

NEW: KIDS ARCHEOLOGY PROGRAM

June 15–20, 2008, Jones Mill Site, Malvern, Arkansas

Are you and your child interested in attending the Training Program, but afraid your child might get bored? The Arkansas Archeological Society is premiering the “Kids’ Program,” a 5-day introduction to Arkansas history, geography, and archeology through excavation, lab work, and handcrafts geared just for kids. Activities include demonstrations, hands-on learning, and working alongside professional and amateur archeologists at the Jones Mill site.

Details and Regulations

- for ages 8 to 12 only
- enrollment limited to 10 children
- kids must be accompanied by a parent or guardian who is registered in the Training Program
- limit of two children per registered adult sponsor
- if a child or his/her sponsor has never been to the Training Program before, BOTH are required to attend Beginners’ Orientation together on Monday, June 16 at 6:30 am
- while children attend Kids’ Program activities, adult sponsors will take part in regular Training Program activities (site excavation, lab work, or seminars)
- each adult sponsor must also assist with Kids’ Program activities for one half-day during the 5-day session
- children and adult sponsors must be members of the Arkansas Archeological Society
- minors not enrolled in the Kids’ Program must be registered in the Training Program and be in the company of their parent/guardian at all times
- no child younger than 8 may participate in the Training Program or Kids’ Program
- **no unregistered children are permitted on the site or at Training Program activities**

Registration

- registration deadline is May 16, 2008
- a detailed information packet will be mailed to registrants shortly after May 16
- attendees must check in at Headquarters by 5:00 pm on Sunday, June 15

Scouting

- Kids’ Program fulfills all but one requirement for the Boy Scouts Archeology Badge (requirement #5 should be completed later under supervision of the scout master)
- Kids’ Program fulfills requirements for Girl Scouts Archeology Badge now under development

Fees

Adult sponsor: \$45 plus AAS membership fees if not already a member
Kids: \$45 plus AAS membership fees if not already a member
(includes snacks and supplies for kids)

Contact

For questions or to register:
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