

San Diego Rock Art Association Meeting

Sunday, December 5, 2010

Kumeyaay-Ipai Interpretive Center
13104 Ipai Waaypuk Trail (formerly Silver Lake Drive)
Poway, CA 92064



A dagger of light crosses the eyes of the Sunwatcher each year on the morning of the Winter Solstice at La Rumorosa, Baja California. Photos by Ken Hedges.

Relevant literature reference:

- Hedges, Ken
1986 "The Sunwatcher of La Rumorosa." In *Rock Art Papers, Volume 4*, pp. 17-32.
San Diego Museum Papers No. 21.

4:00 Potluck: Bring food of your choice to share

5:00 Meeting / Photo Share

6:00 Presentation by Ken Hedges:

"Archaeoastronomy in Kumeyaay Country"

Extra added attraction: "This Rock Art Is the Pits"

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The **pot luck dinner** started at 4:15 PM. Members and guests brought a variety of wonderful dishes and the room was filled with animated conversations.

The **business meeting** was called to order by Sherry Eberwein at 5:15 p.m.

Report from the **November Core Committee Meeting**:

- The Core Committee is still researching liability issues with field trips. Sandy Zahn had a meeting with Ben Everitt at the URARA Symposium to discuss insurance options for field trips.
- We have \$2540.00 in the treasury and 72 members.
- We are hoping to make **T-shirts and/or sweatshirts with our logo** to sell at the June anniversary meeting.
- We have received some **donations** from members, but they are **not tax deductible** as we are not a non profit organization. The Core Committee is still considering whether we want to be a **501(c)(3)** at this time.
- We now have a beautiful **website** designed by Ken Hedges. It can be accessed at www.sandiegorockart.org. It will have announcements and meeting information.

Other **announcements**:

- The **Kumeyaay-Ipai Interpretive Center** at Pauwai KIIC is having a **docent training program**. If you are interested in being a docent you can receive information from the following sources:
 - ❖ Suzanne Emery 858-748-3968 sheed@cox.net
 - ❖ Sandee Horan 858-513-1700 sandeeh75@cox.net
 - ❖ or at the web site
<http://friendsofthekumeyaay.org/visiting-thecenter/docent-information>
- The California Archaeological Site Stewardship program is having a training workshop for Cleveland National Forest. The workshop will be held at the office of the Cleveland National Forest at 10845 Rancho Bernardo Road, Suite 200, San Diego 92127 on December 11-12. You must register in advance by contacting Beth Padon (bpadon@discoveryworks.com) 562-431-0300.

Upcoming Meeting

Sunday, February 6, 2011 Eve Ewing will speak on "Water: a Metaphor for Life"

The business meeting was adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

Program

Ken Hedges gave two fascinating talks. The first one was entitled "Archaeoastronomy in Kumeyaay County." He explained and gave examples of indirect and direct solar observations in the Kumeyaay region. The second was "This Rock Art is the Pits." In this talk Ken explained the universality of cupules.

Respectfully submitted by Sandra Zahn