

# **ELEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING**

## ***FRIENDS OF THE OFFICE OF STATE ARCHAEOLOGY, INC.***

SATURDAY, JANUARY 26, 2008  
*Smith Middle School Auditorium*  
216 Addison Road, Glastonbury, Connecticut

### **1:00 WELCOME, BUSINESS MEETING, NOMINATIONS & ELECTION OF DIRECTORS & OFFICERS**

**2:00 SPEAKER: Archaeologist Richard Lawrence**, Director of Underwater Archaeology at the North Carolina Department of Cultural Resources. Over the past thirty years Richard has investigated hundreds of underwater archaeological sites including colonial sailing vessels and numerous Civil War shipwrecks. In 1996, a shipwreck in Beaufort Inlet thought to be Blackbeard's flagship *Queen Anne's Revenge* was discovered. Since that time Richard has been involved in all phases of research and management for that site and is a part of the five-member *Queen Anne's Revenge* Archaeological Advisory Committee.

Richard has written numerous reports and articles on underwater archaeology in North Carolina. His presentation – ***In Search of Blackbeard: The Queen Anne's Revenge Shipwreck Project*** - will cover the results of his work on the project to date.



***Blackbeard***



***Queen Anne's Revenge***

The public is invited to attend this event, co-sponsored by FOSA and the Connecticut State Museum of Natural History and Connecticut Archaeology Center. Current members of either organization will be admitted without fee. A \$12.00 donation is requested from all other attendees. Students will be admitted for free. For further information, call (860)486-4460.

**BAD WEATHER ARRANGEMENTS:** If weather requires cancellation, FOSA will post notice on WTIC (AM 1080) and on Channel 3 by 10 AM. RAIN/SNOW DATE: Sunday, January 27, 2008

### **DIRECTIONS TO SMITH MIDDLE SCHOOL IN GLASTONBURY**

#### **From 91 South & 91 North:**

1. Take Exit 25 (Putnam Bridge-Glastonbury Rte 3) and follow to Route 2 East/Norwich
2. Take Exit 8 off Route 2 and at end of ramp turn left onto Hebron Avenue.
3. On Hebron Avenue make left at 4<sup>th</sup> traffic light onto Eastern Blvd and follow .8 of a mile to end.
4. Smith Middle School will be directly in front you - Park in Visitor Parking Lot on the left.

#### **From 84 East or West:**

1. Take Route 2 East off 84
2. Take Exit 8 off of Route 2 and follow steps 2-4 in directions above.

#### **From Route 2 West:**

1. Take Exit 8 off Route 2 and turn right at end of ramp.
2. At light, take right turn onto Hebron Avenue
3. Go about .25 miles and turn left at 2<sup>nd</sup> light onto Eastern Blvd. and follow steps 3 & 4 in directions above.