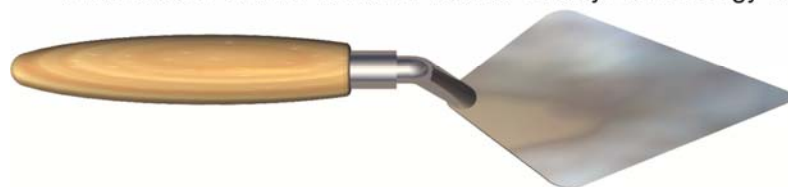


The Scoop

A Newsletter of the Friends of Fairfax County Archaeology and Cultural Resources FOFA



Please join The Friends of Fairfax Archaeology (FOFA) in welcoming to
Our October Membership Meeting:

Dr. Liz Crowell, Branch Manager, CRMPB, FCPA
What the Living Learn from Cemeteries

&

Fran Bromberg, Acting City Archaeologist, Alexandria
**Recognition and Remembrance: The Development of
Contrabands and Freedmen Cemetery Memorial**

Saturday, October 12, 2013 at 10 AM

**At the Green Spring Gardens Meeting Room
4603 Green Spring Road
Alexandria, Virginia 22312
703-642-5173**

<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/greenspring/directions.htm>

TWO TREATS

Enjoy coffee, bottled water, and
assorted pastries
beginning at 9:45 a.m.

A tour of the circa 1794 Historic
Manor House at Green Spring
(shown in adjacent photo)
at 12:15 p.m.

<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/greenspring/manor.htm>



Green Spring Farm - Circa 1933

October is Virginia Archaeology Month:

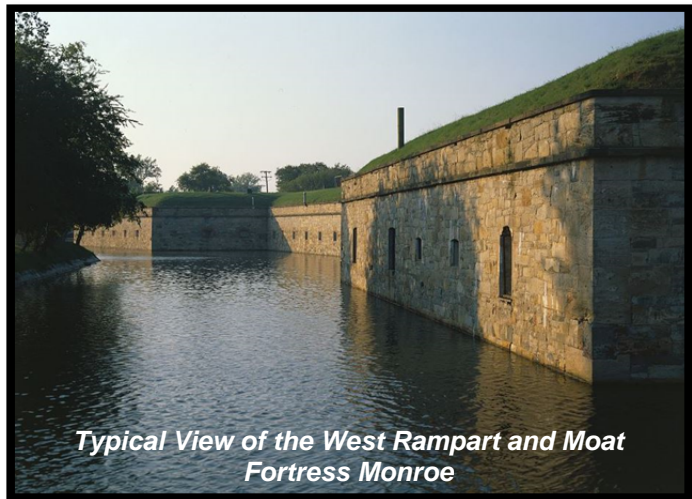
The month of October is set aside each year to celebrate Virginia archeology with various lectures and events throughout the Commonwealth. This year's theme is the **Virginia's Threatened Sites Program**. This program, administered by the Virginia Department of Historic Resources (DHR), offers funding for the rescue excavation, laboratory processing and analysis, or reporting of sites with statewide significance that are under the threat of destruction. The only other caveat is that sites must have no other available source of funding. For more information, contact the State Archaeologist, [Mike Barber](#), at (540) 387-5398.

Local Archeology events include a tour of excavations on Shuter's Hill in Alexandria on Friday, October 11, 2013 and a Fauquier County Archaeology Workshop on October 11 and 12, 2013. More details and other listings of events across the region and state can be found on the DHR's [Calendar of Events](#).

Virginia Archaeology Month
concludes with the...

Annual Meeting of the Archeological Society of Virginia

The 2013 Annual Meeting will be held from October 25-27 at the Cavalier Hotel in Virginia Beach, VA. The conference will include a chartered bus tour of Fort Monroe, located on Old Point Comfort., peninsula located at the confluence of the James River and the Chesapeake Bay.



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UPCOMING FOFA EVENTS...

The next FOFA membership meeting will be on December 7th, 2013. More details will follow.

Gunston Hall Symposium (February 2014)

FOFA Spring Symposium and Meeting TBA