Central Florida Anthropological Society
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Chapter Report
2nd Quarter – May through July 2020

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Meetings Held During Quarter:

- May 18, 2020 – No Meeting Held -- Meeting Cancelled due to Covid-19 Health Pandemic (Scheduled Featured Speaker, Mr. Sean Norman, rescheduled to March 15, 2021)
- June 15, 2020 – No Meeting Held – Meeting Cancelled due to Covid-19 Health Pandemic (Scheduled Featured Speaker, Ms. Lea Harvey, cancelled)
- July/August 2020 – No Meetings Held – Regularly scheduled summer break

Quarter Highlights:

- One of the most common requests CFAS has gotten from its members is the request for an online form for its Membership Application. In June 2020, CFAS was pleased to announce that new members can join using the online form on the CFAS website OR current members can renew their membership using

the same form. CFAS was also happy to announce that they still accept paper applications as well. For more information about the Membership Application, please visit https://cfasorlando.com/membership.

- In June 2020, CFAS completed the necessary paperwork to become a registered charity with AmazonSmile. This is a program that Amazon sponsors for 501c3 not-for-profits. Individuals who shop at Amazon can now consider designating CFAS as their AmazonSmile charity. It's fast, it's free, and it helps CFAS out immensely by assisting us to raise funds to help keep CFAS active and able to fund great activities we have planned for the future. For more information, please visit: https://smile.amazon.com/ch/59-3701777
- CFAS signed a contract with FAS to host the FAS 2021 Annual Meeting in Orlando. The venues for the 2021 meeting will be focused on the Sanford/Lake Mary area in Seminole County. CFAS also received a $4000.00 loan to use towards beginning to solidify preliminary venue and event arrangements.

Upcoming Events/Announcements:***

****Please note that these two events are tentatively scheduled and subject to change/postponement as affected by the covid-19 global health pandemic. Please consult the CFAS website and/or Facebook page for the latest information and/or any scheduling changes. Thank you.*****

- CFAS does not have any events planned for over the summer break. It will return with its kick off to the CFAS 2020-2021 Guest Lecture Series in September 2020 either in person at the Winter Park Public Library or remotely via Zoom and/or FacebookLive and Youtube depending on the current state of the covid-19 health pandemic at that time.

Respectfully submitted,
CFAS President,
Deborah L. Bauer
July 24, 2020