

Hippus (Sussita) Excavations 2006 – 7th Season Daily Log + Drawing

Date: 23 July Area: NEC Manager: Schuler

Squares	C/D2	D0	D4	F2
Loci		L536	L1205	L563
Baskets		2105	2106	None collected
Walls				
Floors	F544, F589			

- Continued conservation work in Square C/D2 (Nave)
 - With no conservator in residence, we focused on stabilizing edges and preparing for winter.
- Continued work in Square D4
 - Starting elevation = 130.618
 - Ending elevation = 130.700 (due to taking down balk); 130.200 (small probe next to W1201 looking for floor)
 - Soil is Horizon B
 - Took down balk between D4 and C4
 - Dug a small probe down 40cm along W1201 in search for a floor. None found. Only pottery shards and some bones.
- Continued work in square D0
 - Starting elevation = 130.193
 - Ending elevation = 130.260 (west end of floor)
 - Soil is Horizon A/B
 - To the north of W540 and to the east of W510 is a stone floor, seemingly laid above the sought-for stylobate.
 - At the west end of the room next to W510 is a bench 40cm wide and 28 cm high. A broken but relatively complete pot was recovered on the bench.
- Continued work in Square F2
 - Starting elevation = 131.398
 - Ending elevation = 131.185
 - Soil is horizon A
 - Only limited work done removing surface fill.

Daily Drawing



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