



**Archaeology Comes Alive on the Kaibab Every Thursday evening and Saturday afternoon in March!
(All lecture series and hikes are suitable for children!)**

FREE Archaeology Month Thursday Evening Lecture Series, 6:30 PM Mills 326 Café, 326 West Route 66, Williams, Arizona. Limited seating, please call ahead for reservations, 928-635-5600. To order food ahead of time call, 928-635-0777.

March 7: (Williams and Tusayan Ranger District Archaeologist Neil Weintraub) – **Williams and Tusayan Ranger District Heritage Accomplishment Report**. This presentation will discuss the efforts that Kaibab archaeologists and partners took to protect, interpret, and enhance prehistoric and historic archaeological sites on the Williams and Tusayan Ranger District during Fiscal Year 2012.

March 14: (Kaibab National Forest Heritage and Tribal Program Manager Margaret Hangan) – **Williams History Photo Project**. This presentation will discuss the joint project between Williams Public Library and the Kaibab National Forest to collect and scan historic photos of Williams and the surrounding area.

March 21: (Williams and Tusayan Ranger District Archaeologist Neil Weintraub) – **Williams Area Historic Photo Re-Shoot Project**. For the past decade, Williams Ranger District staff has been re-shooting historic photographs of the Williams area to document how the Forest has changed. The presentation will compare and contrast these dramatic differences and it will also discuss the local history that helped shape the current condition of the Forest surrounding Williams.

March 28: (Historian Robert Audretsch) – **We Still Walk in Their Footprint: The Civilian Conservation Corps in Northern Arizona, 1933-1942**. This presentation will discuss how the Civilian Conservation Corps, along with other New Deal agencies, was responsible for unprecedented federal land agency infrastructure growth in northern Arizona during the Great Depression. These forty-four CCC companies completed an astounding number of projects accomplishing as much as fifty years work in less than ten years. From the first reliable road from St. George, Utah to Wolf Hole, Arizona to the rustic cabins of Hualapai Mountain Park at Kingman, to the Crown King Ranger Station, to the Painted Desert Inn at Petrified Forest National Park we still walk in that CCC footprint.

Archaeology Month (March 2,9,16,23, and 30) FREE Saturday 2 PM Hikes to Keyhole Sink Petroglyphs

Kaibab archaeologists will also lead **FREE** educational hikes to the Keyhole Sink Petroglyph site every Saturday in March at 2 PM. Meet at the Oak Hill Snow Play area, 4 miles west of Parks Arizona on the south side of Route 66. From Flagstaff, take I-40 west to exit 178, turn right at top of ramp and then left on to Route 66. Drive about 4 miles west to the Oak Hill Snow Play Area. From Williams, drive east on I-40 to Exit 171 and at top of off ramp make a right and then another right onto Route 66. Drive east on 66 about 2 miles to the Oak Hill Snow Play Area. Bring boots and warm clothing as this ¾ mile hike each way will take place whether there is rain, snow or sun. Be prepared to get wet as a waterfall often cascades off the lava flow requiring crossings in ankle deep water to access the petroglyphs. Please call ahead for reservations, **928-635-5600**.

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Lectures are Wheelchair Accessible, petroglyphs are not.**