

MUFON Minnesota Journal

Issue #151 Sept./Oct. 2011

UFOs Underwater

By MUFON MN ASD Richard Moss

UFOs have been seen parked on land many times. They have also been seen entering into large bodies of water at velocities that would seemingly destroy a UFO. The common wisdom is that they are based at the bottom of large bodies of water. UFOs have been clocked at 150 knots at a depth of 20,000 feet, which is four miles down. They have also been seen exiting water. The lower surface of the craft looked like a plate upside down and its upper part resembled a cone. As it emerged up out of the sea the water was thrust away all around it. The UFO stopped briefly about thirty feet above the water and rocked back-and-forth a few times before exiting very fast over the sea.

In April of 1957 all hands on a Japanese fishing boat saw the appearance of two silver saucer-shaped metal craft dive into the water. The sea became highly disturbed and appeared as if boiling and violently churning.

In 1947, during his voyage across the Pacific in a raft, Thor Heyerdahl claimed to have seen the sea boil and bubble as a large wheel (UFO) came up into the air and rotated. He also saw balls of light, perhaps three feet in diameter, flashing irregularly below the water's surface. In December, 1967, reports were given by fishermen of "holes" in the Gulf of Mexico and places where water boiled in circles. At this place UFOs were seen to dive into and emerge from Gulf waters.

The sheer number of UFOs seen to rise from large bodies of water suggests the possibility of underwater bases. Water behaves strangely when in contact with a UFO's surface as it emerges up and out of water. One wonders if water is ever in contact with a UFO whether it's raining on it or lying at the bottom of the ocean.

In 1953 an encounter with UFO occupants in Mexico has an ending which is hard to believe. A man walked across a swampy area with some entities and noticed that he sank deep into the muddy water although the feet and legs of the entities remained clean. When their feet touched the muddy pools their belts glowed and the mud sprang away as if repelled by an invisible force.

Another contactee case involved a shielding from water. It involved a boy who was told by UFO entities to dip an envelope into a small pool. He did so and lowered both of his hands into the water. When he withdrew them, to his amazement, they and the envelope were both completely dry.

While many have seen UFOs nearby, and even touched them without any ill effects, there are enough validated experiences to show that any side effects should be taken seriously. EM effects have stopped car



Minnesota Mufon Meetings

**Sat., Sept. 10th & Sat., Oct. 8th
2pm - 5pm**

**New Brighton Family
Service Center
Room 224
400 - 10th St. NW
(located 1/4-mile S.W.
of Hwy 694 and 35W.)**

**PARK FREE! The building is
designated as non-smoking.**

**See map on back cover
(Note: The building has no
special security, so you can
come and go as you please
and smoke outdoors. There
is also an elevator.)**

In this Issue:

- *UFOs Underwater - Page 1*
- *Ramey Lied to Cover Up- Page 2*
- *2011 MUFON Symposium- Page 3*
- *Roswell Debris Disappears- Page 4*
- *Bud Hopkins Dies at 80- Page 5*
- *FAA FOIA Curtain- Page 6*
- *Declassification - Page 7*
- *CE4 Corner - Page 8*
- *Hills Honored- Page 10*
- *UFOs-Parallel Universes-Page 10*
- *Journalists failure - Page 12*
- *Zuni and the Aliens- Page 14*
- *MUFON MN Info- Page 15*
- *Meeting Map - Page 16*
- *MN UFO Conference Flyer - Pg 17*
- *UFO Program Schedule - Page 19*

engines and blacked out commercial, ham and CB radios. They have also affected motorboat engines, shipboard lights, and radio telephones. A good number of witnesses have told of watering eyes and skin burns after close-up encounters with glowing UFOs.

On October 31, 1963, several persons heard a loud roar from above. A shiny UFO was moving so low that it struck a palm tree next to a house. Although the craft collided with the bushy top of the palm tree, it was enough to drastically alter its flight. A quick series of erratic and wobbling motions resulted. The UFO seemed to immediately develop control problems and was unable to gain altitude. It then plunged into the river near the shore. Several attempts were made to recover the sunken UFO but all failed. Rumors circulated that the craft had been removed at night. Or, possibly the flying saucer left under cover of darkness.

Sometime during 1959 the attention of the Coast Guard and civilians was drawn to a location where the sea suddenly became agitated. The waves in that stretch of water swelled and a triangular UFO, perhaps 13 ft to 17 ft in size, disappeared into space.

UFO investigators no longer doubt these objects are controlled by technically advanced intelligences. They have apparently mastered the electromagnetic state of Earth's waters with the quality and intensity of their own self-generated control fields. Some control sources inside the object molds and shapes the water into mounds and water holes.

Roswell UFO Controversy: Former Air Force Officer Says Gen. Ramey Lied To Cover Up Space Ship Crash

Lee Speigel, lee.speigel@huffingtonpost.com, 7/22/11
http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2011/07/22/roswell-ufo-cover-up_n_904039.html

The Roswell UFO controversy may be 64 years old, but it shows no sign of heading into retirement.

One thing we know for sure: On July 8, 1947, the front page of the Roswell Daily Record proclaimed that a flying saucer had been captured by the Roswell Army Air Field.

The U.S. Air Force had issued a press release that day stating that a flying saucer had been "captured," and photos were released of soldiers examining metallic-looking objects, presumably pieces of a crashed balloon.

Then the controversy began. At a press conference later that day in Ft. Worth, Texas, Air Force Brig. Gen. Roger Ramey essentially recanted the entire story, announcing instead that the debris was simply pieces of a fallen weather balloon.

Speculation of what really happened has never truly ended. George Filer, a retired Air Force intelligence officer, told The Huffington Post that he believes Ramey was forced to lie about the Roswell incident.

And, in news that will come as a shock even to ardent UFO researches, he told The Huffington Post in an exclusive interview that Ramey's wife told him he was "embarrassed about having to lie about the weather balloon."

WATCH FILER DISCUSS A CRASHED UFO AND ALIEN THAT WAS SHOT AT FT. DIX IN N.J.

Over his 20-year career, Filer regularly briefed generals and congressmen about a wide range of security issues, including UFO sightings, up through the Vietnam War.

"It is my opinion that President Truman was there [at Fort Worth] and that he made the decision that it should be held at the highest levels," Filer said.

"The reason I believe that is that I had talked with Mrs. Ramey. She would never admit that she knew anything about aliens, but she did say that [her husband] was very embarrassed about having to lie about the weather balloon -- he was very upset about that."

"She also admitted that they became good friends with the Trumans," Filer added. "My point is: How does a one-star general become a good friend with the president of the United States?"

None of this comes as a surprise to former nuclear physicist Stanton T. Friedman. He's the original civilian investigator of the Roswell UFO incident and the most outspoken scientist who believes there is overwhelming evidence that alien spacecrafts are visiting Earth. He, too, has talked with Mrs. Ramey.

"From talking to her, I had no reason to believe A) that she knew intimate details about Roswell or any other such event; or B) that she made up this story because it is consistent with a man of reasonable character who followed orders as one would certainly have expected him to," Friedman said.

Both Filer and Friedman -- the military man and the scientist -- said they believe the Roswell UFO was an alien spacecraft, that Earth is currently visited by extraterrestrials and that only individuals with very specific "need to know" credentials have access to this information. Both are speaking at next week's MUFON Symposium in Irvine, Calif.

"We are being visited on a regular basis -- probably for thousands of years -- by aliens from other planets," Filer said. "Their technology is much more advanced than what we have. Even though we don't like to think of ourselves in this way, in a lot of ways, we're primitive compared to them."

New wrinkles are constantly being added to the Roswell conspiracy theory. Author Annie Jacobsen unveiled a whopper this year in her book "Area 51: An Uncensored History of America's Top Secret Military Base," that alleged the alien spaceship crash was actually a hoax contrived by Soviet leader Joseph Stalin and Nazi scientist Josef Mengele. There was no crash, according to Jacobsen, but the Communist dictator and "the Angel of Death" allegedly sent children surgically altered to look like aliens to Roswell in a remote-controlled craft to frighten Americans.

Friedman echoed Filer's sentiment. "People need to recognize that the real situation about where we fit in the scheme of things is very different from the way it's been portrayed," Friedman said. "In my view of what's going on, there are loads of civilizations out there all over the place, and that we are not very significant.

"[The aliens] would instantly recognize that we don't qualify for membership in a galactic federation because we're such a primitive society whose major activity is obviously tribal warfare."

2011 MUFON SYMPOSIUM by Bill McNeff, MUFONMN ASD

At the State Directors Meeting on Friday, July 29, Minnesota was represented by ASD Craig R. Lang and Alaska and Hawaii by ASD Bill McNeff. International Director Clifford Clift announced that Chuck Reeve was in Alaska Salmon fishing and Marie Malzahn was absent after having had surgery the day before.

Cliff said that they had had ten applicants for Interim Board Member, all good people, and had chosen three who had business backgrounds and

lots of experience working with people: Dave McDonald (Flamingo Airways) SD Kentucky; John Ventre (UPS) SD Pennsylvania, and Debbie Ziegelmeier (numerous ventures, Dive Team). Also, Fletcher Gray was chosen as new STAR Team Manager. Cliff said that contrary to statements made during the Pippin show, that Chase Kloetzke never told him why she left, and that Larry Gessner had some problems with other things beside MUFON.

Fletcher Gray then spoke. He said he was an early STAR Team member, though not of the original team. He said that he didn't care for the tactics of the original STAR Team. He told the SDs/ASDs, "I will get your state what you need. Field Investigators must be self-motivated if they want to be STAR Team investigators." STAR Team Case Nos. will be assigned to all STAR Team cases. One person in AZ will analyze each report to see if it is STAR Team material. Gray said he will give to the BOD "a way to handle our evidence." There will be a repository at a secured location for physical evidence. F.I.s must report physical evidence immediately, which will be sent to the repository immediately. We will work with the SDs. There will be a laboratory overseen by Robert Pallas [sp?] in AZ. He is a scientist who wrote a paper on Alzheimer's.

Chuck Modlin will chair a five-man board to see if the physical evidence is worth analyzing. Dave McDonald will be curator of storage. DNA will be a challenge; bacteria are the enemy. Because of the time sensitivity we'll send it directly to the lab. An SD asked, "I was in the process of having our Chief Investigator sign up as a STAR Investigator. What is the new procedure?" A: It is left up to the SD to appoint STAR Team members. I will put out an outline to fill out to have a STAR Team deployment. The SD will recommend STAR Team members to Gray; these recommendations will be reviewed by [several?] SDs. SDs should review each case for STAR Team deployment. At this point Cliff said, "Once a STAR case investigation is completed, it will be written up and put in the Journal so the world will know. Gray said the SDs must evaluate each Category 3 case to determine if it is a STAR case, and must contact the witness within 24 hours.

Clifford Clift gave the financial report. Total assets: \$13,406. Total liabilities: \$13,406. The checking account has about \$10,000 in it. MUFON tax returns are available on line. Cliff said he wouldn't give out paper copies of the financial report. He said, "I trust everybody here, but 'moles' might

distort this report.” Benefactors have been giving \$8000-\$9000 per month. The membership is 2761; it goes up and down, varying from 2800 to 2600. Non-profits typically run negative numbers. We need members!

Other items were discussed, but the above were in my opinion the highlights, except for the news that Morgan Beale, SD Florida, and cohorts are designing a UFO reporting App for I-Phone. It features time and location logging; if pictures are taken, it will record azimuth, elevation and GPS coordinates. The App has many other features. Release hoped for in September. This represents a step forward in data gathering; if two witnesses in different locations take pictures at or about the same time, triangulation will be possible, giving exact locations and in some cases physical sizes of the objects.

On Saturday night, July 30, the Committee to Reform MUFON, held a reception or meeting sponsored by Elaine Douglass and I, and about 20 people showed up. One of them was John Ventre, SD of Pa., one of the new MUFON Board interim members, who openly let everyone know he wants to become the next International Director when Cliff's term expires in a year. There was also a gentleman at the suite who is a fairly prominent member of the UFO community, and next day Clifford Clift approached this man and said, “Do you have any questions?” The man then determined that Ventre had reported to Cliff who had been at the suite.

On Sunday afternoon, when this man was leaving the symposium, getting in his car with the door open, he felt a forceful hand on his shoulder making him turn around. It was Ventre, who said, “I just wanted to tell you, don't believe anything the Committee to Reform MUFON says!”

At the Friday Evening Pre-Dinner Reception, Richard Dolan spoke to Elaine Douglass and me, saying he had read all or most of the Committee's output and listened to the Pippin interviews and he was extremely concerned about MUFON. At the end of his Symposium presentation Dolan departed from his written paper and made some comments to the effect that MUFON needs to change the way it does business.

To me, the most interesting and informative presentation was by Joe McMoneagle. Richard Dolan's was also very interesting and thought-provoking, as was Linda Moulton Howe's. Overall,

I thought it was an excellent Symposium, one of the very best. Attendance was also very good. Jan Harzan, the prime organizer, and his crew deserve credit for an excellent job.

Sample of Kimbler's Roswell Debris Disappears En Route to ASU The UFO Trail, Sept. 3, 2011

<http://ufotrail.blogspot.com/2011/09/sample-of-kimbler-roswell-debris.html>

A metal fragment taken from the Roswell debris discovered by Frank Kimbler was lost without explanation. Kimbler shipped the fragment via Fedex for further testing at Arizona State University's School of Earth and Space Exploration in Tempe. The package arrived, but Lynda Williams, Ph.D., a research professor, emailed Kimbler that the fragment was not in the package.

“I just found your Fedex in our main office, opened it on the lab bench and found nothing in the plastic holder. Did you forget to put it in?” Dr. Williams wrote. “I'm sorry, but it's just not there!”

Kimbler replied to Dr. Williams the sample of metal was well packaged and he was certain he did not forget to include it in the shipment. “I can assure you it was in the small round box, directly on the top in plain sight in the box,” he wrote.

“This UFO evidence stuff is an interesting game to play. Seems to be a great deal like cat and mouse, cloak and dagger and chess all wrapped in one,” Kimbler added, stating that he will not ship any other samples to anyone. He further stated he or trusted colleagues will personally supervise every step of debris analysis from here forward.

Kimbler has previous dealings with Hal Puthoff of Earth Tech and Robert Bigelow's BAASS while attempting to obtain quality analysis of the material he located. Many suspect the debris may be linked to the now famous Roswell crash. Kimbler indicated the analysis has been slow and tedious, and his dealing with both Earth Tech and BAASS raised concerns.

Lines of communication opened between Frank Kimbler, Frank Purcell and various interested parties following the publication of the related Open Minds article and my posting Purcell's subsequent analysis. I happen to exchange emails with this group of interested parties, resulting in

my notification of the lost metal fragment and the information contained in this post.

Kimbler wrote to me on September 3:
"The debunkers will say I never placed it in the box, the conspiracy folks will say the government got it.

Here is what I would like to see happen. CNN or some other big news agency to follow this analysis. Full public disclosure of the process, good science. It makes no difference to me if the material is a beer can fragment or ET metal, it's all part of the story... to get an answer."

I'm pulling for ya, Frank.

**Budd Hopkins, Abstract Expressionist
and U.F.O. Author, Dies at 80
By MARGALIT FOX, NY Times
August 24, 2011**

http://www.nytimes.com/2011/08/25/arts/design/budd-hopkins-abstract-artist-and-ufo-author-dies-at-80.html?_r=1

Budd Hopkins, a distinguished Abstract Expressionist artist who — after what he described as a chance sighting of something flat, silver, airborne and unfathomable — became the father of the alien-abduction movement, died on Sunday at his home in Manhattan. He was 80. The cause was complications of cancer, his daughter, Grace Hopkins-Lisle, said.

A painter and sculptor, Mr. Hopkins was part the circle of New York artists that in the 1950s and '60s included Mark Rothko, Robert Motherwell and Franz Kline.

His work — which by the late '60s included Mondrian-like paintings of huge geometric forms anointed with flat planes of color — is in the collections of the Metropolitan Museum of Art and the Museum of Modern Art in New York, the Corcoran Gallery of Art in Washington and the British Museum, among others.

In later years Mr. Hopkins turned to large, quasi-architectural sculptures that seemed to spring from primordial myths. In 1985, reviewing one such piece, "Temple of Apollo With Guardian XXXXV" — it was part house of worship, part archaeological ruin, part sacrificial altar — Michael Brenson wrote in The New York Times:

"If the work is about sacrifice and violence, it is also about ecstasy and illumination. In the course of

trying to re-establish the broadest meaning of the abstract geometry that has fascinated so many 20th-century artists, Hopkins makes us consider that ritual, worship, cruelty and superstition have always been inseparable."

Some articles about Mr. Hopkins made much of the relationship between these pieces and his fascination with otherworldly visitors, for by then his books, lectures and television appearances had made him well known as a U.F.O. investigator. Mr. Hopkins, however, disavowed a connection.

He was also quick to point out that he had never been abducted himself. But after what he described as his own U.F.O. sighting, on Cape Cod in 1964, he began gathering the stories of people who said they had not only seen spaceships but had also been spirited away in them on involuntary and unpleasant journeys.

As the first person to collect and publish such stories in quantity, Mr. Hopkins is widely credited with having begun the alien-abduction movement, a subgenre of U.F.O. studies. Later high-profile writers on the subject, including Whitley Strieber and the Harvard psychiatrist John Mack, credited him with having ignited their interest in the field.

In eliciting the narratives — many obtained under hypnosis — of people who said they had been abducted, Mr. Hopkins was struck by the recurrence of certain motifs: the lonely road, the dark of night, the burst of light, the sudden passage through the air and into a waiting craft, and above all the sense of time that could not be accounted for. He went in search of that lost time. What he found, in story after story, was this:

The aliens were technically sophisticated and many spoke improbably good English. They were short, bug-eyed, thin-lipped and gray-skinned, stripped their subjects naked and probed them with instruments, often removing sperm or eggs.

These narratives, Mr. Hopkins wrote, led him to a distasteful but inescapable conclusion: The aliens — or "visitors," as he preferred to call them — were practicing a form of extraterrestrial eugenics, aiming to shore up their declining race by crossbreeding with Homo Sapiens.

In 1989 Mr. Hopkins founded the Intruders Foundation, based in Manhattan, to help sound the alarm.

He wrote four books on the subject, including "Intruders: The Incredible Visitations at Copley Woods" (1987), which spent four weeks on the New York Times best-seller list and was the basis of a 1992 TV movie starring Richard Crenna.

Mr. Hopkins's work drew inevitable fire; in interviews he sometimes likened his attackers to Holocaust deniers, an analogy that incurred further criticism.

Elliott Budd Hopkins was born in Wheeling, W. Va., on June 15, 1931, and at 2 survived polio. He earned a bachelor's degree in art history from Oberlin College in 1953 and afterward settled in New York, where he soon made his artistic reputation.

After the Cape Cod sighting he described — a silvery disc over Truro, Mass. — Mr. Hopkins began researching U.F.O.'s. In 1976 he published an article about abductions in The Village Voice, which led to an article in Cosmopolitan. The exposure drew sacks of letters from readers wondering if they too had been abducted, and his second career was born. By the 1980s, it had eclipsed the first.

Mr. Hopkins's three marriages, to Joan Baer, April Kingsley and Carol Rainey, ended in divorce. Besides his daughter, Grace, from his marriage to Ms. Kingsley, he is survived by his companion, Leslie Kean; a sister, Eleanor Whiteley; and a grandchild.

His memoir, "Art, Life and UFOs," was published in 2009 by Anomalist Books.

Unlike some writers in the genre who described their own abductions as spiritually transformative, Mr. Hopkins believed that no good could come of being the unwilling subject of a vast human genome project in the sky. He called his informants "victims" and ran group therapy sessions for them in New York.

Many who shared their stories with Mr. Hopkins had no conscious memory of their abductions at first. But they had lived for years, he said, with the nagging feeling that somewhere, something in their lives had gone horribly wrong.

Their condition, Mr. Hopkins said, was not as rare as one might suppose. By his reckoning, 1 in 50 Americans has been abducted by an alien and simply does not know it.

What UFO-E.T. Mother Lode Lies Behind the FAA's FOIA Curtain? UFOview-Updates, 8/27/2011

[LWB Note: Not known for being overly friendly to FOIA requesters, the U. S. Federal Aviation Administration lately seems disinclined to change its stance, despite Pres. Obama's avowed policy of "open government" responsiveness. A case study in this managerial disconnect emerges from the following impasse reported by guest blogger William McNeff, who thereby joins the ranks of the FOIA-scorned.

He tells me that a FAA regional staff has failed to comply with the FOIA's time limit of 20 working days in which to begin processing his July 17, 2011, request, as reprinted below. Does this official non-feasance mean that certain FAA funds used for generating and housing the sought-for records now are being diverted toward arbitrarily denying public access to that taxpayer-funded material? If so, whether or not you be associated with the Mutual UFO Network, you as a citizen should be outraged by such official subversion of the spirit and the letter of the U. S. Freedom of Information Act.

I suggest that you express that outrage by writing to your congressman with the request that (s)he look into, and help you remedy, this egregious attack upon greater UFO-E.T. freedom of information and accountability (UFOIA). In the meantime, I'm posting, below McNeff's letter, my whistleblower-solicitation advertisement now circulating at:

<http://www.classifiedads.com/announcements-ad5673512.htm.>]

TEXT OF MR. MCNEFF'S JULY 17, 2011, LETTER TO THE FAA:

TO: Ms. Mary Kay Howlett, FOIA Coordinator
FAA Great Lakes Region, AGL-30
2300 E. Devon Avenue
Des Plaines, IL 60018

FROM: William McNeff

DATE: July 17, 2011
Re: Freedom of Information Act Request (5 U.S.C. 552)

Dear Sir or Madam:
This is a request under the Freedom of Information Act. I am an Assistant State Director for MUFON Minnesota, a non-profit organization, and I am conducting this investigation solely for the purpose

of conducting scientific research. The fee category should be classified as an educational or noncommercial scientific organization. I am willing to pay up to \$50 for this request for the cost of duplication, after the first 100 pages as per the FOIA. If fees will exceed this amount, please contact me first.

All requests for information are related to the time period of 01:30 hrs to 2:30 hrs Central Daylight Time on July 13, 2011. Unidentified aerial objects were reported at approximately 01:45 hrs over Maple Grove and at 02:20 hrs over Plymouth. This request is being made of the FAA's Farmington, Minnesota Traffic Control Center. I request a review of the following document(s) and release of copies to me of those documents as described below:

1. Copies of radar images, preferably in a CD using ASCII or Excel format, from all primary and secondary surveillance radar located within 100 miles of Farmington, Minnesota, during the above mentioned time period.
2. To the extent allowable by law, a copy of the model type of radars controlled by the Farmington Air Route Traffic Control Center and their locations.

I understand that radar tapes or recordings are often erased after 30 days from date of recording. I respectfully request that no radar tapes or recordings be erased that were recorded by radar stations within 100 miles of Farmington, Minnesota between 01:30 hrs to 02:30 hrs Central Daylight Time on July 13, 2011.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,
William McNeff
Assistant State Director
MUFON Minnesota

Has the FOIA-flouting U. S. Federal Aviation Administration begun competing with the FOIA factotums at the U. S. Central Intelligence Agency, the U. S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, the U. S. Department of the Air Force, the U. S. Secret Service, the U. S. National Reconnaissance Office, et al., for the dubious distinction of Most Unresponsive Agency in matters relating to greater UFO-E.T. freedom of information and accountability (UFOIA)?

Well, if you can judge by UFO researcher William McNeff's July 17, 2011, FOIA request to the FAA Great Lakes Region's office, that question answers itself - since, as of this writing, no FAA FOIA official has bothered to respond to the request within the 20-working-day period mandated by the Act. Why does the FAA feel so threatened by UFOtruth that it's willing to risk being scolded/fined by any federal judge called upon to adjudicate this case? The July 13, 2011, incident in question consists of an early-morning UFO encounter by two women returning home from a party near Minneapolis. They managed to videotape at least two mysterious craft.

For the text of McNeff's July 17, 2011, FOIA request, see Item 2.122 of my blog at: <http://ufoview.posterous.com>. Meantime, if you (or someone you know) can shed light on the incident itself and/or on the FAA's (illegal) decision to stonewall McNeff's request, please contact me as follows: Larry W. Bryant, 3518 Martha Custis Drive, Alexandria, VA 22302; phone: 703-931-3341; e-mail: overtci@cavtel.net.

**NARA PROPOSES NEW RULE ON
DECLASSIFICATION
SECRECY NEWS from the FAS Project
on Government Secrecy
Volume 2011, Issue No. 66, July 11, 2011
Steven Aftergood, saftergood@fas.org**

A proposed new rule published for comment by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) last week would establish updated new procedures for the declassification of historical records containing national security information.

<http://www.fas.org/sgp/news/2011/07/nara-declass.html>

The proposed rule tracks fairly closely with President Obama's December 2009 executive order 13526, and thus highlights some of the limitations of that order, especially with respect to the practice of "automatic declassification."

In 1995, President Clinton issued executive order 12958 which stated that permanently valuable historical records that are 25 years old or older "shall be automatically declassified whether or not the records have been reviewed" unless they are specifically exempted. This was a dramatic break with past practice, in which declassification and disclosure without prior review were practically unthinkable.

Unfortunately, that Clinton requirement was implemented imperfectly or not at all, and some of the sharper edges of automatic declassification have been blunted by the Bush and Obama Administrations (and by Congress). Under the proposed new NARA rule, for example, non-exempt historical records can remain classified for as long as 35 years if they are part of an "integral file block" that also contains records that are merely 25 years old. And if a collection of records more than 25 years old is discovered that was "inadvertently not reviewed," that does not mean the records are automatically declassified as the executive order originally promised ("whether or not the records have been reviewed"). Rather, those old records may remain classified for up to three more years to enable review.

Since these concessions to continued secrecy in the proposed NARA rule are specifically authorized by the President's executive order, there is probably little possibility of altering them at this point.

But in other respects, the proposed NARA rule seems to deviate from and to fall short of the executive order. For example, it does not even mention the President's fundamental declaration that "No information may remain classified indefinitely" (EO 13526, sec. 1.5d). So it does not even attempt to draw any consequences for declassification policy from this basic statement of principle -- thereby diminishing the significance of the statement itself.

And except for an oblique reference to an "upcoming exemption expiration," the proposed NARA rule is silent on the "fifty year rule" in the executive order, which requires that any records that are exempted from automatic declassification at 25 years old must be declassified by the time they reach 50 years (except where they would identify a confidential human source or reveal key design concepts for weapons of mass destruction).

Although the fifty year rule does not formally take effect until June 2013, it already has practical implications for declassification policy today. For example, it means that NARA should not expend much effort on declassification review of records that are nearly 50 years old (or older), since these records are supposed to be automatically declassified without review in the near future. And it means that efforts to identify any remaining exempted material (regarding confidential human sources or WMD design) in such 50 year old records need to get underway soon.

Public comments on the proposed NARA rule are due by September 6, 2011.

FASTER FOIA BILL PASSED IN SENATE AGAIN

The Faster FOIA Act, a modest bit of legislation to establish a commission "to examine the root causes of FOIA delays," was introduced and passed in the Senate yesterday.

It was previously passed in May, but the resulting bill was amended by the House in order to serve as a vehicle for its debt ceiling maneuver, stripping out the FOIA-related content. To reactivate the original Faster FOIA Act bill, it needed to be reintroduced. The new bill, S. 1466, passed on a voice vote on August 1, and will move once again to the house. <http://www.fas.org/sgp/congress/2011/leahy-foia2.html>

The Department of Defense has updated its Freedom of Information Act directive. In mostly new language added last week, the directive said "It is DoD policy to promote transparency and accountability by adopting a presumption in favor of disclosure in all decisions involving the FOIA; responding promptly to requests in a spirit of cooperation; and by taking affirmative steps to make the maximum amount of information available to the public, consistent with the DoD responsibility to protect national security and other sensitive DoD information." http://www.fas.org/irp/doddir/dod/d5400_07.pdf

Secrecy News is written by Steven Aftergood and published by the Federation of American Scientists. To SUBSCRIBE to Secrecy News, go to: <http://www.fas.org/sgp/news/secrecy/subscribe.html> Secrecy News is archived at: <http://www.fas.org/sgp/news/secrecy/index.html>

**The CE4 Corner – September/October
2011 – It's real, whatever it is...
©2011 Craig R. Lang, MS CHt,
e-mail: craig@craigrlang.com
www.craigrlang.com, www.thecosmicbridge.com**

What a wild and strange universe we live in? This last month has seen calls from people all over the world, coming in at a rate of perhaps one a day. One day I got three in the space of a few hours. They range from UFO sightings (I suggest reporting their sighting via the MUFON UFO reporting system - <http://www.mufon.com/reportufo.html>) to hair-raising close encounters with the unexplained. To me, the key question is; what can we do about the latter? How

can we help the person who is presently undergoing experiences at the hands of the phenomenon? Where can we refer them for help? Who will listen to them without judging?

Recently, while listening to another hypnotherapist talking about work with extraordinary cases (in her case, she works with past life and karmic issues), I heard her give some interesting advice.

“If you have to relate something extraordinary, do so in small doses.”

“If you don’t know who you are talking to, test the waters first.”

Her advice was this: Find out the person’s reaction to the idea of UFOs, E.T. life, extraordinary events, etc. With some carefully chosen words dropped into a conversation, it wouldn’t be too hard to gauge a person’s comfort level with the extraordinary. If they are OK with ideas on the edge of conventionality, then mention a little more and again watch their reaction. If they turn around and bat the idea down, then go no further; you have reached the limit of the person’s comfort zone. Otherwise, continue letting it out as seems comfortable for both of you. The key is to be able to stay within your own safety and the other person’s paradigm box - and, if you’re lucky, gain a sympathetic ear.

One particular case, in which I will alter the details to preserve anonymity, involved a young woman in New Mexico who called me to report a series of encounters. She described how the aliens had injured her. On further questioning, she began to tell me frantically how she woke up in the morning with one or more of her toes apparently broken. This happened several times and she was certain it was due to alien abduction experiences.

Desperate, she wanted to know what she could do. Simply put, I had no idea. What person could I refer her to for her to learn more about whatever might be going on? And if a physical event was going on, would it be possible to provide her some relief from whoever (or whatever) was tormenting her? She was already seeing a therapist, a psychiatrist, etc. I asked her if she had told her doctor about her injuries. She said no; he wouldn’t believe her, anyway.

However, was it necessary to tell the physician what she thought the cause was? No, no need to tell him she thought it was aliens that were breaking her toes. I suggested that she simply ask the doctor to look at her injury(ies), to say that she had injured it/them somehow and wanted to see what if he

could help her. She didn’t have to say anything about it possibly being an extraordinary case.

In the end, she thought this might work. A few weeks later, she called me back to thank me. Her toes were on the mend. To this day, I don’t know if she had had an abduction experience, some type of mental or spiritual issue, or something else entirely. And to a certain extent, it doesn’t matter. This person had a very real problem and needed to find a solution.

A few days later, someone else called me to tell me that the aliens were talking to her through her fluorescent lights. She also felt the aliens (and the CIA) were watching her. Many mental health workers will recognize this as a common diagnosed condition. To her, it was frightening to the core (it would be to me, too).

On the phone, I asked her whether she had seen a mental health professional. She had not, but she eventually said that she had the opportunity and the financial means to do so. Yet like the previous person, she told me the doctors would never believe her. Again, the idea suggested itself to let the information out in small doses. Couch the problem in ordinary terms, telling the doctor only what the problem was, not necessarily what she thought the cause might be. I never heard back from her to find out how she fared, so it’s not clear to me how her doctor appointment went. However, the key here is that once her fear threshold reduced enough, she became comfortable with the idea of seeking help. And in that, I think (or at least I hope) she was successful.

To each person who experiences something extraordinary, whether it is from the distant stars, from the Jungian collective subconscious, or from a chemical disorder, it is vital to find a helpful resource. The event is real, and the person needs relief. Safety, understanding and healing are vital - most immediately, safety.

To each experiencer, their experiences are real and more often than not, we don’t understand the cause. Traces of physical evidence would indicate that at least in some cases, the events involve physically real visitors (see the burned spot (<http://mnufon.org/abdiv.htm#gndt>) on the lawn in the Eau Claire Wisconsin CE4 Case on the MN MUFON website (<http://mnufon.org/abdiv.htm#ecwi>)). For others, the story may be very different. Yet each event touches the core of one’s life regardless of whether

or not it involves a UFO. For the experiencer, the phenomenon is real, whatever it is...

Betty and Barney Hill Honored with Plaque Memorial

By Chris Capps 7/25/11

<http://www.unexplainable.net/UFO-Alien/Betty-and-Barney-Hill-Immortalized-with-Plaque-Memorial.shtml>

Betty and Barney Hill have received a high honor from New Hampshire by receiving their own plaque illustrating the incident they went through and relating to visitors precisely how their names became synonymous with alien abduction cases worldwide. The couple, who had their alien experiences turned into a film, and have been the subject of many lectures, books, and documentaries. But this last piece of recognition may be only the latest in what may become a series of accolades awarded to the couple posthumously.

What started as a trip out to return home after a vacation in Niagara Falls. But just when the couple thought they were coming to the end of a long journey, they found themselves beginning an even stranger one. It all began when on the night of September 19th, 1961 the Hills spotted a mysterious object in the distance just after 10:30 PM. Thinking it might be a celestial object, then a plane, then as excitement began to set in for the couple they pulled to the side of the road and simply watched the object. The Hills had their dog with them, Delsey, who stood close to Betty as Barney retrieved his revolver from the trunk of their car.

What happened next would haunt them and the rest of the nation for decades to come. As the couples stood watching from Twin Mountain, Betty noticed that the object was not like any terrestrial object she had ever seen. The multicolored flashing disc was shifting between moving in a straight line and zigzagging around the sky - a fact that rarely comes up in UFO literature but is almost always present in claims by alien abductees. As they got back in the car, they decided to keep moving along. But just after getting back on the road the object broke from its distant aerial acrobatics and shot right over their car. Stopping, Barney got out of their vehicle and quickly saw "eight to eleven" alien creatures swarming around the base of the now low hovering craft. The creatures communicated with him the first of several messages that would be exchanged that night, telling him to stay where he was and continue observing.

Eventually both the Hills would be taken onboard the craft. Among the tests that were performed would be a skin test, blood samples, hair removal, and a lesson plan of where these creatures, who claimed to be from the Zeta Reticuli system. It was only after several hypnosis sessions that they were able to retrieve their memories and share them with the world. And while both the Hills had their critics, a strange image that had stayed with Betty since the incident revealed to her (and astronomers for the first time) the exact location of a constellation that would only be discovered years later.

The plaque that recognizes the Betty and Barney Hill abduction incident commemorates the incident and recognizes it as the first widely reported UFO abduction to reach the media in the United States when they were abducted on September 19th and 20th, 1961.

Though the incident was unique at the time, Betty and Barney Hill were soon joined by hundreds and eventually thousands of others who claimed to have had strange encounters with alien beings. And though it is not generally understood why they were picked first, some have wondered whether the actions of the Hills could have saved the Earth from interstellar war by making friends with their captors.



UFO sighting origins linked to Einstein's parallel universes, say top physicists

Submitted by Dave Masko, 2011-08-31

<http://www.huliq.com/10282/ufo-sighting-origins-linked-einstein-parallel-universes-say-top-physicists>

"How do you know you're reading this sentence, and not floating in a vat on a distant planet, with alien scientists stimulating your brain to produce the thoughts and experiences you deem real," asks one of the world's foremost physicists.

Professor Brian Greene says "these issues are central to epistemology, a philosophical subfield that asks what constitutes knowledge, how we

acquire it, and how sure we are that we have it? "Think of the universe like a deck of cards," adds Greene while explaining "parallel universes" and "the deep laws of the cosmos," and why there's alien life and "another life" in what "popular culture has brought to a wide audience in the films such as The Matrix, The Thirteenth Floor, and Vanilla Sky. He then asks: "How do you know you're not hooked into the Matrix?"

The Matrix is a 1999 science fiction-action film featuring Keanu Reeves -- in the photo that accompanies this story -- that's gained resurgence in Europe this summer with a new wave of university students discovering it. The Matrix is about a future where reality that's perceived by most humans is actually a simulated reality created by sentient machines from an alien race whose job is to pacify and subdue the humans with technology. Thus, the "Matrix" is a film fan favorite for those who enjoy the cyberpunk and hacker subcultures, where philosophical and religious ideas -- such as "the brain in the vat thought experiment."

Green and Einstein think you "can't know for sure" when it comes to parallel universes

"The bottom line is that you can't know for sure. You engage the world through your senses, which stimulate your brain in ways your neural circuitry has evolved to interpret. If someone (alien life forms) artificially stimulates your brain so as to elicit electrical crackles exactly like those produced by eating pizza, reading this sentence, or skydiving, the experience will be indistinguishable from the real thing. Experience is dictated by brain processes, not by what activates those processes," writes Greene in his new book that's been compared to the writing of Albert Einstein.

"Now, if you shuffle that deck, there's just so many orderings that can happen. If you shuffle that deck enough times, the orders will have to repeat. Similarly, with an infinite universe and only a finite number of complexions of matter, the way in which matter arranges itself has to repeat," explained Greene, the author of the new bestseller "The Hidden Reality: Parallel Universes and the Deep Laws of the Cosmos" in a recent NPR interview.

Greene, a foremost physicist, also wrote The Elegant Universe and The Fabric of the Cosmos. Greene received his undergraduate degree from Harvard University and his doctorate from Oxford University, where he was a Rhodes Scholar. He

served on the physics faculty of Cornell University and Columbia University as "professor of physics and mathematics." Greene is a colleague of Stephen Hawking and an expert on the work of Albert Einstein.

Today, Professor Greene says he's tackling the existence of multiple universes in his latest book, The Hidden Reality: Parallel Universes and the Deep Laws of the Cosmos.

Recent discoveries in physics and astronomy, he says, point to the idea that our universe may be one of many universes populating a grander multiverse.

"You almost can't avoid having some version of the multiverse in your studies if you push deeply enough in the mathematical descriptions of the physical universe," he says. "There are many of us thinking of one version of parallel universe theory or another. If it's all a lot of nonsense, then it's a lot of wasted effort going into this far-out idea. But if this idea is correct, it is a fantastic upheaval in our understanding," added Professor Greene during the NPR interview.

Stephen Hawking gets beyond UFOs and alien life with views on parallel universes

To help make the concepts of parallel universes accessible because of the challenging nature of new beliefs, the Washington Post featured a recent book review that features Stephen Hawking's new book: "In other words," writes Stephen Hawking, "not only is the Earth just one of several planets in our solar system and the Milky Way one of billions of galaxies, but our known universe itself is just one among uncounted billions of universes. It's a startling replay of the Copernican Revolution."

The Washington Post review also noted Hawking's strong views on parallel universes: "The conclusions are groundbreaking. Of all the possible universes, some must have laws that allow the appearance of life. The fact that we are here already tells us that we are in that corner of the multiverse. In this way, all origin questions are answered by pointing to the huge number of possible universes and saying that some of them have the properties that allow the existence of life, just by chance," writes Hawking in the new book "The Grand Design."

A foremost physicist, Hawking and Leonard Mlodinow are now trying to explain the now

commonly held view that other life exists in the universe; and there are "Parallel Universes."

What a parallel universe really means, they ask. Are you in one now, they also ask.

Hawking making final warnings at a senior age and state in life

Hawking, who recently warned of "not trying to contact alien life because they are probably hostile," needs no introduction in ufology circles, and Mlodinow, said a recent Washington Post review of *The Grand Design*. It noted how "Mlodinow is a Caltech physicist with a string of excellent books to his credit. Both Hawking and Mlodinow have taken on that ultimate question in a somewhat more rigorous form by asking three related ones:

Why is there something instead of nothing? Why do we exist? Why does this particular set of laws govern our universe and not some other set?

In recent interviews, Hawking also points to Einstein and his views on parallel universes.

What now been dubbed as common rules, says Greene, about the deep laws of the cosmos; while other top physicists view this new guidance as: "parallel universes that also have human life forms and Earthly features."

"The cosmos does not have just a single existence or history, but rather that every possible history of the universe exists simultaneously," writes Hawking, while noting "the theory of everything theory, if confirmed, will be the unified theory that Einstein was looking for, and the ultimate triumph of human reason."

Hawking moves on from the "alien question" to how will the Earth handle an alien threat

In "The Grand Design," Hawkins asks fundamental questions about the origins of the universe, but adds: it comes back to "extraterrestrials."

Extraterrestrial life is defined as a term from the Latin words: extra "beyond", or "not of", and "terrestris" of or belonging to Earth" and is also defined as life that does not originate from Earth, but from other parts of the universe or even parallel universes.

In turn, Hawkins and Leonard Mlodinow present what "they call the most recent scientific thinking about the mysteries of the universe." In addition, Hawking has publically stated that "alien life exists," and that we on Earth should "not be trying to get their attention."

In his new book's introduction, Hawking writes -- perhaps, he says, for the last time -- that "scientists have become the bearers of the torch of discovery in our quest for knowledge," while also adding that there is "seemingly bizarre behavior observed in both the traditional conception of the universe and in parallel universes.

OpEd: JOURNALISTS WHO SHUN UFO REPORTS FAIL THEIR READERS ROUTINELY IGNORED NEWS STORIES ON UFOs ONLY ADD TO THE 60-YEAR+ COVERUP and MARGINALIZE THE SUBJECT TO THE REALM OF "FOR UFO CONSPIRACY BUFFS ONLY!"

By Bill Wickersham, August 19, 2011

<http://www.columbiatribune.com/news/2011/aug/16/journalists-who-shun-ufo-reports-fail-readers/>

For more than 60 years, innumerable well-documented reports have been made of sightings, landings and crashes of unidentified flying craft, commonly referred to as unidentified flying objects (UFOs).

They Undoubtedly are under intelligent control and travel at speeds and with aeronautical capabilities far exceeding those of today's known military and commercial aircraft.

Testimony of reliable witnesses, including astronauts, generals, admirals, law enforcement officials, airline pilots, scientists and many other highly credentialed officials attests to the physical reality and uniqueness of these craft.

Additionally, there is evidence some craft have been retrieved by military personnel of the United States and other countries.

Furthermore, research has verified that several witnesses have viewed and handled the bodies of "visitors" that can only be described as extraterrestrial in nature.

In 1999, an outstanding document titled "UFOs and Defence: What Must We Be Prepared For?" was published by an independent group of former

"auditors" of the French Institute for National Defence and experts from several other scientific fields.

"The COMETA REPORT":

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/COMETA>

<http://www.netowne.com/ufo/important/cometa.htm>

http://www.bibliotecapleyades.net/sociopolitica/sociopol_cometarepo_rto1.htm

Known as the COMETA report, the study included the examination of some 500 international UFO sightings, including radar/visual cases and previously undisclosed reports of commercial and military pilots. It also drew on data from official sources, government authorities and air forces of other countries.

The 1999 "COMETA REPORT" VIDEO:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w7KC-1wj3Hg> [5:50 min]

The report further explored the political and religious implications of UFOs, as well as the problem of disinformation, ridicule and manipulation efforts by government agencies and other vested interests.

In its conclusion, the report addressed the issue of extraterrestrial visitation: "A single hypothesis sufficiently takes into account the facts and, for the most part, only calls for present day science. It is the hypothesis of extraterrestrial visitors. Advanced in 1947 by certain U.S. military personnel, today it is popular worldwide.

It is discredited by a certain elite, but is plausible. Scientists (astronomers, physicists, engineers, futurologists etc.) have elaborated on it enough for it to be received as a hypothesis — by their peers."

When journalist Leslie Kean wrote the first account of the COMETA report in the Boston Globe on May 21, 2000, she thought the article "would have to generate some kind of news buzz, and that other journalists would eagerly jump in to pick up where I had left off. ... Amazingly nothing happened. ... It was the beginning of a rude awakening, a rite of passage into the perplexing reality that UFOs cannot be acknowledged at all, even as simply the unidentified flying objects that they are. It was as if everyone was pretending that they didn't exist."

Given the life-changing potential and consequences of the UFO/ET problem, and because it has primarily been subject to sensational tabloid journalism, it is essential that local, national and

international journalists seriously perform the duties and responsibilities required by the mission and ethics of their indispensable profession.

For the past 60-plus years, the mainstream media have either ignored or ridiculed what might be the biggest story of human history.

During this period, every top-level news organization in the United States has been approached countless times by citizens and researchers with events, information and evidence relating to the UFO phenomenon.

With few exceptions, the major news organizations have defaulted on this issue, including The New York Times, Los Angeles Times, Washington Post and ABC/NBC/CBS/CNN news television. On many occasions, UFO events have been reported by local media and then transmitted to narrow-minded national editors who have failed to do follow-up stories.

Examples of the negligence are plentiful. One glaring case was the April 1997 UFO sighting witnessed by thousands of people in the Phoenix area.

This massive UFO was one of the most spectacular sightings in U.S. history, but mainstream journalists wanted nothing to do with it and might have ignored it completely if not for the very candid, detailed interview of Phoenix Councilwoman Frances Barwood by USA Today's Richard Price, who wrote an excellent piece about the event.

Historically, most major media organizations have been of the opinion UFOs are not real and often treated anyone who believes they are to be intellectually stunted and deserving of dismissal and ridicule.

Most journalists, like many academics, have seriously failed in their professional obligation to treat the issue fairly and objectively. Such behavior is known by some UFO investigators as "The Journalism UFO Syndrome."

Philosopher Arthur Schopenhauer said of the search for truth: "All truth passes through three stages. First it is ridiculed; second, it is violently opposed; and third, it is accepted as self-evident."

If sound journalism practices are applied to the UFO/ET issue, we might be able to partially curtail

stages one and two. Bill Wickersham is an adjunct professor of peace studies at the University of Missouri–Columbia.

Ashiwi Native Americans (or Zuni) and the aliens by Denis R. DENOCLA

<http://www.denocla.com/?p=1981&lang=en-us>

For the first presentation of my research in the USA, in February 2010, at the UFO Congress in Laughlin, I had an amazing visit : the Elder shaman of the Zuni tribe. Or rather Ashiwi as they call themselves, the official name of Zuni have been given by the Spanish. The Elder shaman Mahooty Clifford, came to see me as if he had known me forever, and immediately designated me as a « brother » !

This surprised me greatly, but our mutual sympathy has not diminished over the course of our meetings, on the contrary, the convergence of views and our exchanges were of the richest...

The territory of the Ashiwi (which means « those where everyone is special »), is located southwest of the city of Albuquerque. This area is crossed by the Zuni Canyon leading to the Grand Canyon, farther west. Clifford Mahooty quickly informed me that the Zuni territory is « UFO-active » since the 60s. The UFO sightings are truly dazzling, 1 to 2 times per month, often arriving from the south of Zuni Canyon, sometimes during the day. On several occasions UFOs were low to the ground. As in 2001, when a probably automatic vehicle of 3 meters in diameter arose a few dozen yards from his home in an area of corn crop. Since, at this location the vegetation is stunted, and corn does not grow at all.

Several other people from the tribe, including a Zuni archaeologist, one evening in 2005 on a road near the village found themselves face to face with a craft more than fifteen meters in diameter hovering low to the ground. One of the frightened Indians wanted to shoot the machine with a hunting rifle large caliber, but my friend Dan, the Zuni archaeologist, dissuaded him ... They stood at a distance until the vehicle leaves with a few oscillations, and lightning speed ...

Here are some examples of meetings that can be done in the territory of Zuni, and all residents are aware of the phenomenon. For much of them, this is « normal », especially as the Elder shaman of the tribe of Zuni will tell me the story and mythology of the tribe. This is markedly different from the official

version, as it can be found on which pages of « wiki-censorship. »

In this mythology, the origin of the culture of the people comes from the Zuni Kachinas. The Kachinas are represented by colorful characters who embody and masked during ritual dances, not just the « spirits » as the politically correct want to have us believe. But all the principles of cultural society Ashiwi, with an angle very special... Take the example of a conventional type Kachina « children of incest » are hideous and crazy characters that symbolize the dangerous effects of potential relationships of incest and inbreeding. Each family is responsible for transmission of the oral history of a type of Kachina with all its symbolism. What we know is that for most of the Kachinas, the origin of each symbol is associated with a people of the Cosmos!

Another point totally ignored, is that giant Kachinas are the cause of the foundation of the Zuni culture, his moral and social values. Clearly, Mahooty Clifford explains that the Zuni have been in contact with an extraterrestrial civilization that would have given them a lot of knowledge. Clifford tells me especially in the field of astronomy, the Zuni have known for « always » the existence of certain nebulae completely unknown before the advent of powerful telescopes. For me, the information about the Kachinas giants that would be the cause of the foundation of the Zuni culture, immediately evoke something specific ...

Indeed, I draw the attention of Clifford on the framework of alien races that I published in the book « Presence ». The aliens who I have called « IOXiens » are about 3 meters high, which would have started their visits to Earth-896 before JC, a presence there initiated some 3000 years... The assumption that the Giants are the Kachinas-IOXiens fit pretty well and seems very plausible Clifford Mahooty, both for the chronology and the moral content of this specie. From the source of the UMMO letters, the IOXiens people have a high intelligence and a strict moral. They are therefore good candidates to have issued guidance to entities on the one hand Zuni, Hopi and other. This former exocivilisation would have intervened long before the « Pax Galactica » for 80 years, at a time when the level of acceptance was easily managed by visitors, so infrequent. This gives us a good hypothesis for this old exocivilisation. But why such a « UFO-activity » since the 60's?

I ask the Elder shaman of which is for me the logic critical key points. Did he know rumors of secret nuclear facilities in the territory of Zuni? Such facilities in the sixties would not have failed to generate active surveillance by the exocivilisations we meet. Clifford does not exclude this hypothesis; the work could not be done without the knowledge of the tribe.

The Zuni territory included an inactive volcanic area. This type of geological activity uses to interest many exocivilisations and could be a source of curiosity and learning for our visitors. However, this volcanic can not be correlated with the period of 60 years. But, I suggest to Clifford that the volcanic activity and the monumental canyons may have been one of the reasons that might motivate IOXiens to come in the region 3000 years ago.

Although the assumption of civil and military nuclear facilities is frequently the cause of an area « UFO-active, » I take into account a particular data. The history of the relationship between the Zuni and the probable IOXiens. This relationship had been former require the establishment of a logistics IOXien's infrastructure. This underground base can be always active including for other exocivilisations. Or, this could be an "exo-historical place", a kind of "Statue of Liberty" site for exocivilisations...

This hypothesis also holds the attention of Clifford, who tells me he knows also the existence of petroglyphs that have never been studied in this area difficult to access. The historical roots of the relationship between the Zuni and exocivilisations should not fail to be shown over time by petroglyphs.

Another topic of surprise is on the language of Ashiwi whose origin is a complete mystery. This language has nothing in common with other Indians. Why?

Clifford sends me some documents so I can study the semantics of the language... Thus, we agree to provide an update on the Zuni language and an exploration of the area of the petroglyphs.

Dan, archaeologist Zuni, will be here. We will explore the area after the UFO conference in Phoenix in 2012 where we meet on the occasion of the appointment of the documentary film « Presence » to be competing for the ETs or EBE AWARDS. The rest of the adventure: in February 2012 ...

For up to date information on MUFON Minnesota meetings and agendas, including special speakers, visit: <http://www.mnmufon.org/agenda.htm> or <http://www.mnmufon.org/event.htm>

Minnesota MUFON

State Director: Lorna Hunter (320) 297-0205
Assist. State Dir.: Richard Moss (320) 732-3205
Assist. State Dir.: Bill McNeff (952) 890-1390
Field Invest. Coord.: Craig Lang
Journal Editor: Joel Henry, PO Box 240631
Apple Valley, MN 55124
(952) 431-2426 E-Mail: mmj@mnmufon.org

MN MUFON WEB PAGE

<http://www.mnmufon.org> - Joel Henry, Webmaster

MUFONET: 3.9777 Mhz Mon. at 7:00pm CST,
Bob Shultz, Net Control

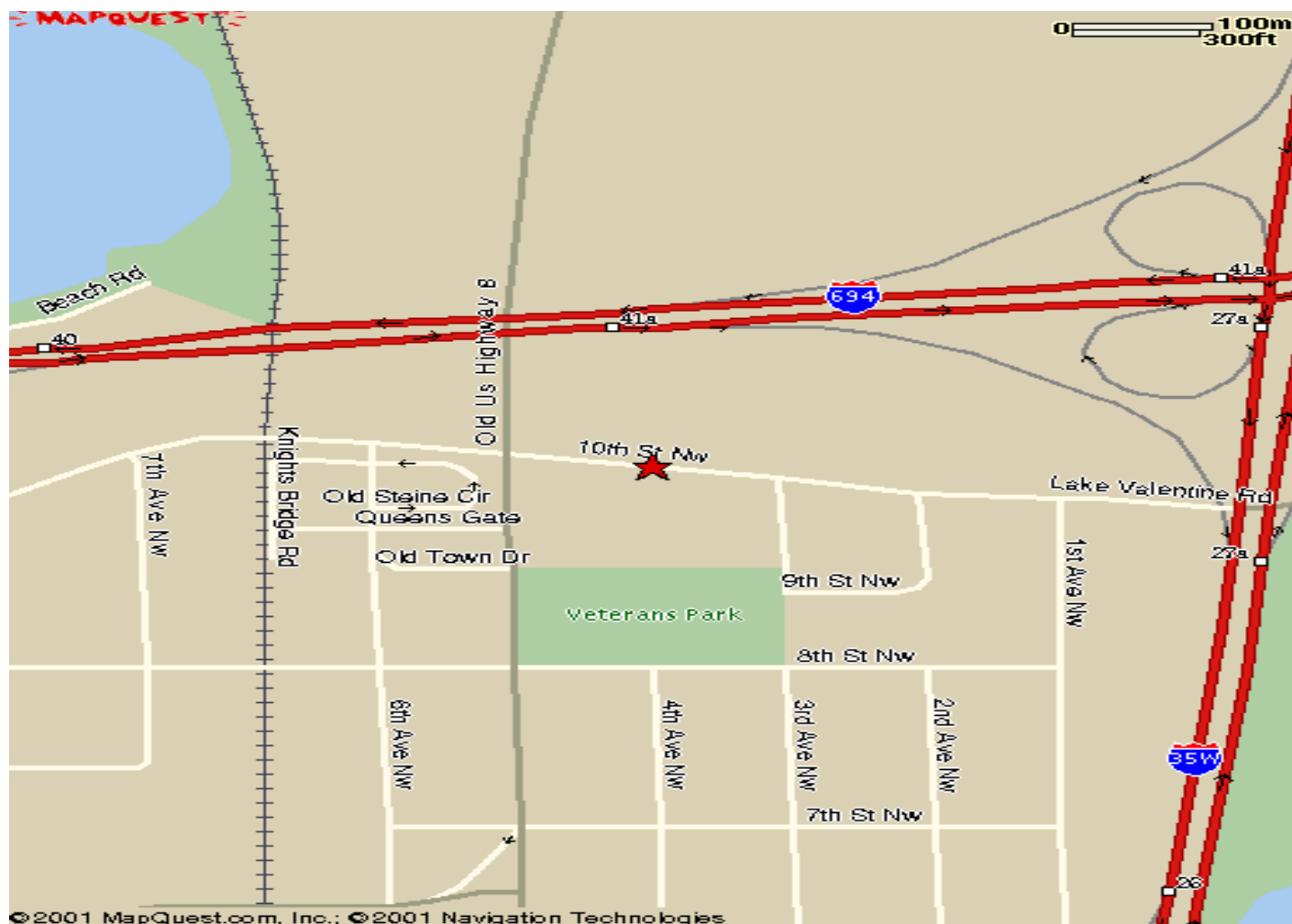
National MUFON Hotline

To report UFO news, sightings, etc. call 1-800-836-2166

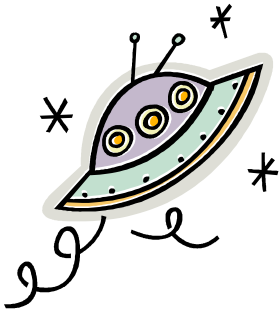
The Minnesota MUFON Journal (MMJ) is a FREE publication available by internet only as a .PDF document. If you send an e-mail request to: mmj@mnmufon.org and I will add you to my e-mail notification list. Or you can just go to: www.mnmufon.org/mmjpdf.htm where you can check for new issues from time to time.

If you know someone who would like the MMJ, but does not have e-mail or internet access, you may print out a copy of the MMJ and give to them as long as you do not charge for it. If you have news or editorial contributions you wish to submit for inclusion please direct your articles or inquiries to the Editor.

NOTE: Copyrights for the articles in this issue are property of the originator(s) and/or their assignee(s). Articles are reprinted here with permission or are believed to be in the public domain. Permission to use or reprint must be obtained from the original articles author(s).



Minnesota MUFON Journal
 Joel Henry, Editor
 P.O. Box 240631
 Apple Valley, MN 55124



MN UFO Conference

Saturday October 8, 2011

9:00 am – 7:00 pm

*New Brighton Family Center: 400 10th St. NW, New Brighton, MN 55112

9:00 am: **Craig R. Lang**
*Close Encounters:
Beyond the Basics*

10:30 am: **Chad Lewis**
*Mysterious Creatures of
Wisconsin and Minnesota*

Simply Steve's Food Truck
On the grounds serving "Out of this World" Breakfast and
Lunch
9:30 am to 2:00 pm

1:00 pm: **Adrian Lee**
UFOs in Renaissance Art
Adrian is also event emcee

3:00 pm: **Ken Storch**
UFOs: The Hard Evidence, the Lies, and the Implications for Society

5:00 pm Open Panel Q & A with additional guests to wrap up the conference
Speakers and other local authors signing books in the vendor area!

Register by Oct. 1, 2011 - \$25 for an ALL DAY Pass

After Oct. 1st or at the door (on a space available basis only) \$30 for an All Day Pass, or \$10 per presentation

Register by emailing: mnufconference@mufonsd.org or call 320-297-0205

(Please give full name, address, email, phone, and number of tickets when registering!)

Speakers and/or schedule subject to change – please check these websites for updates and speaker bios:

www.mnmufon.org

www.mufonsd.org

*Presentations will be held in Room 224, Ticket sales in Room 218, and Vendors and Book signings in Room 220

Craig Lang is an Assistant State Director for MUFON MN, and has been a MUFON Field Investigator for 15 years. He is a certified hypnotherapist with the National Guild of Hypnotists and serves on the MUFON Abduction Response Team. Craig writes the *CE4 Corner* for the MN Mufon Journal, and has authored two books on UFOs and abduction experiences: *The Cosmic Bridge, Close Encounters and Human Destiny* and *The Other Side of the Sky, The Cosmic Bridge Companion*. What happens during a hypnotic regression session? Come and find out! www.craigrlang.com
www.theCosmicBridge.com

Chad Lewis is a former State Director for MUFON WI and a paranormal researcher and author for Unexplained Research. Chad holds a Master's of Science degree in Applied Psychology from the University of Wisconsin-Stout. Chad has trekked across the world in search of the paranormal, bringing over 13 years of research experience to his presentations. Chad has been featured in hundreds of radio interviews, TV appearances, and newspaper articles. Chad is also the co-author of the *Road Guide to Haunted Locations* book series. Are you afraid to go out in the MN and WI woods alone? Chad will tell you if you should be! www.unexplainedresearch.com

Adrian Lee was born and raised in London, England. He studied History and History methodologies for his Masters degree and lectured for 14 years - becoming the Head of several Art and History Departments and a Local Government Advisor for education. Adrian is the co-founder of the International Paranormal Society and a member of the Luton Paranormal Society in England; he has investigated ghosts and haunted buildings throughout Britain and America - particularly the Midwest area, and is in the process of writing a book for Llewellyn Press called, *The Haunting and History of Minnesota*. Think you've heard all about old depictions of UFOs on *Ancient Aliens*? They don't even come close to what Adrian will tell you! www.dradrianlee.com

Ken Storch is a retired law enforcement officer with 31 years in service. Ken is a MUFON Life Member and has been investigating UFO sightings for 35 years – his interest in the phenomenon beginning with an incident he witnessed while serving in the Air Force. He has appeared in several UFO documentaries and on several History Channel *UFO Files* and *UFO Hunters* shows. Ken will present irrefutable evidence, challenge mainstream media, academia and government officials, and discuss what this all means for you! Ken is *not* afraid to be controversial! Be prepared to have your paradigm shifted!

Speaker presentations will be 1 to 1 ½ hours long with 15 minutes of Q & A following.
Presentations will be held in Room 224, Ticket sales in Room 218, and Vendors and book signings in Room 220

Craig Lang and Chad Lewis will be signing their books
Paranormal Paraphernalia will have Ghost Hunting Equipment on display
M.M. Beryk will be signing her book: *The Unveiled Rose*
More vendors to be announced.....

Simply Steve's Food Truck will be at the Family Center 9:30am – 2:00pm
Serving Breakfast and Lunch that is Out of This World! www.simplystevesfoodtruck.com

"UFOs and the Paranormal" Program Schedule

Date: 09/06/11

Station Program Guides: CTV15 Roseville: <http://www.ctv15.org/calendars/Channel15.html>
 Internet Live Streaming: NorthMetroTV Blaine: http://www.northmetrotv.com/channel14_sched.aspx
 NorthMetroTV Blaine: <http://www.northmetrotv.com> Click on RED Ch14 Icon

Program Sources:

The Cutting Edge - UFOs & Paranormal
 Tucson, AZ Community TV
<http://www.ufoshows.com>
 Producer: Jim Rodger / Bob Schultz

MN-Mutual UFO Network
 New Brighton Family Center
<http://www.mnmufon.org>
 Producer: Bob Schultz

International UFO Congress
 Laughlin, NV - AquariusHotel
<http://www.ufocongress.com>
 Producer: Bob Brown

Episode Title	Epsd	Source	Performance Date	CTV Ch15 Play Date	CTV Ch15 Play Time	NorthMetro Ch14 Play Date	NorthMetro Ch14 Play Time	Length Hr:Mn:Se
The Stan Romanek Abductions Stan Romanek	127	IUFOC	02/25/10	09/06/11	09:00 PM	09/09/11	09:00 PM	1:58:04
UFO Program Promo - 2 min Bob Schultz	P2	-	04/16/09	09/13/11	09:00 PM	09/16/11	09:00 PM	0:02:05
Nazi UFO Connection, Part 1 Wendelle Stevens / Kyle Dayton	112	Cosmic	03/20/09	09/13/11	09:02 PM	09/16/11	09:02 PM	0:56:06
UFO Program Promo - 2 min Bob Schultz	P2	-	04/16/09	09/13/11	09:58 PM	09/16/11	09:58 PM	0:02:05
Nazi UFO Connection, Part 2 Jim Nichols / Kyle Dayton	113	Cosmic	04/10/09	09/13/11	10:00 PM	09/16/11	10:00 PM	0:55:24
Above Black at the NSA Dan Sherman	13A	IUFOC	12/06/98	09/20/11	09:00 PM	09/23/11	09:00 PM	0:58:32
UFO Program Promo - 1 min Bob Schultz	P1	-	04/16/09	09/20/11	09:59 PM	09/23/11	09:59 PM	0:01:05
National UFO Reporting Center Peter Davenport	110	IUFOC	02/27/09	09/20/11	10:00 PM	09/23/11	10:00 PM	0:58:33
UFO Program Promo - 3 min Bob Schultz	P3	-	04/16/09	09/27/11	09:00 PM	09/30/11	09:00 PM	0:03:05
Media UFO Censorship Terry Hansen	7	MUFON	09/01/01	09/27/11	09:03 PM	09/30/11	09:03 PM	1:55:54
Len Stringfield & Crash Retrievals Kevin Randle	118	MUFON	07/24/10	10/04/11	09:00 PM	10/07/11	09:00 PM	0:58:23
UFO Program Promo - 2 min Bob Schultz	P2	-	04/16/09	10/04/11	09:58 PM	10/07/11	09:58 PM	0:02:05
Cosmic Cultures Meet Dr. Raunni Lukannen	13B	IUFOC	12/01/95	10/04/11	10:00 PM	10/07/11	10:00 PM	0:58:30

Tuesday 9 pm Programs Repeat on Wednesday at 5 am and 1 pm
 Friday 9 pm Programs Repeat on Saturday at 5 am and 1 pm