, we are especially looking for youth who enjoy working with details and who follow instructions well. A genuine interest in archaeology is an added bonus.

This workshop can only accommodate a limited number of participants; therefore, we are asking interested youth to complete the attached application form.

Please return the completed forms (*application, special needs form, image release, and volunteer agreement*) by **May 15, 2016 to:**

Eric Drake
Hiawatha National Forest
820 Rains Dr.
Gladstone, MI 49837

We'll send notification of selection status to students by June 1. Thank you for your interest in this program! If you or your parents have questions about the project, please contact Eric Drake at (906) 428-5800, extension 5817 or ericdrake@fs.fed.us.





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Schedule of Events

Day One 8:30 a.m. – 3:45 p.m.

- 8:30 a.m. Parents drop students off at Powell Point
- 8:45 – 9:00 Orientation/introduction at Powell Point
- 9:00 – 9:15 Travel to Grand Island
- 9:15 – 9:45 Williams Landing
 - General orientation to Grand Island
 - View interpretive display at Visitor Contact Station
- 9:45 – 10:45 Travel to survey site
 - Orientation to site
 - Discussion of survey goals
 - View common artifact types
 - Introduction to tools
- 10:45 – 12:00 Field Survey – Hands-on work
- 12:00 – 12:30 Lunch (Students should bring sack lunch, beverages and snacks)
- 12:30 – 3:00 Field survey continued
- 3:00 – 3:30 Wrap up and travel to Williams Landing
- 3:30 – 3:45 Ferry to mainland Powell Point
- 3:45 Parents pick up students

Days Two and Three 8:30 a.m. – 3:45 p.m.

- 8:30 Parents drop students off at Powell Point
- 8:30 – 9:00 Gather at Powell Point
- 9:00 – 9:15 Travel to Grand Island
- 9:15 – 9:30 Travel to survey site
- 9:30 – 12:00 Field survey (continued)
- 12:00 – 12:30 Lunch (Students should bring sack lunch, beverages and snacks)
- 12:30 – 2:00 Field survey (continued)
- 2:00 – 3:15 Wrap-up & Discussion of results
- 3:15 – 3:30 Travel to Williams Landing
- 3:30 – 3:45 Ferry to mainland Powell Point
- 3:45 Parents pick up students

In case of inclement weather (high winds or down pouring rain) the session will be cancelled. You may call 906-387-2512 or 906-280-6895 at 8am to find out if the session has been cancelled.





PHOTO/AUDIOVIDEO IMAGE RELEASE

Production: Forest Service Productions including, but not limited to, brochures, posters, etc.

Please check all boxes that apply!

I hereby give my consent to the USDA Forest Service for the free and unrestricted use of my image(s) and/or my voice recording, for the above production. (If under 18 years of age, requires parental/guardian signature.)

Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

Address:

Phone: _____

Additional: I hereby give my consent to the USDA Forest Service to further release my

image(s) and/or my

voice recording,

as public information or for additional productions (including but not limited to news releases, newspapers, newsletters, etc).

(If under 18 years of age, requires parent/guardian signature.)

Signature: _____

Date: _____





SPECIAL NEEDS REQUEST

If you have special needs, please complete the following information:

Classroom:

_____ Sign Language Interpreter

_____ Assistive Listening System

Classroom Materials:

_____ Large Print

_____ Braille

_____ Audio Tape

Other Special Needs:

Name _____ e-mail

Telephone _____ or TTY

Please return this form to us along with your Archaeological Explorations 2016 application forms.

If you have other special needs requests, please do not hesitate to contact us.

