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Hopewell Culture News Release

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Professional Artifact and Fossil Identification

Date: Saturday, October 10, 2009

Time: 10 am to 3 pm

Location: Hopewell Culture National Historical Park - Mound City Group Visitor Center

**Do you have artifacts and fossils?
Are you curious and want to know more about the items in your collection?**

Then, come out to Hopewell Culture National Historical Park on
Saturday, October 10, 2009, from 10 am to 3 pm, for ***Hopewell Discovery Day!***

Hopewell Discovery Day is a *free* day of activities dedicated to learning about the science of archeology and understanding the Hopewell Culture.

During the event, bring artifacts and fossils from you collection and have them professionally identified by archeologist Bill Pickard from the Ohio Historical Society and paleontologist Dr. Royal Mapes from Ohio University.

This is a great opportunity to learn about those unique items in your collection and discover more about the amazing cultural and natural history of south central Ohio!

Hopewell Culture National Historical Park is located at 16062 State Route 104, Chillicothe, Ohio, 45601. For more information, please call (740) 774-1126 or visit www.nps.gov/hocu.

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