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NEWSLETTER

ICON OF AMERICAN ARCHAEOLOGY PASSES AWAY

Archaeologists will be saddened to hear that James Deetz passed away at the age of 70 on Saturday afternoon, November 25th. Deetz was a leading thinker in historical archaeology, and between 1960 and 2000 his influence spread far beyond our field, into general archaeology, anthropology and history.

He also taught several generations of students in the field, having been a faculty member at University of California-Santa Barbara, Brown University, University of California-Berkeley and the University of Vir-

ginia.

Deetz served as President of the Society for Historical Archaeology, and was a recipient of the J.C. Harrington Medal from the Society for Historical Archaeology.

Notes and messages of condolence may be sent to his wife and family at:

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PROJECT PROFILE: Petroglyphs on the Big Island **First in a new series featuring projects around the State...**

Ed and Diane Stasack were on the Big Island for the annual SHA meetings this year, and stayed through November to work at a variety of sites on the island. Their visit coincided with the discovery of petroglyphs at Kaloko-Honokohau National Historical Park, so they made time in their busy schedule to conduct, with Rick Gmirkin, and in consultation with Rob Hommon and

Stan Bond, a rapid inventory of the newly uncovered petroglyphs (over 270). They also inspected glyphs at Pu'uhonua O Honaunau National Historic Park with Peggy Nelson, and were introduced by Tom Wolforth to some glyphs on and near the King's Pillars at Cape Kumukahi.

Looks like there'll be plenty for the Stasacks to do next year.

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Calendar of Events:

- Feb 5-9, 2001 *Australasian Archaeometry Conference* (car. ant.auckland.ac.nz/archconf)
- Feb 17-19, 2001 *Maritime Archaeology and History of Hawai'i and the Pacific*, Hawai'i Maritime Center, Honolulu (www2.hawaii.edu/mop/mop_GMAHCP.html)
- Apr 18-22, 2001 *Society for American Archaeology Conference*, New Orleans (www.saa.org/Meetings/)

CLINTON SIGNS REVISED EXECUTIVE ORDER ON CONSULTATION WITH TRIBES

On November 6, 2000, President Clinton signed a revised Executive Order to “establish regular and meaningful consultation and collaboration with tribal officials in the development of Federal policies that have tribal implications.” The revised order expands provisions in a 1998 Executive Order on Tribal Consultation. In regard to the Order, President Clinton said “I reaffirm our commitment to tribal sovereignty, self-determination, and self government. This Executive Order builds on prior actions and strengthens our government-to-government relationship with Indian

tribes and will ensure that all Executive department and agencies consult with tribes as they develop policy on issues that impact Indian communities.”

The full text of the President’s statement and Executive Order on Consultation and Coordination With Indian Tribal Governments, along with his earlier Orders concerning American Indian and Alaska Native Tribes, are located on the BIA’s website at:

www.doi.gov/bureau-indian-affairs.html



Don’t forget! Gorgeous blue 2000 SHA tee-shirts are available for \$15.00 each (\$12.50 each for two or more). Specify S, M, L, XL or XXL (new!) and add \$3.00 shipping per order. Make checks payable to Society for Hawaiian Archaeology and mail to: Society for Hawaiian Archaeology, P.O. Box 23292, Honolulu, HI 96823

THE DECEMBER SPEAKER SERIES HAS
BEEN CANCELED

CALL FOR PAPERS

The 13th annual Maritime Archaeology and History of Hawai`i and the Pacific Symposium will be held on the Presidents Day weekend at the Hawai`i Maritime Center. For more information, contact the UHM MOP office or visit the Symposium web site at:

http://www2.hawaii.edu/mop/mop_GMAHCP.html

2001 SHA Conference

Hal Hammatt, Theresa Donham and Melissa Kirkendall have agreed to form an organizational committee for the planning of the 2001 Society for Hawaiian Archaeology meetings on Maui. Those wishing to assist with this process should contact:

Hal Hammatt
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Kudos to Cordy

Dr. Ross Cordy’s new book, *Exalted Sits the Chief: The Ancient History of Hawai`i Island*, is heading for bookstore shelves. Reviewed as “one of the most important books ever published in the field of Hawaiian archaeology and history,” the book is the first major history of the Big Island, spanning the island’s initial settlement to Kamehameha’s unification. Cordy’s book is published by Mutual Publishing.

Website Resources

Old-time photos of Hawaii are available in profusion on the internet...if you know where to look. Often these photos can be downloaded free, and can either be used in research of an area or era, or to illustrate any number of texts.

For example, the Bancroft Library at UC-Berkeley has a website with a variety of old photos, paintings and sketches. Their website is:

[Http://www.lib.berkeley.edu/BANC/](http://www.lib.berkeley.edu/BANC/)

Here's one example of how it works:

- 1) Go to website
- 2) Select the California Heritage Digital Image

Access Project

- 3) Click (for this example) on the Robert B. Honeyman Collection
- 4) Search on "Hawaii"
- 5) To view the prints, click on the small arrow just to the right or the left of the big red "Hawaii"

The Honeyman Collection, for example, contains prints of the Honolulu Fort circa 1857, a lithograph of one of the Oceanic Steamship Company steamers en route to Honolulu, and a Russian artist's rendition of a Hawaii Canoe, drawn some time between 1803 and 1807.

Mangarevan Archaeology: Interpretations Using New Data & 40-Year Old Excavations to Establish a Sequence from 1200 to 1900 AD

...a new monograph by Roger Green and Marshall Weisler

Additional data and current interpretations of the prehistory of southeastern Polynesia are used to discuss a recently published archaeological sequence that used information from six sites excavated in the Mangarevan group in 1959.

More recent archaeological investigations on Pitcairn and Henderson Islands show they formed

part of a long-term interaction sphere with Mangareva. While the early part of the Mangareva sequence, from ca 800 to 1200 AD, remains unexplored through excavation, buried deposits for this interval probably exist on the main island of the Mangarevan group.

To order: send a personal check for \$10.00US (includes airmail and handling) to Genevieve Vincent, Anthropology Department, University of Otago, P.O. Box 56, Dunedin, NZ

SHA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION OR RENEWAL FORM

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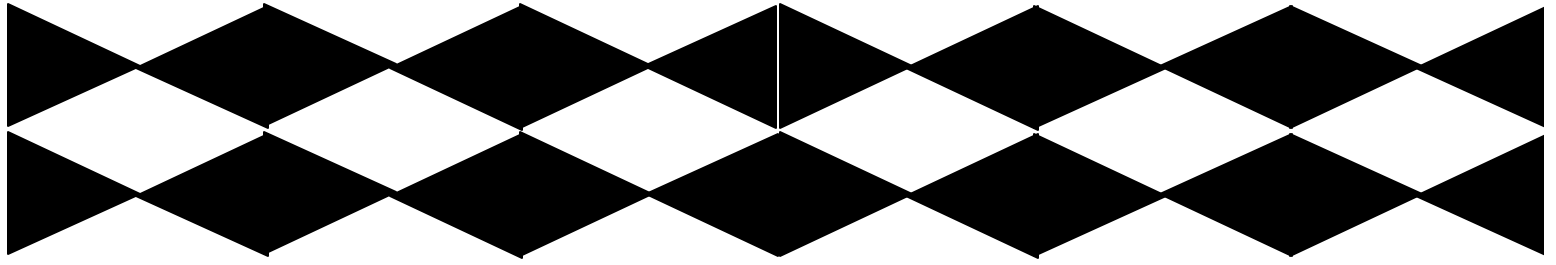
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Institutional (\$35)/ Regular (\$30)/ Student (\$15)

Education (degree[s], institution): _____

Signature: _____



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BALLOT

The following changes to dues and membership categories were voted on at the General Membership Meeting at Volcanoes National Park during SHA conference 2000. These changes must be voted on by ballot in order to be incorporated into the SHA By-laws.

- Students (full-time with ID, to include Graduate and Ph.D. candidates): \$15.00/year
- Regular: \$30.00/year
- Institutional (libraries, museums, etc.): \$35.00/year

Do you vote to adopt the dues and membership categories proposed above?

YES

NO

Please circle the response of your choice, fold this ballot along the dotted lines, tape it closed, place a stamp on it and mail it to us. Thank you for your time.

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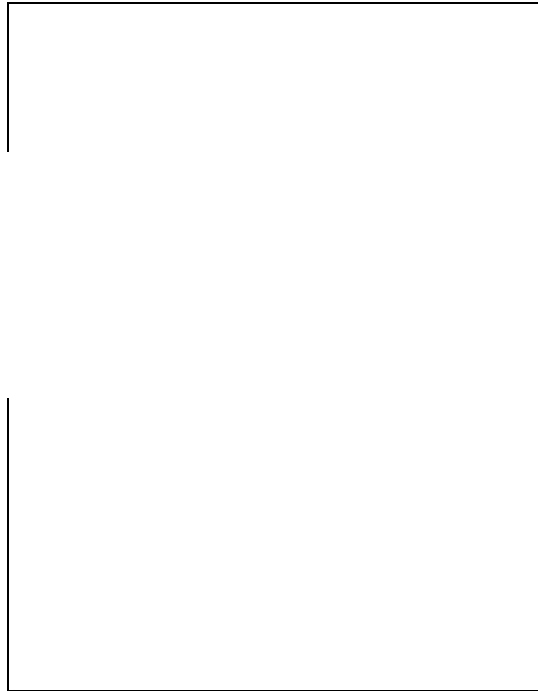
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December SHA Board meeting***

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