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PRESIDENT'S PAGE

Mick Van Steen

I hope all our members and their families are having a good summer. Please don’t forget our chapter summer shows — a card with dates and places has been sent to all members.

This is my final President’s Page and I want to give special thanks to all our members for the support you have given me as President. I want to give special thanks to our Board of Directors and Trustees — I could not have asked for a better group to work with. All of them have the best interests of the Society at heart and I really enjoyed serving with them. I look forward to their association during my term as Immediate Past President.

I firmly believe that the Society of Ohio is one of the best such associations in the country. We need to continue to be active as members and support the Society and its chapters — attend meetings, and chapter shows — volunteer to help both the Chapters and the Society. Your involvement at state and chapter meetings and other activities such as our hugely successful symposium is what will help our Society grow.

To serve as President of the Archaeological Society of Ohio for the past two years has been a great honor. Thanks once more to everyone for their support and I hope to see you all again soon.

Finally, let us all welcome our new President George Colvin and Vice-President Carl Harruff and help make their terms a success.

Mick Van Steen

Front Cover Image: Elliptical Glacial Kame Gorgets — These rare gorgets are products of the Glacial Kame culture which is centered in northwestern Ohio, southern Michigan and northeastern Indiana. They are often made of exotic materials as evidenced by the specimens in the color plate. As with nearly all Glacial Kame “slate” it is not unusual to see examples that have been salvaged or repaired. Provenience is - Franklin, Hamilton, Adams, Tuscarawas, Summit, Mercer, Richland, Scioto and Tuscarawas Counties. Longest example 5 3/4 in.