



June 2020 Newsletter

<https://cfasorlando.com/>

PRESIDENT'S CORNER By Deborah L. Bauer



Dear All:

It has certainly been a tumultuous spring! Unfortunately, as announced earlier in June, due to a change in speaker availability, we have had to cancel our June Guest Lecture Speaker series finale. We hope to reschedule Lea Harvey and her fascinating work on the intersections of the Florida tourism industry with cultural anthropology sometime in the spring of 2021. We had considered attempting some type of remote presentation, but given the short notice of the cancellation, I did not feel it would be possible to make the arrangements to convert to a remote meeting presentation at the last minute.

Unfortunately, with the cancellation of our June speaker, CFAS has stumbled into our summer break. During the summer months of July and August, CFAS has traditionally taken a break to plan and prepare for the coming year that kicks off for us in September. We have already released the tentative slate of Fall 2020 speakers scheduled for the first half of the 2020-2021 Guest Lecture Series. We hope to kick off our new year in September with a wonderful talk on the voting rights of Florida's native population by Dr. Robert Cassanello of the University of Central Florida. As ever, we are planning for a return to normalcy, but everything is subject to change given how the global pandemic progresses.

Over the summer months, I can tell you that the main focus of the CFAS officers will be planning for what I have known about for sometime, but I can only now happily announce to you all. CFAS has agreed to serve as the host chapter for the annual meeting of the Florida Anthropological Society (FAS) in May 2021. We have already begun to make preliminary preparations for next year's conference, and we're very excited to share those details in the coming months. This announcement normally would have been made at the conclusion of the 2020 annual meeting of the FAS that was supposed to be held in Naples last month. Unfortunately, FAS 2020 was another casualty of the covid-19 virus. An attempt was made to reschedule the conference for later in the year, however, there were just too many variables that would have to have been overcome to make the meeting a reality. I think we all owe the Southwest Florida Anthropological Society a huge thank you for planning the conference. Planning an event like this, we are finding, is something that takes hours and hours of work over the span of many, many months. Fortunately, I don't think all of SWFAS's hard work will go to waste as, tentatively, I know the FAS board hopes to return the annual meeting to Naples in 2022.

On that note, we hope everyone stays happy, safe, and healthy over the summer. Please stay tuned to CFAS's website, social media, and monthly newsletter for the latest and greatest news about anthropology and archaeology in Central Florida and beyond!

All my best,
Deborah L. Bauer
President, CFAS

FAS CANCELS 2020 ANNUAL MEETING

The Board of the Florida Anthropological Society and the Southwest Florida Archaeological Society have decided to cancel the 2020 Annual Conference and Meeting. When we first chose to reschedule in October, we were hopeful that COVID-19 would no longer pose a health threat. As the months have progressed, it is clear there is still too much uncertainty about what the pandemic situation may look like in the fall. We feel cancelling the conference is the best way forward and will work to return to Southwest Florida in future years. We hope to see everyone at the 2021 Annual Conference and Meeting in Sanford. If you registered for the conference, you may contact Charlie Strader at swfas@explorationsinc.com to request a full refund.

CFAS ANNOUNCES IT WILL SERVE AS HOST TO FAS 2021 ANNUAL MEETING

CFAS is proud to announce that it will be serving as the host chapter for the 2021 FAS Annual Meeting in May 2021. CFAS will be basing the conference in venues located in the Sanford-Lake Mary areas of Seminole County. CFAS last hosted the annual state meeting in 2011. During that time, the venues that were selected included sites in downtown Orlando and western Orange and Osceola counties. CFAS is looking forward to highlighting the other geographic areas that we serve in northeastern Central Florida. Although a specific date and theme has not not definitively been selected as of yet, we're looking forward to highlighting some of Seminole County's little-known treasures, including what was once the Senator tree. The FAS Annual Meeting has been held in Orlando six times since 1952. 2021 will mark Orlando's seventh time hosting the event. The event was hosted three times before CFAS's creation in 1963. It was hosted twice at Rollins College in Winter Park in 1952 and 1957, and it was hosted once in 1962 at the Central Florida Museum (now the Orlando Science Center) in Orlando. After CFAS's creation in 1964, the annual meeting was held twice in Winter Park in 1972 and 1990, and once in downtown Orlando in 2011. 2021 will mark the first time any venue in Seminole County, one of the four counties that CFAS represents, has hosted the conference. Stay tuned for more details about next year's conference coming shortly. It is looking like it will be a spectacular event not to be missed!

CFAS ADDS ONLINE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM TO WEBSITE

One of the most common requests CFAS has gotten from its members is the request for an online form for its Membership Application. We are now 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. We're happy to announce that we still accept paper applications as well. For more information about the Membership Application, please visit <https://cfasorlando.com/membership>.

CFAS SUMMER BREAK BEGINS

As a reminder, CFAS takes off the months of July and August each year for our normally scheduled summer break. During this time, we will not meet. Our plan is to resume our normal meeting schedule in September 2020 at our normal meeting location (the Community Room of the Winter Park Public Library). We have already released our fall speakers for the first half of the scheduled CFAS 2020-2021 Guest Lecture Series. We appreciate your help in circulating information about our upcoming presentations. Until September, we hope everyone stays happy, healthy, and safe! Happy Summer!

Fall 2020 Guest Lecture Series - *TENTATIVE*

Please note: All meetings are held 7:00 pm at the 3rd Monday of the Month at the Winter Park Public Library, 460 E. New England Ave, Winter Park, FL 32789. All presentations are in 1st Floor Community Room EXCEPT for the October presentation which will be held in the 3rd Floor Conference Room.

SEPTEMBER 21, 2020



DR. ROBERT CASSANELLO
University of Central
Florida

**“Sovereignty and Suffrage:
Florida's Native People and
the Right to Vote”**

OCTOBER 19, 2020



DR. LEE NEWSOM
Flagler College

**“Gourds, Mastodons,
and Florida Indians:
Insights into the
Origins and Evolution
of an Indigenous
Paleoethnobotany”**

NOVEMBER 16, 2020



MS. REBECCA O’SULLIVAN
Florida Public Archaeology
Network, West Central Office

**“Towards Zion: In Search of
Tampa’s earliest African
American Cemeteries”**

DECEMBER 21, 2020

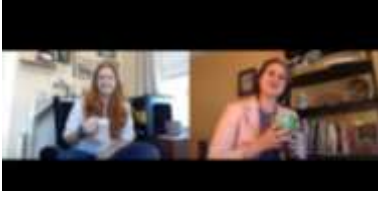


MS. SHANA BOYER,
University of South
Florida

**“Privies as Portals: An
Analysis of Ceramics at a
Late 19th Century
Household Privy in
Ellenton, Florida”**

SHAMELESS PLUGS OF NON-CFAS EVENTS

VIRTUAL EVENTS:



FPAN Tea & Trowels Video Podcast Series. Edward González-Tennant will be an upcoming guest on this series of conversations with archaeologist.

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLqVfPR3Byth9qUwrOGId7Vf0rcNDKhjru>



Florida Museum of Natural History - Museum 360°: Giants of Florida's Prehistoric Past, Thursday, June 25, 3:00 - 3:30 pm. For more information, go to <https://www.floridamuseum.ufl.edu/event/museum-360-florida-giants/> .

If you have any virtual events or upcoming real events you would like to share in the newsletter, please mail them to CFAS at centralflorida.fas@gmail.com .

CFAS 2020 OFFICERS

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Find us on Facebook at Central Florida Anthropological Society!

Check out our website at <https://cfasorlando.com/>

CFAS AND FAS MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS

We encourage those interested in Florida archaeology/anthropology to become members of The Florida Anthropological Society (FAS) and The Central Florida Anthropological Society (CFAS). Annual dues are due in January and membership applications to both organizations are attached. Membership in the FAS provides you with four annual volumes of *The Florida Anthropologist* and occasional newsletters on anthropological events in Florida in addition to the annual statewide meeting. More information on FAS can be found online at: www.fasweb.org . Membership in CFAS offers you a local series of talks on archaeological and anthropological subjects that you can attend. The CFAS newsletter keeps you up to date on local events as well as other important archaeological topics. We urge you to support both with your membership. All of the CFAS Lecture Series are open to the public at no charge.



CFAS

Central Florida Anthropological Society

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Membership in CFAS is open to all interested individuals who have an interest in the prehistory or history of Florida as well as the anthropological fields of archaeology, cultural anthropology, and many other sub fields, who are dedicated to the preservation of Florida's shared cultural heritage, and who are willing to abide by the FAS statement of ethics (FASweb.org).

Membership is for one calendar year (running from January 1st until December 31st no matter what day of the year you join.)

Students	\$10
Individual	\$20
Family	\$25

Membership guarantees the following benefits: notification of the latest archaeology & anthropological happenings in Central Florida & beyond; early notification of speakers in our popular monthly Guest Lecture speaker series; opportunities to volunteer on archaeological digs; the ability to apply for scholarships the society funds to allow students to attend the annual Florida Anthropological Society conference; membership to our monthly newsletter; and fellowship opportunities with people of like-minded anthropology or anthropology related professions and/or hobbies.

Objectives of the Florida Anthropological Society (FAS) and thus CFAS are:

1. To provide a formal means by which individuals interested in anthropological and archaeological studies in the State of Florida and related areas may come together for mutual benefits;
2. To promote the continuing study of the peoples of Florida from ancient times to the present;
3. To establish and promulgate to its members and to the general public, rules of conduct, a code of ethics, and standards of quality to govern anthropological work
4. To effect harmony and cooperation between the amateur and professional anthropologist and archaeologist so that the work of all will permanently enrich our knowledge of human history;
5. To bring to the attention of the general public and of appropriate governmental agencies the need for preservation of archaeological and historical sites within the State of Florida as well as for the recording of the ways of life of extant groups in Florida and related areas.
6. To disseminate information on anthropology and archaeology and in particular on the work of the Society members through periodic, regularly scheduled meetings of the Society, through a program of publications by the Society, and through such special events and other activities as the Society may consider proper to further its objectives;
7. To assist in establishing archaeological museums through contributions or gifts of materials or money;
8. To encourage the scientific collections, preservation, classification, study and publication of ethnological materials and archaeological remains; and
9. To initiate and maintain appropriate By-Laws, Rules, and Regulations in the best interests of all its members.
10. Membership in the Society is open to all interested individuals who are willing to abide by the FAS statement of ethics.

Our parent organization needs you too! Chapters of FAS operate largely independently, but adhere to an agreed upon code of ethics and organizational structure that is maintained by the state organization. Unfortunately, we do not have a system in place wherein membership in a regional chapter gives membership in the statewide society. Please consider joining the statewide society to support their work. Joining is easy as you can do it online at FASweb.org.

*****Membership application is located on the back of this document!*****

CFAS MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____

Email: _____

Mailing Address:

City, State, & Zip Code:

Telephone: _____

Membership Level: _____

Date Joined: _____

New Membership _____ OR Membership Renewal _____

Do you receive our newsletter via e-mail?

_____ Yes _____ No

Do you wish to received our newsletter via e-mail?

_____ Yes _____ No

Are you a member of the statewide Florida Anthropological Society? _____ Yes _____ No

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FAS Membership Categories

Membership in the Society is open to all interested individuals who are willing to abide by the Florida Anthropological Society Statement of Ethical Responsibilities, which can be found on our website fasweb.org. *Membership is for one year.*

Student *	\$15	Sustaining	\$100
Regular	\$30	Patron	\$1,000
Family	\$35	Benefactor	\$2,500
Institutional	\$30		

*Student membership is open to graduate, undergraduate and high school students. A photocopy of your student ID must accompany payment. **Add \$25 for foreign addresses.

Send Membership Form and Dues Payment to:

Florida Anthropological Society, P O Box 1561 Boynton Beach, FL 33425

You can join online or pay Membership dues renewals via PayPal on our website fasweb.org.

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Name: _____

Membership Category: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

FAS Chapter: _____

I wish to make a donation to:

\$ _____ Dot Moore/FAS Student Grant Fund \$ _____ Florida Archaeology Month Account

\$ _____ Florida Anthropologist Monograph Fund \$ _____ Florida Anthropologist Endowment Fund

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

_____ I agree to abide by the Code of Ethics of the Florida Anthropological Society.

Signature

Date