



San Diego
Rock Art
Association



San Diego Rock Art Association Meeting Sunday, April 2, 2017

Kumeyaay-Ipai Interpretive Center • 13104 Ipai Waaypuk Trail (formerly Silver Lake Drive) • Poway, CA 92064

• 4:00 Potluck: Bring food of your choice to share • 5:00 Meeting and Presentations
Meetings are included in your SDRAA Membership. Suggested Donation for Guests is \$5.00



Wonders of San Bushman Rock Art of Southern Africa

A Presentation by Anne Stoll

The painted shelters of Zimbabwe, Namibia, and South Africa contain some of the most finely painted, complex, and intriguing images ever made anywhere by ancient people. Thousands of years ago, San Bushman foragers painted animals, people, geometrics, and enigmas in vibrant colors and subtle shadings on stone shelter walls at which we still marvel today. Scholars over many years have labored to understand the meaning of these images. The past two decades of work by David Lewis-Williams and his colleagues have left us a clear trail to the rational interpretation of this art based on careful ethnographic study. Yet many mysteries remain and new analytical techniques hint at future discoveries and revisions. Anne will share the highlights of personal visits to these remarkable African rockshelters and will include newly enhanced images for comparison.