



Old Stone Fort Archaeological Society

October 2013

The Old Stone Fort Archaeological Society will meet **Thursday, October 10 at 6:00 pm** at the Old Stone Fort Museum in Manchester, Tennessee. The purpose of this Society is to learn more about prehistoric Native American cultures and the early historic period of Tennessee. Our meetings are scheduled for the second Thursday of each month and are **Free** and open to the public.

Mr. Mark Crawford

who will present

Iconographic, Spatial, and Temporal Patterning in Rattlesnake Marine Shell Gorgets from the Southern Appalachian Highlands.

Mr. Crawford has examined over 300, marine shell rattlesnake gorgets from various sites throughout the Southeast. Mark has been able to delineate slight differences in these designs, providing some fascinating clues to the complexity of shell gorgets of the Mississippian period.

Bring your shell gorgets and/or any type gorget with designs to the October meeting. Mark



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Old Stone Fort State Park – 931-723-5073

<http://state.tn.us/environment/parks/OldStoneFort/>

Tennessee Archaeology Network

<http://frank.mtsu.edu/~kesmith/TNARCH/index.html>

Tennessee Archaeology – Online Journal

<http://frank.mtsu.edu/~kesmith/TNARCH/tennesseearchaeology.html>

Paleoamerican Odyssey Conference

October 17-19, 2013 - Santa Fe, NM

<http://paleoamericanodyssey.com/index.html>

Coffee County Historical Society

<http://tngenweb.org/coffee/>

Tennessee State Library and Archives

<http://www.tennessee.gov/tsla/>

Native History Association

<http://nativehistoryassociation.org/>

Moundville Archaeological Park – Festival – October 9-12

<http://moundville.ua.edu/festival/>

The Archaeology of Kentucky

<http://heritage.ky.gov/siteprotect/archofky.htm>

Alabama Archaeological Society

<http://alabamaarchaeology.org/>

The Society for Georgia Archaeology

<http://thesga.org/>

