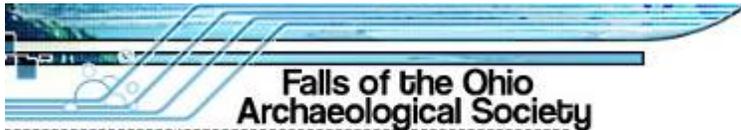
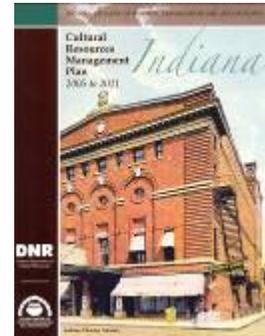


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- *from the Division of Historic Preservation and Archaeology (DHPA), office of the Indiana State Archaeologist*

- **DHPA staff will speak to the Falls of the Ohio Archaeological Society-** Two DHPA archaeologists will be giving upcoming presentations to the Falls of the Ohio Archaeological Society (<http://www.falls-society.org/schedule.php>). Dr. Melody Pope will give a presentation later this month on Archaeology as a Framework for Research and Preservation Planning at Spring Mill State Park, Mitchell, IN. State Archaeologist Dr. Rick Jones will give a presentation in April on Indiana State Laws and Regulations Regarding Archaeology. Important outreach presentations such as these help our staff continue to address the goals (such as increasing public understanding and support for historic preservation and archaeology) of Indiana's Cultural Resources Management Plan 2005-2011 (<http://www.in.gov/dnr/historic/bin/dnrmgmtplan.pdf>).



- **Spring Mill State Park-** The DHPA's Dr. Melody Pope is involved in the Spring Mill Archaeology and Heritage Initiative. See the next edition of the Division's newsletter, *Preserving Indiana*, for information on this exciting initiative. The newsletter will be online at <http://www.in.gov/dnr/historic/dhpanwsltr.html>.
- **Women's History Month-** March is Women's History Month. Contact your local library or historical society for an event near you. For an Indiana travel itinerary regarding Women in Indiana, go to <http://www.in.gov/dnr/historic/bin/women.pdf>. To learn more about gender and archaeology, you may wish to start with the following sites: http://clblanch.iweb.bsu.edu/Current_Research.htm;

http://www.in.gov/dnr/historic/archmonth/pdf/women_archeo.pdf; <http://www.crai-ky.com/education/reports/beyond.pdf> .

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Indiana Archaeology Month (September) webpage-
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- Provides protection and preservation of Indiana's finite and fragile archaeological resources
- Implements the state law providing protection for archaeological sites and human remains
- Reviews, evaluates and comments upon projects that may affect archaeological resources
- Maintains standards and guidelines for archaeology in Indiana and provides technical assistance
- Promotes public education about the science through publications, training and presentations
- Offers grant funds for archaeological projects
- Maintains the repository of archaeological records and state site database