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ABSTRACTS

ΠΕΡΙΛΗΨΕΙΣ

DOMESTIC CONTAINERS OF THE EARLY NEOLITHIC COMMUNITIES OF INLAND NORTH ATTICA

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The revealing of early farming establishments in inland north Attica by the rescue works of the former 2nd Ephorate of Antiquities has enriched current knowledge on the first ceramic equipment used by the Neolithic populations of this region, so far very sparsely known from few other contemporary sites on the east coast and southwards. The containers across the different locations examined here demonstrate significant similarities in terms of quantity, production techniques, surface attributes, and shape forms, implying that the early communities shared common manufacturing choices and consumption needs. The rainbow colors are mostly noticeable in terms of surface, as is the frequency of thin-walled ring-based open bowls carrying small applied features compared to necked and hole-mouthed jars in terms of form.

From their overall picture the discussed pottery vessels emphasize the extensive establishment of the ceramic culture among the earliest inland population of Attica, but suggest slow formal developments existing in transcendence of the fast stylistic cuts that occur in other mainland cultures along the same chronological period. The food preparation and consumption strategies implied by the vessel shapes is contributive to the discussion on the subsistence agendas of these communities against their ecological background of woodland and intersecting fluvial plateaus.

Ο ΝΕΟΛΙΘΙΚΟΣ ΟΙΚΙΣΜΟΣ ΣΤΗΝ ΠΑΛΛΗΝΗ

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1. *Επίτιμος Έφορος Αρχαιοτήτων*

Αντικείμενο της ανακοίνωσης είναι η ανασκαφή στην περιοχή νοτίως της Παλλήνης, στο πλαίσιο της κατασκευής της Αττικής Οδού (1999-2001), ενός μεγάλου οικισμού της ώριμης Αρχαιότερης και της Μέσης Νεολιθικής περιόδου (η έκτασή του υπολογίζεται σε περίπου 13 στρέμματα). Ιδιαίτερο ενδιαφέρον έχει η οργάνωση του χώρου και η μορφή των κατοικιών και των βοηθητικών εγκαταστάσεων, όπου κεντρική θέση έχει ο πρωτοσυναντώμενος στην Αττική τύπος της τετράγωνης θεσσαλικής οικίας.