

2026 Greater New England UFO/Bigfoot Conference

Saturday, August 29, 2026, 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM

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SPEAKER LINEUP!



Keynote Speaker: ROBERT WHITEHEAD. Author and museum volunteer and educator, he has released *The Legend of Chankazipa: A Sasquatch Origin Story*, a compelling tale that blends storytelling, culture, and imagination. Beautifully illustrated by Li Viera, a multimedia artist from South Carolina, the book brings Chankazipa's story to life through vivid and engaging artwork. It will be available at the conference, all proceeds from the book are donated directly to the Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum, helping to sustain and grow its mission of honoring and sharing Native cultures. He dedicates this work to the many individuals who stand up for the social and civil rights of others, regardless of their origins. His talk will give the legend of Bigfoot and its interactions with the Native Americans deeper meaning and insight.



JIMMY "MR. HAUNTED" PETONITO In the late 80's. Jimmy started taking pictures and audio recordings in local cemeteries that were thought to be haunted. In 1991, Jimmy shared his research with the Warrens. He became a part of the NESPR team as a paranormal photographer. Jimmy also taught classes on the paranormal and ghost hunting for 10 years. Since then, he has earned the name, "Mr. Haunted." Jimmy has been investigating the unexplained for over 30 years, having investigated hundreds of homes and locations and has assisted in 49 exorcisms. Newest book: CRYPTID CHRONICLES: FROM CRAWLERS TO GIANTS



WILLY MIRANDA had his first Close Encounter when he was a child in Puerto Rico, and this opened his eyes up to the world of the paranormal. In 2015 he began hosting the Greater New England UFO/Bigfoot Conference and brought in World Renown speakers for many years including Travis Walton and Nick Redfern. In 2017 he hosted his own radio podcast called The Paradigm Matrix on KCOR Radio sharing his outreach to other speakers. Willy's family members have had sightings and encounters over the years which further reinforced his beliefs and experiences. Come listen to his exciting stories and see his latest photos



DAVE MCCULLOUGH is a founding member of the Research Group Squatchachusetts (you can join the group on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1479066879016769/>) and a fascinating speaker on the topic of Bigfoot. His presentation explores historical and current day sightings including audio and video files. Dave is from Lowell, Massachusetts. He was first aware of the UFO phenomenon at age seven and was inspired by the 1970's TV show *In Search Of...* starring Leonard Nimoy. He will have a wide display of Bigfoot hand and footprints.



MIKE STEVENS, Experiencer: On an early summer's evening in 1983, a four-year-old child was lured away from his home by the sighting of something strange in the sky. A fright ened curiosity overtook the child while he stared at a silver craft hovering over a telephone pole. Moments later, he was inside of it. What followed was a lifetime of truly bizarre encounters that traumatized a man to the brink of death. Granite Skies is the true story of Mike Stevens and how he navigated through the extraterrestrial terrors that forever scarred his mental health. He is a survivor of trauma that of his life altering experiences. He is a survivor of trauma that transcends the typical writings of the alien abduction narrative and reveals life after victimization. Come hear firsthand of his survival and triumph.