



## Archeology Program

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#### Archeology website receives award

The Archeology program website, <<http://www.cr.nps.gov/aad/>> has been selected for the *3clix Seal of Excellence Award* due to a superior rating of informational content. *3clix* describes itself as the web's only *Ratings Library*, a unique reference source for Net users based on expert-rated sites. Their mission is: "To save users time and effort in finding the most reliable, top-rated information available on the Internet." *3clix* assists people in finding information they need, especially when time is of the essence and unreliable information could result in added risk or harm. *3clix* does this by having experts in each topic area rate and recommend the top-five most reliable sites available in a given topic, and makes it accessible from virtually any wired and wireless device worldwide. To find the NPS Archeology webpage featured on 3clix, go to: <http://www.3clix.info/3clix/sites?show=4073>.

#### Coso Rock Art feature

We are pleased to announce the newest feature in the *Discover Archeology* series: Coso Rock Art. Begin your visit of the Coso Rock Art feature on our home page: <http://www.cr.nps.gov/aad/>. The Coso Rock Art District is a National Historic Landmark located deep in the U.S. Navy's testing station at China Lake in California. More than 20,000 images and associated sites comprise one of America's most impressive petroglyphic and archeological complexes. Come explore the long history of the Coso people and the meanings they inscribed in stone. (The full *Discover Archeology* series is on-line at <http://www.cr.nps.gov/aad/public/discover.htm>.)

#### Federal Archeology Program Report to Congress

In January 2005 the Departmental Consulting Archeologist distributed a request for data on Federal agency archeological activities that were conducted or required in FY2004. These data are utilized in the preparation of the Secretary's Report to Congress on the Federal Archeology Program. The deadline for submission of data is March 31, 2005. Questionnaires and forms for submitting information are available on the Archeology Program website at [www.cr.nps.gov/aad/src/forms.htm](http://www.cr.nps.gov/aad/src/forms.htm).

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