



Northeast Region
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Assistance to DHR: Post-Dorian Site Assessments

The Northeast Region staff helped state land managers assess and document changes to sites after Hurricane Dorian brushed past the coast in September. Staff monitored sites at Fort George Island State Park and the GTM Research Reserve. Staff also assisted the Florida State Park Service and the St. Augustine Lighthouse Archaeological Maritime Program to document the Little Talbot Island Shipwreck, which moved about a quarter mile during the storm, using traditional mapping techniques as well as photogrammetry.



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Link to model: <https://sketchfab.com/3d-models/e1267bd7bfca445d84c1fdc4f78a3d2e>

Outreach: Fishing – Timucua Style – at the 4-H Summer Camp

Emily Jane Murray from the Northeast Region taught about Timucuan fishing technology at the Nassau County Extension Office's 4-H Summer Camp. Participants learned about the native peoples, explored replica artifacts, and talked about how archaeologists uncover information

about the past. The campers also tried simulated fishing techniques through hands-on activities including gigging fish, throwing cast nets and building weirs.



Emily Jane Murray tests out a camper's weir during a Timucuan Technology: Fishing program at the Nassau County Extension 4-H Summer Camp.

FPAN in the Media

- “Local Archaeologists in race against time to preserve Florida’s history,” Action News Jax, TV news story
 - <https://www.actionnewsjax.com/news/local/local-archaeologists-in-race-against-time-to-preserve-floridas-history/980332613>