The Minnesota Archaeological Society will host a full day of demonstrations and activities highlighting archaeology and the rich heritage of the Mille Lacs area.

**Demonstrations & Displays at the Interpretive Center**

10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Demonstrations of flint knapping, prehistoric pottery, birch bark canoes, guns of the fur trade, beads & beadwork, spears & spear-throwers and kids’ activities. Displays include artifacts, books and pamphlets from the Minnesota Archaeological Society, archaeology & research of the Minnesota Historical Society, Office of the State Archaeologist, Maritime Heritage Minnesota, St. Cloud State University, and Minnesota State University Moorhead. Archaeologists will be on hand to answer questions about artifacts and sites.

New co-sponsor this year! St. Cloud State University Student Anthropology Collective.

**Archaeological Excavation: In Search of a Kathio Village**

10:00 am to 3:00 pm

The public is invited to observe as archaeologists conduct a small excavation in the location where previous work revealed the floor of an ancient house.

**Archaeology Film Festival**

10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Archaeology and history films will be shown continuously at the Interpretive Center. Featured this year will be the new movie *Birch Bark Canoe*. Free Popcorn!

**Voyageur Canoe Tours: Ogechie Lake Archaeology**

10:30 am, 1:00 pm, 2:30 pm

Experience a ride in a 10-person canoe while learning about the archaeological sites that earned Kathio the title of National Historic Landmark. Participants must be at least 10 years old. Registration is necessary, and each tour will be limited to the first 18 people to sign up at the Interpretive Center.