Did you know that Eastern Utah is going to have its own Olympic event? It’s true! The C. E. U. Prehistoric Museum has arranged for a Cultural Olympiad Special Traveling Exhibit to be shown in the museum gallery. This Contest is for Real Hands: Rodeo Photographs of the 1930’s opens January 28 and will be shown until March 4, 2002. This exhibition captures the drama and color of an old-time western rodeo, complete with bucking broncos, wild steers, trick riders, calf ropers, and parades down Main Street.

The 56 black-and-white photographs in this exhibition are modern restrikes from vintage negatives, were taken in the 1930s by Otho Hartly (1895-1964). Many of his rodeo photographs were made inside the arena itself, a situation that often put the photographer in grave danger. Somehow amid the contorting broncos and half-crazed steers, he managed to keep the action within the viewfinder and in focus. The results are some of the best images of this tradition, one that Hartly captured in all its varied and unique aspects.

The museum plans to have local rodeo (Carbon and Emery) memorabilia on display in cases for public viewing. The grand opening reception will be Friday, February 1, 2002 in the upstairs art gallery. There will be music by the Nine Mile Players, playing country music favorites. Rodeo club members will be on hand to explain rodeo jargon, and there will be refreshments. It starts at 7:00 and will go until 9:00 pm or even later if the crowd demands it. The public is invited. During the weeks of the event there will be lectures at the museum and rodeo demonstrations in the public schools.

Call the museum 1-800-817-9949 or 1-435-637-5060 for more details.

This Contest is for Real Hands Rodeo Photographs of the 1930s is curated by Lee Stillman, Photo Archivist of the Powell Country Museum and Arts Foundation in Deer Lodge, Montana The exhibition is toured by Exhibits USA. The purpose of Exhibits USA is to create access to an array of arts and humanities exhibitions, nurture the development and understanding of diverse art forms and cultures, and encourage the expanding depth and breadth of cultural life in local communities.

This contest is for Real Hands: Rodeo Photographs of the 1930s is a program of Exhibits USA. It is a national division of Mid-America Arts Alliance. It is generously sup-

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UPCOMING EVENTS

December 10- January 27- Gary M. Smith "Utah's Rock Art Wilderness Louvre" Gallery Exhibit

January 8, Tuesday- Utah Friends of Paleontology Meeting, Museum Classroom- 7:00pm

January 17, Thursday, Castle Valley Chapter (CVAS) Archaeology meeting- 7:00pm

January 28, Monday until Monday March 4, 2002 - Cultural Olympiad Gallery Exhibit, This Contest is for Real Hands: Rodeo Photographs of the 1930s by Otho Hartly.

January 29, Tuesday, 2001- C.E.U. Prehistoric Museum presents, Nine Missing Links: The Dinosaurs That Nobody Else Has, Capitol Building Salt Lake City, Utah on Museums Day. 9:00am to 4:00pm.

February 1, Friday 2002, Exhibit Opening Reception- 7:00-9:00pm in Museum Gallery, local rodeo memorabilia to be displayed, Nine Mile Players Music, and refreshments.

February 12, Tuesday- Utah Friends of Paleontology (UFOP) Meeting 7:00pm Classroom

February 21, Thursday- CVAS Meeting Classroom 7:00pm

March 5, Tuesday to April 30- Exhibit, Digital Photography of Rock Art by Layne Miller

March 13, Tuesday UFOP meeting in the classroom- 7:00pm

March 21 Thursday CVAS meeting in the classroom- 7:00pm

April 9, Tuesday- UFOP meeting, classroom, 7:00pm

April 18, Thursday USAS meeting, classroom, 7:00pm

April 26, Friday-Dino Feast College Center Ballroom

May 4-12- Prehistory Week

May 7, Tuesday, Paleontology Lecture- TBA

May 9, Thursday, Archaeology Lecture-TBA

May 11, Saturday, Museum Family Day- 10:00am- 3:00pm

June 1- July 1, Mike Vranish Rock Art Images Exhibit

June 3-6, High School Paleontology-Geology Field School

July 29-August 2, Dino Adventure Field School
Museum Associate Members

Thanks to all of the members of the Museum Association, your generous contributions allow the museum to provide the general public with world class exhibits and bring the best prehistory and education programs as well as information on new and exciting discoveries.

Lifetime Members are Richard Lee and Bob and Peggy Peyton. Here is a list of the 2001-2002 members:

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If you would like to become a Museum Association Member, please call the C.E.U. Prehistoric Museum and ask for information at 1- 800- 817-9949 or 435-613-5060.
MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM THE MUSEUM STAFF

Don Burge    Pam Miller    Duane Taylor
John Bird    Moses Gallegos    Marvin Evans
Margene Hackney    Maria Cicconetti
Denise Thayn    Brandon Smith    Darla Schiltz
Terry Jewkes    Melissa Nakai    Sara Pagliarina
Kara Lee Thayn    Jim Peczuh    Melinda Long
Kathryn Haddock    Carrie Miller
Society of Vertebrate Paleontologists Annual Conference

The Annual Conference of the Society of Vertebrate Paleontologists (SVP) was held in Bozeman, Montana on October 3-6, 2001. Director Don Burge and Bone Preparator John Bird attended. They presented a poster session on *The Fauna of the Price River II. Quarry of Eastern Utah*. This quarry has produced nine dinosaurs, five are brachiosaurs, four are adults and one is a juvenile. There are also two Ankylosaur that appear to be quite large. There is a nodosaur, an iguanodont, and a turtle that have been identified by a few bones of each of the animals.

Six hundred and fourteen bones were excavated by the end of the 2000 dig season. The bone bed continues to widen and thicken. As the collection from the site grows there will be an opportunity to study the growth stages and possible sexual dimorphism of many of these animals. The poster session was again presented to the Utah Friends of Paleontology Raptor Chapter on Tuesday, November 13.

At SUV there were three days of lectures covering all areas of Paleontology. After the conference ended, Don and John traveled to Canada. There they toured Dinosaur Provincial Park and visited The Royal Tyrrell Museum of Paleontology near Drumheller, Alberta Canada. They were very impressed with the interactive displays and interpretive programs that the museum had for visitors.

Gary Smith Exhibit Opens

The C.E.U. Prehistoric Museum will have on display the Gary M. Smith exhibit. This is a picture essay of rock art that is titled "Utah's Rock Art Wilderness Lounes". Gary Milton Smith was born on March 15, 1944 in Payette, Idaho. During his life he was an author, photographer, musician and a songwriter. He also worked as a ranger and naturalist in the Sawtooth Mountains Primitive Area of Idaho, and the Maze District of Canyonlands National Park in Utah.

He wrote the book "Windsinger" which was published in 1975 and recorded the music written in the book soon after. He won an Emmy for a PBS television historical/biographical documentary about his life in 1983. While a ranger in the Maze he took many photographs of rock art and wrote an essay to accompany them. His words and photographs were published by National Geographic in January 1980. The article was made into a traveling display and was exhibited across the United States. The C.E.U. Prehistoric Museum is now the permanent repository for this display.

Gary worked for the National Multiple Sclerosis Society performing benefit concerts on the society's behalf. In 1979 the NMSS cited him for "courage, creativity and dedication in support of the battle against multiply sclerosis" and in 1979 he won the Patient Achievement Award for NMSS Region 1.

He designed and lived in the handicap-accessible "Freedom Home" in Logan, Utah, which was used by home appliance and furnishing manufactures as a model home to help the disabled live more independently.

Gary Smith died in 1988 in Logan, due to complications of multiple sclerosis. The exhibition will be in the museum art gallery until January 27, 2002.

Museum Gains Two New Employees

Angela Kingery, a long time employee of the C.E.U. Prehistoric Museum gave notice in October that she and her family would be moving out of the area. Angela was the Office Manager and last summer took on the job as Gift Shop Manager as well. She was saddened to leave, but is looking forward to meeting new people and settling in her new home. We here at the Museum will miss her and wish her the best of luck.

Darla Schultz is the new Office Manager at the CEU Museum. Darla is originally from Southern California. She moved to Oregon in 1992, but has been living in Price with her husband Brandon for the last three years.

She will be graduating from CEU in May with an Associate of Applied Science in Administrative Assistant/Information Processing Specialist. She will also receive a Certificate of Completion in Office Computer Systems.

Darla’s hobby is reading books and magazines about true crime cases. She is very excited and enthusiastic about her new job at the CEU Prehistoric Museum.

Terry Jewkes, the new Gift Shop Manager was born in Fort Worth, Texas and grew up in Melbourne, Florida. She was caught up in the excitement of the space program. Her father worked at Cape Canaveral and Patrick Airforce base.

After graduation, she moved to Zion, Utah. She continued her education at L.D.S. Business College. She met her husband, whose name is also Terry. They have four children and live in Wellington. Terry has lived in Carbon County for 30 years and is planning to take more business classes at C.E.U.

The staff welcomes these two new employees and looks forward to working together to bring the museum to new heights of success.
Young Museum Volunteer Reward Party

On Friday November 2, the Young Museum Volunteers had their reward party in the museum classroom. They were rewarded with all the pizza they could eat which they ate while watching the video, The Mummy Returns. They each received a certificate of appreciation for their work and many will return to volunteer next summer. The adult volunteers will have a reward dinner later in the New Year. If you are interested in volunteering call the Museum 613-5060 and ask for Margene.

Utah Museums Yes Day

The Office of Museum Services and the Utah Museums Association are sponsoring the second annual celebration of Utah museums as part of "Utah Museum Day". It will take place on Tuesday, January 29, 2002. All exhibits will be on display in the Utah State Capitol Rotunda from 9:00am to 4:00pm that day only.

The C.E.U. Prehistoric museum was invited for a second time and will display a unique exhibit entitled "Nine Missing Links: The Dinosaurs That Nobody Else Has." The four foot skirted table will have a focal point backboard with a large canvas drawing of these Cretaceous creatures in their natural habitat. The artist Denise Thayne will be there to describe her drawing techniques. The Cliff Green dinosaur models will also be on display.

Other representatives from the museum will Director Don Burge telling visitors about the new finds, along with quarry crew chief John Bird. Assistant director Pam Miller will have a student volunteer give out hands on material for the visitors. If you are in the area on January 29th, it will be a worthwhile event to see.