Colorado Archaeological Society - Grand Junction Chapter

May 2017 Newsletter

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CAS - GJ exists to provide education, training, community service opportunities, field trips and camaraderie for people to share their interests in the many local and regional aspects of the field of archaeology. Our chapter is a volunteer-run organization.

Questions? Call Ike Rakiecki at 970-219-0884 or send an email to casgjinfo@gmail.com or shockwaviar@gmail.com

Would you like your very own CAS-GJ name tag or t-shirt?

Colorado Graphx now has t-shirts and The Trophy Case has name tags available for purchase. The items look great and include the CAS-GJ logo. Both businesses are located in downtown Grand Junction. There is a limited-time discount for nametags ($7.50 each).

Contact the Trophy Case soon to purchase a name tag!

See page 2 for upcoming events and more news.
To attend any of our field trip or volunteer opportunities you must be a dues-paid member of CAS-GJ or CAS. Membership is not required to attend our meetings.

Questions about becoming a member?

Email us at casgjinfo@gmail.com or shockwaviar@gmail.com

To register for field trips you must sign up on our event calendar at www.cas-gj.org

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Saturday, May 6 - 9 Mile Canyon day-tour as part of Utah’s State Archaeology Month**

- **Tuesday, May 9 at 5:30 PM - CAS-GJ Board Meeting (volunteers are welcome)**
  Location: Central Library (443 N. 6th St, Grand Junction, CO).

- **Friday, May 12 at 7:00 AM - 3 Day Rock Art Exploration Trip to Vernal, UT.**
  Location: variable depending on how long you’re planning to stay. More info at www.casgj.org.

- **Monday, May 15 at 7:00 PM - Monthly Meeting: Archaeologist Steve Baker speaking about western Colorado explorer Juan Rivera and the Ute Indians**
  Location: Redlands Methodist Church (527 Village Way, Grand Junction, CO)

  Through meticulous scholarship and the help of copious original color illustrations by, Steven Baker becomes the first scholar to successfully trace the routes and explicate the context of Rivera’s travels and day-to-day narratives.

- **Wednesday, May 24 at 6:30 PM - CAS-GJ Book Club: Ladies of the Canyon**
  By Lesley Poling-Kempes
  Location: Out West Books (533 Main St, Grand Junction, CO)

In April, CAS-GJ members volunteered their time to clean-up an historic coal mining site in western Colorado. A fun time was had by all! Evidenced by everyone’s smiling faces.