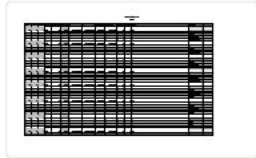


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## Sarah site 2004 - artifact catalogue

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11860>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: sub sub sub series

Series Number: 1.3.2.4

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: textual records

Date Range: 2004

Physical Description: 3372 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Artifact catalogue containing 2910 records from Sarah site 2004.

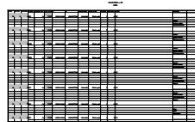
Scope and Content:

Spreadsheet containing information about the artifacts recovered, including: unit, level, artifact number, catalogue number, depth, co-ordinates, entry date, date recovered, count, weight, UTM co-ordinates, notes (excavators initials and comments) and artifact identification.

Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - artifact catalogue

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004

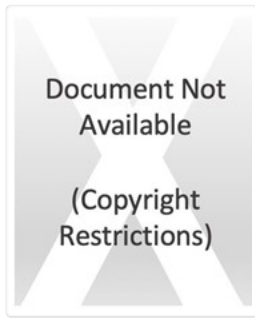
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## Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 10

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11861>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 1.3.2.3

File Number: 1

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 42 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of site excavation unit 10 at the Sarah site 2004.

Scope and Content:

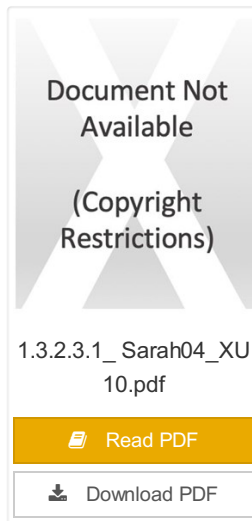
Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

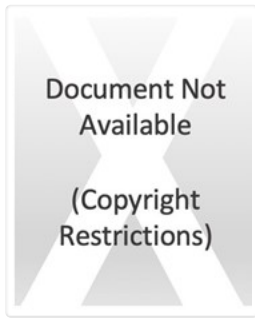
Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 10

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004

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## Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 11

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11862>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 1.3.2.3

File Number: 2

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 33 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of site excavation unit 11 at the Sarah site 2004.

Scope and Content:

Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

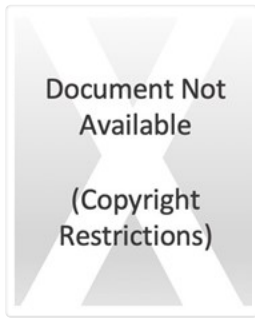
Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 11

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004

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## Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 12

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11863>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 1.3.2.3

File Number: 3

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 22 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of site excavation unit 12 at the Sarah site 2004.

Scope and Content:

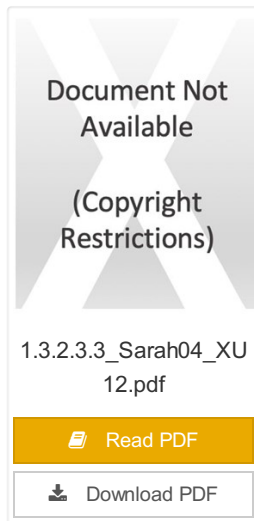
Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

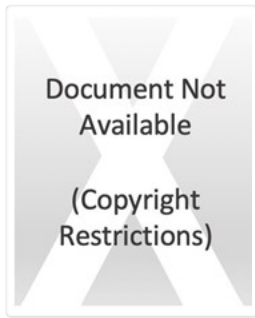
Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 12

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004

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## Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 13

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11864>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 1.3.2.3

File Number: 4

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 50 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of site excavation unit 13 at the Sarah site 2004.

Scope and Content:

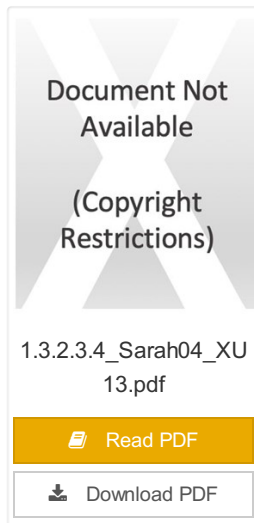
Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

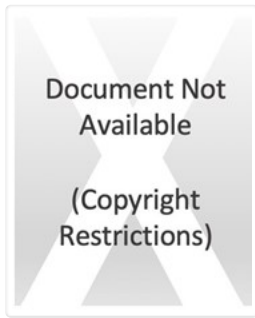
Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 13

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004

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## Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 14

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11865>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 1.3.2.3

File Number: 5

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 44 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of site excavation unit 14 at the Sarah site 2004.

Scope and Content:

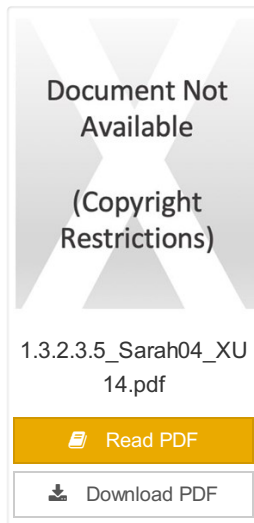
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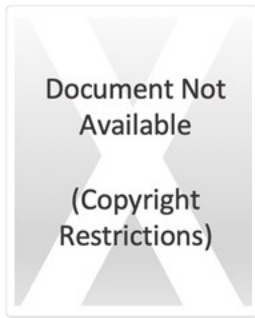
Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 14

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004

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## Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 15

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11866>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 1.3.2.3

File Number: 6

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 48 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of site excavation unit 15 at the Sarah site 2004.

Scope and Content:

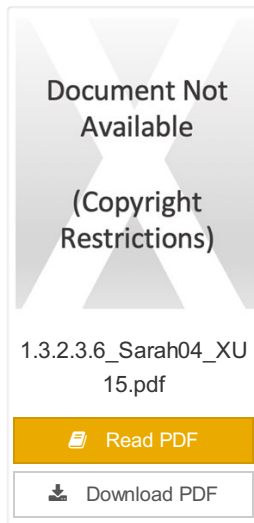
Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

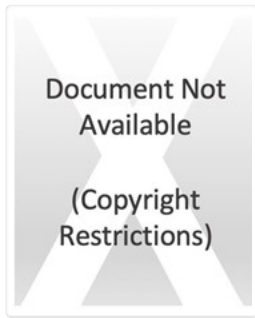
Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 15

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004

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## Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 16

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11867>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 1.3.2.3

File Number: 7

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 38 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of site excavation unit 16 at the Sarah site 2004.

Scope and Content:

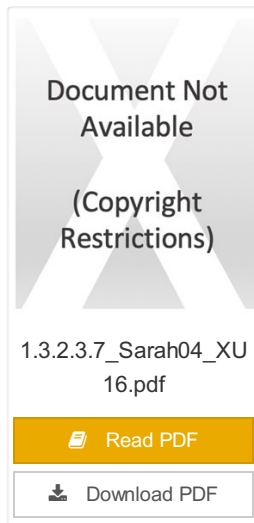
Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 16

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004

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Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 17

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 1.3.2.3

File Number: 8

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 30 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of site excavation unit 17 at the Sarah site 2004.

### Scope and Content:

Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 17

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004

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## Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 18

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11869>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: File

Series Number: 1.3.2.3

File Number: 9

Accession Number: 1-2010

Physical Description: 180 pages

Material Details: PDF

History /

Biographical:

Record of site excavation unit 18 at the Sarah site 2004.

Scope and Content:

Site records of excavation units may include: level summaries, floor plans, feature sheets, wall profiles, unit summaries and any other additional information relating to the unit.

Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - site record XU 18

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004

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## Sarah site 2004 - photographs

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11870>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: sub sub sub series

Series Number: 1.3.2.5

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 2004

Physical Description: 7 photographs

Material Details: JPEGs

History /

Biographical:

Numerous photographs were taken during the excavation of the Sarah site 2004. A selection of photographs of features and personnel performing usual field tasks such as surveying, measuring, excavating, and taking photographs were selected for the archive.

Scope and Content:

Sub sub sub series consists of photographs taken during excavation of the Sarah site 2004.

Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - photographs

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004



## Sarah site 2004 - Crew outside field laboratory

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11871>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 1.3.2.5

Item Number: 1.3.2.5.1

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 2004

Physical Description: 720 x 540 (496 KB )

Material Details: JPEG

### Scope and Content:

Crew and visitors outside the lauder field laboratory.

Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - Crew outside field laboratory

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004  
Sarah site 2004 - photographs

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## Sarah site 2004 - lab lecture

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11872>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 1.3.2.5

Item Number: 1.3.2.5.2

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 2004

Physical Description: 720 x 540 (352 KB )

Material Details: JPEG

Scope and Content:

Crew enjoying a lab lecture.

Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - lab lecture

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004  
Sarah site 2004 - photographs

### Images

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## Sarah site 2004 - Bev Nicholson and students surveying

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11873>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 1.3.2.5

Item Number: 1.3.2.5.3

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 2004

Physical Description: 720 x 540 (491 KB )

Material Details: JPEG

Scope and Content:

Bev Nicholson and students surveying.

Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - Bev Nicholson and students surveying

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004  
Sarah site 2004 - photographs

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## Sarah site 2004 - Jessica McKenzie and students with insect protection

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11874>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 1.3.2.5

Item Number: 1.3.2.5.4

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 2004

Physical Description: 720 x 540 (490 KB )

Material Details: JPEG

Scope and Content:

Jessica McKenzie and students with insect protection.

Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - Jessica McKenzie and students with insect protection

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004  
Sarah site 2004 - photographs

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## Sarah site 2004 - Denise Ens checking bone bed

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11875>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 1.3.2.5

Item Number: 1.3.2.5.5

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 2004

Physical Description: 540 x 720 (429 KB )

Material Details: JPEG

Scope and Content:

Denise Ens checking bone bed

Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - Denise Ens checking bone bed

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004  
Sarah site 2004 - photographs

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## Sarah site 2004 - Jessica McKenzie and crew at end of field school

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11876>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 1.3.2.5

Item Number: 1.3.2.5.6

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 2004

Physical Description: 540 x 720 (429 KB )

Material Details: JPEG

Scope and Content:

Jessica McKenzie and crew at end of field school.

Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - Jessica McKenzie and crew at end of field school

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004  
Sarah site 2004 - photographs

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## Sarah site 2004 - Students and crew at end of season

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11877>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 1.3.2.5

Item Number: 1.3.2.5.7

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: graphic

Date Range: 2004

Physical Description: 720 x 540 (415 KB )

Material Details: JPEG

### Scope and Content:

Students and crew at the end of the field season.

Name Access: Sarah site 2004 - Students and crew at end of season

Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Sarah site DiMe-28  
Sarah site 2004  
Sarah site 2004 - photographs

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## Graham site DiMe-30

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11886>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds

Description Level: Sub-series

Series Number: 1.4

Accession Number: 1-2010

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 2004-2008

## History /

### Biographical:

The Graham site is located adjacent to the Crepelee site towards the western end of the Crepelee locale. The Graham site was initially designated as a separate site early in the testing of the Crepelee locale due to what appeared to be a distinction between Early and Late Woodland ceramics. Subsequent testing has shown that this distinction was premature and that the cultural mosaic represented in the western section of the Crepelee locale may not readily separate in this manner. However, due to the records management that was already in place, the original separate designations have been retained.

### Environment

Ground cover is a mosaic of aspen poplar groves and patches of mesic grass prairie. Excavation profiles indicate that this has been the situation since early precontact times, although as local climatic conditions change (primarily rainfall), the relative size of these areas and where they may have occurred also changed. The soil is aeolian sand sheet derived from delta outwash deposits along the western edge of glacial Lake Hind. The present topography is a variable dune landscape reworked by aeolian activity that creates a mosaic of microhabitats. These include forested patches in the lee of sand dunes grassland on the southern and western exposures and small damp lowlands that support balsam poplar, willows, red osier dogwood, high-bush cranberry and water birch. There is no permanent water source in the area although a small seasonal stream meanders through a damp lowland along the eastern margin of the Crepelee locale.

Excavations at the Graham site took place from 2004 to 2008. Analyses of the recoveries shows that, with two exceptions, all of the occupations that have been tested produced bison foetal bone. The presence of foetal bison is a strong indicator of wintering occupations...The absence of foetal in some area does not necessarily indicate warm season occupations since these excavation series are small and the absence could be due to sample error or perthotoxic factors, such as scavenging of the fragile bone by dogs or other carnivores.

From this evidence the Graham site has been interpreted as being primarily a wintering area. This is consistent with the lack of surface water (snow would serve as a substitute in winter) and the abundance of wood for fuel – a critical requirement for winter occupation. Cultural occupations date from Mortlach circa 250 B.P to woodland circa 580 B.P.

### Scope and Content:

Sub-series has been divided into sub sub series including: Graham 2004, Graham 2005, Graham 2006 and Graham 2008

Name Access:           Graham site DiMe-30

Subject Access:       Archaeology  
                              Crepelee locale  
                              Graham site DiMe-30



## Graham site 2004

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions11887>

Part Of: RG 7 Beverley Nicholson fonds  
Description Level: Sub sub series  
Series Number: 1.4.1  
Accession Number: 1-2010  
GMD: multiple media  
Date Range: 2004  
Material Details: Field journals have been scanned in multi-page PDF files. Artifact catalogues are PDF files in spreadsheet format. Photographs are in jpeg format.

### History /

#### Biographical:

Graham units 9 and 14 were excavated with the Crepeele site in 2004 and were reassigned to the Graham site DiMe-30 keeping the same unit numbers. Tomasin Playford was crew chief in 2004.

The Graham site was initially designated as a separate site early in the testing of the Crepeele locale due to what appeared to be a distinction between Early and Late Woodland ceramics. Subsequent testing has shown that this distinction was premature and that the cultural mosaic represented in the western section of the Crepeele locale does not readily separate in this manner.

#### Scope and Content:

Sub-sub-sub series contains: Summary information of field methodology, number and co-ordinates of excavations, personnel and their staff position; Field journals are daily records of recoveries, features and activities at the site; Site records include excavation level and unit summaries, feature sheets, profiles; sample records and maps; Artifact catalogues are lists and identifications of all artifacts recovered; Photographs are of excavation units, features, the landscape and personnel.

Name Access: Graham site 2004  
Subject Access: Archaeology  
Crepeele locale  
Graham site DiMe-30  
Graham site 2004