

# Association of Professional Archaeologists of Ontario Annual General Meeting & Workshop

**Sunday October 18<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

At Best Western Highland Inn and Conference Centre  
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<b>APA Annual General Meeting</b>	Includes Breakfast (No Charge)	8 a.m. – 9 a.m.
<b>Workshop 9:15 to 12:30</b>	\$30 for members, \$35 non-members	9:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Space is limited so please register on-line early  
Pre-registration deadline is October 4th, 2015

## Smoking Pipes in Canada: An Archaeological Perspective Presented by Charles Bradley

The vast quantities of clay pipe fragments recovered within controlled excavations over the years have led to the creation of a credible chronology within this artifact class that can successfully be applied to dating and interpreting archaeological deposits. This workshop will aid archaeologists in the identification, analysis and interpretation of smoking pipe material. It will provide a consistent terminology as well as illustrate how artifact ascription and date may be determined through examination of such attributes as material and method of manufacture; stem bore diameter, bowl size, bowl shape, decoration and maker's marks. It will also examine consumption patterns as well as explore the significance of such strategies as minimum object count and bowl/stem ratios in determining the nature of occupation at the site under investigation. Although the focus will be clay pipes manufactured in the European tradition, the workshop will include pipes made in a variety of other materials. It will also touch on alternative forms of tobacco consumption that may be encountered within the archaeological record.

## A Total Station Workshop: The Use (and Misuse) of a Total Station in Grid Set-Up and Site Mapping Presented by Timmins-Martelle Heritage Consultants

We encourage all members to attend the full Symposium hosted jointly by OAS & ESAF. Details can be found at <http://www.esaf-archeology.org/meetings.html>



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