

## Resources for Archaeology in Montgomery County, Maryland

Unfortunately, there is no book that deals exclusively with the archaeology of Montgomery County. The two readily available books putting the county in a larger cultural context are Richard J. Dent's Chesapeake Prehistory: Old Traditions, New Directions, published by Plenum Press in 1995, and Stephen R. Potter's Commoners, Tribute, and Chiefs, The Development of Algonquian Culture in the Potomac Valley, published by the University Press of Virginia in 1993.

However, the results of the nine-year archaeological and historical study of the C&O Canal National Historical Park are available on-line. To access this multi-volume research and other studies concerning archaeology, history, historic architecture, and many other cultural and natural resource projects go to [www.nps.gov/RESSNCR](http://www.nps.gov/RESSNCR). This will take you to the main page of Resource Stewardship and Science, Region 1 NCA (formerly NCR). From the main page select Cultural Resources, Archaeology, NCR Archaeology Reports and "Cohongorooto, The Potomac Above the Falls: Archaeological Identification and Evaluation Study of C&O Canal NHP, Rock Creek to Sandy Hook, Mile Markers 0 to 59, printed in 2005".

There are two volumes of "Cohongorooto" that the public has full access to but you need to gain Partner Access by creating a new account, password, and username. This system (IRMA) was created after I retired, so I have not used it. I hope it's user-friendly.

The three best known archaeological sites in Montgomery County are the Shepard Site, Hughes Site, and Winslow Site. All are Late Woodland Period villages (1000 to 1600 A.D.). They are discussed in the two volumes of "Cohongorooto".

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Names used in "First Americans and England's Potomac Frontier, 1607 to 1676"

The names are listed in the order in which they were first mentioned during the presentation.

Algonquian  
Algonquin  
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chiefdom  
Nacotchtank  
Patawomeke  
Anacostia River  
werowances (plural)  
Powhatan  
Iroquoian  
Susquehannocks  
Susquehanna Valley  
Moorefield and Romney, West Virginia  
Patuxent River  
Massawomecks  
Tockwoghs  
Manahoacs  
Monacans  
Accomacs  
Ocohanocks  
Helen Rountree  
William Kelso  
Captain Argall  
trifles  
Pocahontas  
Opechancanough  
Captain Isaac Maddison  
Captain Henry Spelman  
Henry Fleet  
Governor Francis Wyatt  
William Claiborne  
Conoy chiefdom  
Sir George Calvert  
Cecil Calvert  
Baron Batlimore's  
Kent Island  
Palmer's Island  
Susquehanna River  
Swedes  
Fort Christina  
Dutch  
Major General of Militia  
Puritan

King of Patowmeck  
Five Nation Iroquois  
Senecas  
Mohawks  
New Sweden  
Anglos  
Oneidas  
Governor Edmund Andros  
Piscataway Creek  
Doeg Indians  
Tauxenents  
Virginia's Northern Neck  
Nathaniel Bacon's  
Stephen Webb  
Great Covenant Chain of 1676