



WELCOME BACK TO THE FALL SEASON!!

OCTOBER 2017

BROWN BAG SCHEDULE

OCT 6 – HISTORY OF DASIA – BETTE ARIAL (Co-Founder)

Bette serves as Southern Utah Director for U.S. Senator Mike Lee. She is currently a member of the St George City Council and a board member of DASIA. During the 1990's, Bette served as Public Information Specialist for the BLM AZ Strip District. It was at this time that she co-founded ASIA. Bette will be describing the impetus for establishing ASIA, and why it is such an important part of the community.

OCT 13 – BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFIARS HISTORY – KRISTINE WHITTAKER

Since its inception in 1824, the Bureau of Indian Affairs has been both a witness to and a player in the relationship between the Federal government and Indian tribes and Alaska Native villages. The BIA has changed dramatically over the past 185 years, evolving as federal policies designed to subjugate and assimilate American Indians and Alaska Natives have changed to policies that promote Indian self-determination.

OCT 20 – ARCHEAOLGY ON ZION NATIONAL PARK – AMBER VAN ALFEN

Archeological sites occur throughout Zion National Park. These fragile resources provide important clues to the past. Because most sites can easily be damaged by human activities, only a few are designated as "open" to public viewing. With your help, these sites will remain intact and available for future generations to learn from and enjoy. Amber will be describing programs to protect and interpret these important sites.

OCT 27 – ARTISTS IN RESIDENCE AT GRAND CANYON PARASHANT – AMBER FRANKLIN AND ARTIST CHARLES LUPICA

The national BLM Artist-in-Residence (AiR) Program creates a structure to share the scenic beauty and unique stories of BLM and the National Landscape Conservation System with the public through the world of art. The BLM Artist-in-Residence Program provides artistic and educational opportunities that promote deeper understanding and dialogue about the natural, cultural, and historic resources on public lands managed by the Bureau of Land Management.

IMPORTANT NOTE REGARDING REGISTRATION TO ATTEND BROWN BAG LECTURES:

Due to limited seating and high demand, you must register to attend any lecture. Sign up begins one week prior to each program at approximately 1:10 p.m. on each Friday at the conclusion of the program. Sixty seats are reserved for general admission, with an additional 20 seats for DASIA members. An additional 30-slot waiting list will be made available when the program is oversubscribed. Those on the waiting list will be contacted by telephone when a seat becomes available. Please be at the Public Lands Information Center by 11:45 a.m. to claim your seat.

Reservations may be made by calling the Public Lands Information Center at 435.688.3200