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MES is an educational, non-profit, public organization, Columbus, Ohio

# All About MES !

## Who We Are

The Midwestern Epigraphy Society (MES) is a public educational organization that promotes the study and research of epigraphy, languages, alphabets, antiquities, and diffusion of the cultures of the world as it particularly applies to pre-Columbian contacts with the Americas. MES uses sources found in libraries, museums, obscure books and journals, manuscripts, plus new discoveries in archaeology and associated scientific fields. MES welcomes people with casual interest in these subjects as well as those pursuing more scholastic goals. Many members are specialists in specific areas and share it with the club. So, you can find your own rewarding niche in MES!

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You will receive quarterly **Newsletters** and an occasional MES **Journal**.

The first Saturday of each month members enjoy a **Breakfast** when you can exchange ideas, theories and experiences in a relaxed atmosphere. Members can make presentations at the **Quarterly Meetings** of their research informally or by using modern computer media. You can ask questions and discuss subjects that interest you and come away with many new ideas.

Get involved in MES day trips to museums, rock shelters and ancient local sites. Help find and document inscriptions and unusual artifacts largely ignored by the archaeological community. Help preserve these for the next generation.

A once a year **Symposium** with special speakers is held over a weekend giving you a chance to meet eminent people discussing their research. Also anyone can join our **MES eMail Circle**-you don't have to be a member. People can pass along new ideas, topics found on the web, etc. plus solicit comments on mystery items found. See [www.midwesternepigraphic.org](http://www.midwesternepigraphic.org) to enroll.

**By joining MES** you learn about ancient cultures, their artifacts, art, writing and symbols, and then read books, visit museums and earthworks with an informed mind about their real origin and purpose. As a member you can do your own thing and share it with the club or simply sit back and listen. Visit our web sites:

[www.midwesternepigraphic.org](http://www.midwesternepigraphic.org)  
[www.chiseledinstone.blogspot.com](http://www.chiseledinstone.blogspot.com)

*Hope to see you soon !*

