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Newsletter of the
NORTHERN VIRGINIA CHAPTER (NVC) OF THE
ARCHEOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF VIRGINIA

Chapter Website – www.nvcasv.org



FROM THE CHAPTER PRESIDENT

PATRICK O'NEILL

ZOOM Meeting starts at

7pm, not 7:30pm!!!!



This month's meeting will be via Zoom.
To join the meeting follow this link.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86502849063>

Wednesday, Nov. 13, 2024 **7PM**

Elections for the 2025 officers for the Northern Virginia Chapter will be at the December meeting. The nominees are as follows:

President - Patrick O'Neill

Vice-President – no nominee

Treasurer – Barbara Leven

Recording Secretary – Diane Schug-O'Neill

Datum Point Editor – Ishtar Watson

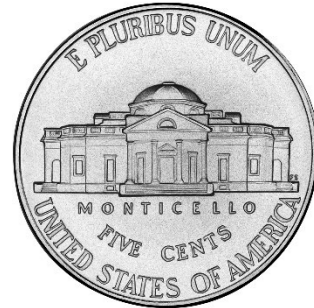
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Please note that no one is slated to run for Vice-President. If you would like to run for that position, PLEASE let me know! We are the largest chapter in the ASV, and I know there is someone out there that would be a great Chapter Officer!

I am almost done with the excavations at the Everhart Mill in northern Loudoun County northwest of Lovettsville, but there is still mapping to do! Interested? Contact me!!!! Mike Johnson still doing Jasper Ridge lab work!

The Christmas Party will be held at the Thomas Jefferson Library on Route 50 on Dec. 11, 2024, from 6-9pm!!!!

THOMAS JEFFERSON'S MONTICELLO



BY PATRICK O'NEILL

Not just the back of the nickel!!!!!! Thomas Jefferson's Monticello was his home for decades, and modified several times, until he was satisfied to the way it looks today. Spread across the landscape of the mountain top were the homes and work places for his hundreds of enslaved workers, gardens, open spaces, and a view of the surrounding area, including The University of Virginia.

Patrick O'Neill is a professional archaeologist, President of the Northern Virginia Chapter, and President of the Archeological Society of Virginia (2023-2026).

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Dues:

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The Chapter usually meets at 7:30p.m. on the 2nd Wed. of each month. *Meetings may take place in-person and/or on Zoom. Details with start time and on-line/in-person information will be provided in the *Datum Point* newsletter prior to each meeting.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!!!!