

E-Blast from EJJ!

We're very happy to announce that David Moore and the field school students and staff have moved into the Wall Center for Archaeological Research. We want to thank Patti Matthias for all of her love and support over the past 9 years while the field school used her house for their field camp. They will miss Patti but David reports that everyone loves having 5 showers in the new dorms!

We hope we'll see you at some of the upcoming events.

Members Day at the Berry site

Saturday June 13, 2009

9:30 am -2:30 pm

David Moore is hosting a "Members Day at the Berry site." This is a chance to experience an actual excavation at the Berry site, the location of the Native American town of Joara and Fort San Juan, occupied by Spanish soldiers in 1567-1568. Fort San Juan is the earliest European settlement in the interior of the United States. Participants will learn about artifacts and excavation techniques with David Moore, director of the Warren Wilson College archaeology field school at the Berry site.

This event is open - free of charge - to all members of the Exploring Joara Foundation; however, only a limited number of spaces are available. No previous experience is necessary. Children between the ages of 10 -14 must be accompanied by an adult. Please contact David Moore (828-713-7520; dmoore@warren-wilson.edu) to reserve a spot. Membership in the Exploring Joara Foundation is also open to the public. For member information contact David Moore or the Exploring Joara Foundation at 439-2463; www.ExploringJoara.org.

Berry site slide show at Morganton Public Library

David Moore will be talking about the Berry site and the Exploring Joara Regional Public Archaeology Program at the Library, Monday, June 8 at 6:00 pm. Free and open to the public.

Field Day at the Berry site

Remember to mark your calendars for the Field Day - Saturday June 27 from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm!

As always, thank you for your continued support.