

GREECE - Attachment C

The animals saved in Greece's ancient accidental 'arks'

Shielded from development and agriculture, many archaeological sites from ancient Greece have now become inadvertent safe harbours for plants and animals.

Athens and environs

- i – Greece is getting the National Archaeological Museum it deserves
- ii – The Zappeion: A Neoclassical Landmark in Athens
- iii – Athens Named the Most Walkable Tourist Destination on Earth
- iv – How a project that operated in 140 AD will quench the thirst of 8 municipalities of Attica

Essentially, the Hadrianic Aqueduct passes through 8 municipalities of the Region of Attica. The main concern of the spatial enhancement of the Hadrianic Aqueduct is the utilization of its water resources to cover the irrigation needs of the municipalities it passes through. The management of the aqueduct's pipelines and waters falls under the jurisdiction of EYDAP

- v - Culture Ministry Moves Ahead with New Cultural Complex Beneath the Acropolis
- vi – Elaborate Bronze Age Burial Unearthed in Rafina, Greece
- vii – Four Landmark Museums Opening in Athens in 2026

- a - The former Tatoi royal estate: A cultural park returns
- b - Museum of Underwater Antiquities: Piraeus's new landmark
- c - The old Acropolis museum: A new beginning
- d – The “shackled” skeletons of Faliro Museum

N. Greece

- i - The Guardian of Amphipolis: Full Documentary
- ii – Pella
 - a - The archaeological site of the Palace of Pella, where Alexander the Great was born, raised and came of age, was officially inaugurated, marking a milestone for cultural heritage in Central Macedonia. At the same time, two rare marble statues from the Hellenistic period were presented to the public for the first time at the Archaeological Museum of Pella.
 - b – The archaeological site of the Palace of Pella — the birthplace and childhood home of Alexander the Great — has officially opened to visitors, culminating decades of restoration efforts to showcase one of ancient Macedonia's grandest monuments.
 - c – Visitors will also find a newly inaugurated visitor center offering interactive exhibits and digital guides to help them explore the site's foundations and understand its historical significance. Starting next tourist season, digital tickets and virtual tours will enhance access, as part of a broader initiative to unify over 300 archaeological sites across Greece into a single digital platform.
- iii – Greece Begins Study to Restore Kasta Tomb's Original Colors in Ancient Amphipolis
- iv – Police in Greece said they were investigating how an ancient Greek statue came to be dumped in a black plastic bag near garbage cans in the northern city of Thessaloniki.
- v - Metro excavations have revealed significant findings about ancient Thessaloniki's urban layout, confirming the continuity of the Hippodamian grid system from the 3rd century BC to the present day
- vi – New Research Questions the Origins of the Macedonian Kingdom and Alexander's Dynasty: Was the True Founding in 575 B.C.?

Central Greece

- i – [Restoration Work Begins on Unique Ancient Theater of Calydon](#)
- ii – [Thermopylae Reimagined: A Memorial Fit for the 21st Century](#)

Peloponnese

- i - [Ancient DNA Shows Unexpected Italian Link in Mycenaean Livestock](#)
Among the pigs sampled, one carried a mitochondrial haplotype previously known only from western areas associated with Italy. Its appearance in Tiryns marks the first evidence of this lineage outside that region.
- ii – [A day in Nemea: Good wine and ancient monuments](#)
- iii – [Archaeologists May Have Finally Found Sparta's Lost Mycenaean Palace at Agios Vasileios](#)
- iv – [Descendants of Persians Visit Xerxes' Canal Site in Greece 2,500 Years Later](#)
- v – [Nine Rows of History: The Forgotten Mountain Theater of Leontium](#)

Crete and Islands

- i - [Archaeologists use lasers to locate ancient settlements and artifacts on Greek Islands](#)
- ii - [Santorini Volcano Museum Promises Earthquake Simulation Experience](#)
This feature, the first of its kind in the South Aegean, will offer visitors a realistic experience of seismic tremors, significantly aiding in the understanding of Santorini's geophysical nature.
- iii – [Archaeologists use lasers to locate ancient settlements and artifacts on Greek islands](#)
- iv – [Minoan Architects' Genius: Landslide Protection Found at Archanes Palace](#)
- v – [Rhodes. American Goes in H&M in Europe—Shock at 'Ancient' Relic Preserved Inside](#)
- vi – [DNA Analysis Sheds Light on Ancient Minoan Marriage Practices](#)
- vii – [A Strange Hole In The Skeleton Of An Ancient Greek Man Helps Researchers To Solve Murder Mystery](#)
At first they thought he had a rare birth defect. They then realized that they were dealing with a murder case.
- viii – [Healing Sanctuary and Sacred Secrets Found at Ancient Greek City of Tenea](#)