NINE MILE 
FIELD TRIP

This year Chuck Zehnder will be taking us up the last four miles of road in Nine Mile Canyon, an area that has not been open to the public for many years.

Those who want to are invited to camp with Chuck at Daddy Canyon on Friday, May 29th at 6:00 p.m. He will lead a one to two hour after-dinner walking tour to storage and habitation ruins and several good petroglyph panels.

Saturday everyone is to meet at Daddy Canyon at 8:30 a.m. We will be going up Frank’s Canyon beyond the normally locked gate. Chuck has been granted permission to visit the historical and prehistorical sites beyond here. Lunch will be at the old Dave Nordell Rocking Chair Ranch. Be sure to bring a lunch. Also to be visited is the “Lookout Tower” site which is featured in a mural at the museum.

Remember the dates - May 29 and 30, for an adventure up Nine Mile Canyon. Please bring your own food and water, a camera and binoculars might be a good idea.

Make your reservations now. Cars may be limited.

REGISTRATION FORM

Please check one or both if you plan to attend:

☐ May 29 - Camping Daddy Canyon
☐ May 30 - Frank’s Canyon / Beyond the Gate

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CLEVELAND-LLOYD DINOSAUR QUARRY

One of the world’s most productive dinosaur quarries, the source of fossil bones on display in 38 museums around the world, is the Cleveland-Lloyd Dinosaur Quarry 35 miles south of Price. It is administered by the Bureau of Land Management.

The quarry and visitor center are open weekends from Easter to Memorial Day. In summer, from Memorial Day to Labor Day, they are open Thursday through Monday (closed Tuesday and Wednesday). Hours of operation are 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Recent improvements at the site include a one and a half mile “Rock Walk” nature trail and an observation deck in the quarry building. The visitor center has several new exhibits, including a mounted, upper leg bone of Camarasaurus, a large, long-necked sauropod dinosaur.

The most common and best-known dinosaur species whose remains are found at the quarry is the carnivorous Allosaurus. It is represented in the visitor center by a complete skeleton, one of 44 individual Allosaurus identified by paleontologists here.

Research at the quarry is continuing. Core samples taken to determine the extent of the bone deposit were analyzed last year, and limited collection of specimens is planned in accordance with the capability of scientific institutions to prepare them. BYU may be digging at the quarry this summer or fall.

To reach the Cleveland-Lloyd Dinosaur Quarry, take Highway 10 and Highway 155 to Cleveland or Elmo and then follow signs east on unpaved roads.

For more information, contact the BLM office in Price at 637-4504 or visit the CEU Prehistoric Museum.

Rick Warnick

MUSEUM DEVELOPMENT

Expansion is in the air at the museum as exhibit space and work space is now crowded or non-existent.

We are pushing to extend the building on the west side, to create a “Hall of Dinosaurs”, a place where our four dinosaurs can be displayed together including the Stegosaurus currently under construction and the Camarasaurus.

Other projects in the works include a new display of an elk skin painting done by Chief Washakie’s son. It tells of Washakie’s vision about 1850. It was donated to the museum by Chester F. and Myrtle Ree Slaugh whose father was the Indian agent on the Wind River Reservation in Wyoming.

A rabbit skin robe made of 100 rabbit skins and hand twined fiber is being made by museum volunteers for the Indian exhibit upstairs. The cliff background on the right side of the Ute exhibit is also being completed.

We now have a laser printer and will be redoing all of the captions in the museum. Mike McAlinsh will be re-lettering the mammal exhibit to improve it.

Plans to update the Rochester-Muddy Creek rock art display is also being looked into.

Volunteers are always needed at the museum. Worknights are every Thursday at 7:30 p.m. So come and give us your help.

STATEWIDE ARCHAEOLOGICAL MEETING

The CASTLE VALLEY Chapter of the UTAH STATEWIDE ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY is hosting the annual meeting of the U.S.A.S. This 3-day meet will take place in Price on June 19, 20, 21. There will be many professional speakers, a U.S.A.S. business meeting, field trips, a Greek barbecue, a buffet, a breakfast, etc. Among the professional speakers will be Dave Madsen, Utah State Archaeologist, and Keith Montgomery, co-director of the “dig” at Huntington Canyon last fall.

Everyone is welcome to attend. For more information, you are invited to attend the Castle Valley Chapter meeting, which will be held on May 1st at the Price City Domes at 7:00 p.m. You may also contact Tom McCourt at 637-4544 or Bob Powell at 637-8410. Pre-registration is mandatory if you would like to attend any of the meals.

We would like to encourage anyone with an interest in ARCHAEOLOGY to join our local chapter. Meetings are held monthly and many exciting events and activities are taking place.

Bob Powell
FOSSIL COLLECTING FIELD TRIP

July 18th is scheduled for a Fossil Collecting Field Trip to Soldier Summit with Mike McAinsh. We will meet at the museum at 9:00 a.m., and convoy up to an outcropping of the Green River Formation which contains bird tracks, fresh water gastropods, bivalves and fish.

Be sure to bring a rock collecting bag, climbing shoes, water and a lunch. Make your reservations now because there is a 15 car limit.

The Green River Formation of N.E. Utah and adjacent states, an ancient lake deposit world famous for its fish fossils and oil shales, is of the Eocene Epoch (50 million years ago).

Mike McAinsh

FIVE FINGER RIDGE LECTURE A SUCCESS

Dr. James Wilde opened our 1987 lecture series with a video and slide presentation on the Five Fingers Knoll and Icicle Ridge sites. More than 75 people attended the April 3rd event.

The video told the history and background of the project which was a result of the I-80 expansion by UDOT. It was interesting to note that archaeologists were made aware of the Five Fingers site by a citizen of Richfield. Local residents also helped in the excavation of the site which eventually became the largest Fremont village ever uncovered. It demonstrated the importance of local citizens being aware of and involved in the projects in their areas which may uncover or destroy prehistoric cultural remains.

Dr. Wilde narrated the slide presentation which showed some of the interesting artifacts found during the project. Many of them will be on display at the Fremont State Park by Richfield. He also discussed the dates which have resulted from the excavations. Samples were taken from Carbon 14, Archeomagnetic, obsidian-hydration and dendrochronological dating. He explained how the various methods worked. The different dating techniques used together reinforce each other.

Before introducing Dr. Wilde, Don Burge, Museum Director, discussed some of the current museum projects. Bob Powell gave some information on the upcoming activities of the local chapter of the Utah State Archaeological Society. The museum is in the process of obtaining a copy of the video Dr. Wilde showed and we hope it will be available soon for viewing at the museum.

Pam Miller

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Lunch ____________ Sturdy Shoes ____________
Water ____________ Camera ____________
Full Gas Tank ____________ First Aid Kit ____________
Collecting Bag ____________

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Summer and Fall 1987

May 29 & 30  Nine Mile Canyon Field Trip
             Chuck Zehnder

June 19, 20, 21 Utah Statewide Archaeological Society's Annual Meeting. For information call Tom McCourt at 637-4544 or Bob Powell at 637-8410.

July 18  Bird Track and Fossil Collecting Field Trip at Soldier Summit. Mike McAnish

August 1  Ferron Canyon Field Trip - Archaeological and Paleontological. Steve Robinson - State Forest Service.

September 26 San Rafael Swell Field Trip
                 Dr. J. Eldon Dorman

November  Huntington Canyon Dig Lecture
              Keith Montgomery - Abajo Archaeology

January 1988  Donner Party Site and Danger Cave
              Lecture - Dave Madsen - State Archaeologist

Join The Fun Now!!

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