Highlight of the Quarter

Our 25th CRPT! In November we facilitated the 25th statewide Cemetery Resource Protection Training (CRPT) workshop, the second such workshop to be held in Fernandina Beach. The morning portion was hosted by the Amelia Island Museum of History in partnership with the city’s planning department. In the afternoon we caravanned to Bosque Bello Cemetery (est. 1798). In addition to being the 25th program, Fernandina was our highest attended CRPT thus demonstrating the increasing popularity of the program. Twenty-nine local preservationists, historic cemetery activists, city planners, teachers, and newly-appointed FPAN staff from other regions attended the workshop. Over the next quarter we will submit CRPT for a Florida Trust Statewide Preservation Award in the category of Community Education. We are also working with West and West Central staff to plan an annual meeting for CRPT alum to take place in Gainesville during summer of 2014.

Progress on Work Plan Objectives

- Goal 2: Educational Resources
  - Attended National Council of Social Studies and talked with 280 educators at Archaeology Education Clearinghouse booth.
  - Presented Archaeology Education session with former FPAN outreach coordinator Christy Pritchard.
- Goal 10: Continued conference call meetings of Development Committee
  - Worked up budget for Lighthouse Project Archaeology Curriculum and submitted for feedback to National Project Archaeology.
  - Discussed potential of future projects using Past Preserves method and practice. Will work over the next quarter on developing a proposal for the committee’s consideration.

Celebrating FPAN’s 25th CRPT!