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My opinion of the 1973 flintworking fieldschool:

- 1) I thought the informality was a great advantage because everybody had varied interests and were able to work on what they were primarily interested in.
- 2) Camp life was of great importance because we all exchanged ideas and thoughts concerning flintworking.
- 3) I was impressed with Don Crabtree's skill and patience as a flintknapper and a teacher. It is not very often that a student gets the opportunity to work with the best in his field of study.

The amount of data that I gathered concerning fracture mechanics, flake identification, replication, core preparation, and much more, is of great significance to my work as a lithic technologist.

- 4) The variety of flintknapping techniques that were demonstrated were overwhelming, and modern flintknappers should be exposed to as many techniques as possible.
- 5) I think that if the school were moved to a university situation, it would lose much of its effectiveness.
- 6) I think the school should be continued at any cost.

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