Amazing Archaeology Fair at Harvard
Saturday, October 3, 2015 12:00–4:00 pm = Specific times
Two Museums. One Amazing Day!

Peabody Museum of Archaeology & Ethnology, 11 Divinity Avenue

**Secret Spaces**
*See back for times, Meet in lobby*
Peek into a Peabody storage room with a collections expert to see hidden treasures

**Virtual Archaeology - Tech to the Rescue**
*1:30 PM 1st Floor*
Watch an archaeologist create a live 3D computer model to demonstrate a modern solution to a 100 year-old problem

**Did We Do in the Neanderthals?**
*2:15 PM 3rd Floor*
Watch a researcher’s short TED-style talk in the gallery

**Protecting the Past:** NeferKITTY
*1st Floor*
See a cat mummy and watch a museum conservator repair a crocodile mummy

**Secrets in Ancient Teeth**
*1st Floor*
Learn what teeth reveal about ancient lives and see decorated Maya teeth with museum osteologists

**Book Sale**
*1st Floor*
20% off every book in the Peabody Museum, including Peabody Museum Press anthropology books

**Ask the Archaeologist**
*3rd Floor*
Bridget Alex - Near East: “Did We Do in the Neanderthals?”
Jada Ko - China: “Where in the World to Dig?”
Sarah Martini - New Mexico: “Devastating Disease”
Nat Erb-Satullo - Europe: “Fire in the Caucasus”
Lauren Santini - Mesoamerica: “Tales from the Ashes”
Eric Johnson - Greenland: “Volcanoes & Vikings”

**3D Scanning: Old is New**
*3rd Floor*
A Maya scholar demonstrates 3D scanning

**Ocarinas**
*3rd Floor*
Toodle on one of the oldest styles of musical instruments

**Flint-Knapping Demonstration**
*outside*
Observe a stone-tool maker at work

**Atl-Atl Workshop**
*outside back courtyard, follow road arrows*
Use a dart-thrower with the World Atlatl Association to hit a deer or boar target

**Zooarchaeology Lab - Open House**
*3rd Floor*
Visit behind the scenes of a museum laboratory that helps archaeologists identify animal bones found in their excavations. Researchers who study animal remains from ancient human-occupation sites (zooarchaeologists) demonstrate, using skeletons of modern animals.

**NEW EXHIBITION opens today!**
*3rd Floor*
Ocarinas of the Americas: Music Made in Clay
See nearly 100 spectacular examples of clay instruments uncovered at archaeological sites in Central America and Mexico, crafted into a variety of human and animal forms.

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**Try-it: Hands-on Archaeology for All Ages**
*Look for orange signs in both museums*

**Archaeological Illustration**
Draw details from ancient stone monuments

**Bone Detective**
Assemble bones of a goat; see if you have the skills of a zooarchaeologist

**Archaeology Touchbox**
Use only your sense of touch to identify artifacts

**Digging Veritas**
Handle archaeology tools with students from the Harvard Yard Archaeology Project

**Ancient Writing in Clay**
Grasp a stylus to make your mark on a clay tablet

**Ancient Pots in Pieces**
See how a broken piece can reveal surprising information

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**Harvard Semitic Museum, 6 Divinity Avenue**

**Gallery Tour: Iron-Age House**
*12:30 PM 1st Floor*
20-minute guided tour of an ancient Israelite dwelling replica.

**Secret Spaces**
*1:00 PM and 2:30 PM Meet in Lobby*
Peek into a Semitic Museum storage room for 20 minutes to see hidden treasures

**Gallery Tour: Nile to Euphrates**
*3:00 PM 3rd Floor*
20-minute highlights tour of the newest exhibition

**Ask the Archaeologist**
*1st Floor*
Jing Jin - Ashkelon, Israel “Digging up the Port”

**Craft Table: Egyptian Collars**
*2nd Floor*
Kids make a wearable ornament

**Casting the Past: Re-creating Destroyed History**
*3rd Floor*
Students replicate casts of remaining wall sculptures destroyed by war

**Protecting the Past: Cuneiform**
*3rd Floor*
Meet experts who protect ancient clay writing tablets

**Chair of the Pharos**
*outside*
Harvard Ceramics members create Egyptian ceramic inlays to restore an ancient throne
Save the Date: Sunday, November 1 at the Peabody Museum   Noon–4:00 PM

**Day of the Dead Family Event**

Mexican folk dance and live mariachi music encourage families to participate in this joyful event welcoming back the spirits of loved ones. Try a traditional snack in festive museum galleries, decorate a sugar skull, and make papel picado. See more on the website: www.peabody.harvard.edu

No advance tickets required. Snack and activities free with museum admission. Skull-decorating fee: $5 per skull. Complimentary event parking available at the 52 Oxford Street Garage.