Newark Earthworks: A Place of Pilgrimage
Newark Earthworks Day 2009

Art exhibit
Tuesday, September 23 – November 23. LeFevre Gallery, The Ohio State University at Newark
“Pilgrimage through the Centuries.” Artists are invited to submit works for this exhibit.

Native Harvest Festival
Saturday, September 26. The Great Circle Earthworks
An indigenous garden from the Hopewell period that was planted by Miller Elementary School students over the summer will be featured. Activities include story-telling, craft-making, and Native cultural presentations by the Native American Indian Center of Central Ohio.

Walk with the Ancients
Saturday, October 10 – Friday, October 16
The Walk begins at the Hopewell Culture National Historical Park in Chillicothe.

The walk will cover 60 miles over 7 days. Programs will be offered each night of the walk in public buildings and parks. Programs will include presentations about the earthworks, astronomy and Native life.

End of walk: Friday afternoon, October 16. Geller Park in Heath
The public is welcome to greet the walkers when they arrive. Friday or Sunday they will walk the final mile into the Newark Earthworks. A group of Native singers and dancers and civic officials will lead a ceremony at the Octagon Earthworks.

Newark Earthworks Day
Saturday, October 17. The Ohio State University at Newark
Speakers, exhibits, craft vendors and Native food will be featured all day.

Guest speakers include Chief Glenna Wallace (Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma); Dr. Lindsay Jones, The Ohio State University; Dr. Bradley Lepper, The Ohio Historical Society; Dr. William Romain, author of “The Mysteries of the Hopewell;” and Vincent Stanzione, author of “Ritual of Sacrifice: Walking the Face of the Earth on the Sacred Path of the Sun.” Sessions will focus on the nature of pilgrimage and evidence that the Newark Earthworks have been a place of pilgrimage across the centuries.

Octagon Earthworks Open House
Sunday, October 18
125 N. 33rd St, Newark, OH.

Everyone is welcome, all events are free.
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