

Phase II and Phase III Project Cover Sheet

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REPORT INFORMATION:

2009 Blair, J., M. Cochran, S. Duensing, & M. Leone
Phase II archaeological testing on Wye greenhouse (18TA314), Talbot County, Maryland,
2008.

Library ID No: 95003527 Catalog/Shelving ID: TA 62

Research Firm/Institution:

University of Maryland, College Park

Sites examined:

18TA314

Project Details:

Phase I

Phase II

Phase III

Project Justification:

This Phase II investigation has been conducted at the request of the Greenhouse's current owner, Mrs. Mary Tilghman, prior to planned Greenhouse foundation stabilization efforts.

Project Objectives:

Seven test units were excavated in the course of this project to evaluate archaeological integrity and to evaluate the potential effects of planned stabilization efforts on archaeological resources. In addition to questions of archaeological integrity, research questions guiding this project focused on the architectural development of the Wye Greenhouse as well as its social use, both by members of the Lloyd family and the plantation's enslaved African-American inhabitants.

MAC Accession: N/A

Research Potential:

Testing in the course of this project has concluded that there is a high degree of archaeological integrity within the project's area of potential effect. In addition, testing has determined that intact archaeological resources have the distinct potential to add a considerable depth of historical knowledge concerning the Greenhouse's structural change and social use throughout the 18th and 19th centuries.

REPORT INFORMATION:

2009 Blair, J., S. Duensing, M. Cochran, L. Kraus, M. Gubisch, & M. Leone
Archaeological excavations on the Long Green (18TA314), 2005-2008, Talbot County,
Maryland, 2009: Tulip Poplar slave quarter, Locus 1, North Building slave quarter, Locus 3,
Red Overseer's House...

Library ID No: 95003530 Catalog/Shelving ID: TA 63

Research Firm/Institution:

University of Maryland, College Park

Sites examined:

18TA314

Project Details:

Phase I

Phase II

Phase III

Project Justification:

This is an interim report on four years of archaeological excavations on the Long Green of Wye House. The excavations occurred from 2005 to 2008. All of the excavations were carried out through Archaeology in Annapolis and, in particular, the University of Maryland's archaeological field school which is run through the Department of Anthropology.

Project Objectives:

This fieldwork was completed in the duration of the field school for the University of Maryland at the request and support of the landowner.

MAC Accession: N/A

Research Potential:

See below.