

Bulletin of the

Roseville Rock Rollers Gem & Mineral Society, Inc.

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#### From the President's Pen

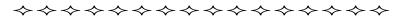
Well, I hope everyone had a very Merry Christmas and a magnificent New Year. This is where I should provide a year in review of just what happened with our society and around us from a geological perspective.

The Roseville Rock Rollers lapidary shop opens up and begins 2019 running strong and reports throughout the year, Monday and Wednesday evenings with large numbers of members learning how to, or improving skills of cabochon making. The society's annual Gem and Mineral Show was had without a hitch. Work parties complete tasks around the lapidary shop in the normal "Get 'er done!" fashion. Numerous field trips are had and many members find some wonderful treasures for their collections.

Geological events that are a wonder to be present for: Kilauea Volcano erupts on the Big Island of Hawaii; Ridgecrest earthquake in Southern California. These two major events come to mind due to their geological effect and close proximity.

Here's to another year of creating some wonderful memories together as a great bunch of Rock Hounds!

—Glenn Fiala



## Show Flyers

We have thousands of each size flyers (business card size and postcard size) and we need to get them distributed.

At the January, February and March meetings, take some of these flyers and distribute them to friends, family, co-workers, anyone you meet!

Point out that each flyer contains a coupon worth \$1 off on ALL admissions (everyone in the person's party at the admissions desk).





Our research tells us that more people come to our show through personal reference from a "friend" than from newspaper ads or any other source.

So YOU are the ones who will make our show well-attended!

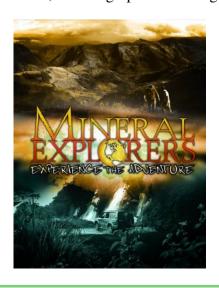
Thanks from the 2020 Show Committee

## Educational Program January 14, 2020

# A DVD of "Mineral Explorers" with Thomas Nagin

Mineral Explorers is an unscripted, reality series packed with adventure, travel, education and the world's finest gems, crystals and minerals.

Season 2, featuring Spain & Portugal



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## MINUTES FOR ROSEVILLE ROCK ROLLERS EDUCATIONAL MEETING DECEMBER 10, 2019

**Call to Order** at 6:35 p.m. by President Glenn Fiala. Flag Salute.

**Present:** Members 62+, Juniors 4 and Guests 4.

Introductions of Guests and New Members. Glen introduced past president Jon North and his wife, Julie.

**Invocation** – given by Jon North.

Recess for dinner.

**Reconvened for Business Meeting** 

**Business Meeting:** 

VHS Tapes - Karla Shannon reported she brought VHS tapes (related to jewelry) available for free.

Sunshine – no report.

Juniors - Carole Kowalik reported 5 Juniors were at the Rookies' meeting. Project was to make a holiday decoration which qualified for the rock art badge. Next month's program is to be decided.

Treasurer - Terry Yoschak reported the Society is solvent as of the end of the calendar year.

**Secretary/Membership** – Florence Brady reported she is accepting membership renewals along with applications.

Vice President – Jan Kessler reported she enjoyed being Vice President. Glenn asked the membership for a volunteer for Vice President, interested persons are to contact Glenn. We are looking for suggestions for presenters for our educational meetings' programs.

**CFMS Director** – Mike Hunerlach had nothing to report.

**Vest, Tee Shirts & Patches** – Jan has all sizes available.

**Field Trips** – Gene Doyle reported no field trips are scheduled. He summarized the field trips to Meadow Vista and to Indi-

Librarian/Historian - Karla Shannon reported she needs members to return checked out items.

**Show** – Show Chair Jim Hutchings reported our Jan. 21<sup>st</sup> Show Committee meeting will be done via e-mail. Over 30 vendors have signed up for our 2020 show. A new order of show flyers has been done, these will be available during the Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> Ed. Mtg. Jim explained the postcard mailing to be done to past show attendees. Volunteer signups will start in January.

**Lapidary Shop** – Chair Denise Coyne asked for volunteers to help with moving two 24 inch saws. Both will need the oil drained before moving. The Lapidary Shop will be closed for the weeks of Dec. 22 and 30. Will re-open on Jan. 6<sup>th</sup>. On Monday, Dec. 16th, the shop will be open with instructors from 10 - 9. She is collecting slabs, etc. for the Show's Raffle and Hourly Drawing prizes.

Lapidary Classes – Cathy Nelson reported in January there will be a 2 Sundays class on Wire Viking Knit.

Refreshments – need signups for the 2020 educational meet-

#### Old Business -

Old Storage Trailer - Glenn reported the trailer was almost totally emptied on Sunday. Jim reported on the various work parties. Sunday, loads were taken to the dump and to our new storage trailer, presently parked at Jim Hutchings's property. Collision insurance has been obtained for the new trailer. Volunteers were introduced who helped with this project over the past months. The pink slip for the old trailer will be gotten from the DMV.

Fossil Plates – Jim has more fossil plates to check out and clean and then send a photo to Sierra College to see if they are interested in that particular fossil. If not, the member gets to keep the fossil specimen.

New Business – Gem Faire – volunteers can start signing to work at the Gem Faire, held on Jan. 31, Feb. 1 & 2.

Program -

Officers for 2019 were thanked by Glenn Fiala and each was given a cab. There was a delay in receiving the CFMS silver bars. (Martha Nichols received a CFMS triangle for Director.)

Installation of Officers - Richard Kowaleski installed the Officers for 2020.

Gift Exchange – those participating exchanged gifts. **Adjournment** – meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

## MINUTES FOR ROSEVILLE ROCK ROLLERS BOARD MEETING DECEMBER 10, 2019

**Call to Order –** at 8:22 p.m. by President Glenn Fiala.

**Present** – 11 officers, a quorum was present.

**December Board Meeting –** will be December 17, 2019.

**Membership Applications –** a motion was made to approve the membership applications for Andreea Mottram and Bella Sorescu (Junior).

Old Storage Trailer – discussed the situation with the old storage trailer and the interest shown by the Paradise G & M Society in buying it. It was decided to charge them \$100 to purchase the storage trailer. Martha Nichols will go to the DMV and start the process of receiving a pink slip (title) so it can be sold. On-going discussion with the Paradise Society will be continued.

**Adjournment** – meeting was adjourned at 8:28 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Florence Brady, RRR Secretary

## MINUTES FOR ROSEVILLE ROCK ROLLERS

# **BOARD MEETING DECEMBER 17, 2019**

**Call to Order** by President Glenn Fiala at 7:05 p.m.

Roll Call – 9 officers present, a quorum. Absent: Mike & Rene' Hunerlach, Jan Kessler, Carole Lockhart, Martha

Minutes – a motion was MSA to approve the minutes for Board Mtg. Nov. 26, 2019 and Ed. & Bd. Mtgs. Dec. 10,

Treasurer – Terry Yoschak asked if we should pay the Jan. rent for the old show storage trailer. It was decided to go month by month and to pay the rent for January to the "Extra Space Storage" place.

Correspondence - Florence Brady reported she received show flyers for the show in Vallejo in February.

Secretary – Florence reported renewals are slowly coming in (159). Membership for 2019 was 268.

Vice President – out-going Vice President Jan Kessler was absent. Still have no volunteer for this office. Discussed our options for upcoming programs. It was decided for the Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> Ed. Mtg. the DVD Mineral Explorer by Thomas Nagin, 2<sup>nd</sup> Season - Spain and Portugal will be shown.

**Bulletin/Website** – Terry reported the deadline for the Jan. RRR bulletin will be Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup>. She is working on the website, updating information related to the changes made by @the Grounds.

Field Trips – Gene Doyle reported he has been working on

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field trips for the future. A list with locations and dates will be developed. The Fallon location might still be open in the spring.

**CFMS Federation Director** – no report, Mike Hunerlach was absent.

**Lapidary Classes** – Cathy Nelson will be working with Dan Bender to offer more classes in silversmithing. In January, on 2 Sundays (19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>) in a row, will be a class on Viking Chain Knit offered by Ronnie Goodlund. There were many favorable comments regarding having the Lapidary Shop open all day on Dec. 16<sup>th</sup>.

Show Chair – Jim Hutchings reported more vendors' contracts have been received. The Show Committee meeting for Jan. 21<sup>st</sup> will be done via e-mail. Meeting in February will be on the 18<sup>th</sup>. It is tentative that we will be able to use J/North Parking Lot for volunteers, exhibitors and demonstrators. Signed copies of the Show Contract have been received. Show flyers (both sizes) and US postcards for mailing have been received.

**Librarian/Historian** – Karla Shannon has ordered some library supplies, including new covers and plastic pocket envelopes. She reported the VHS tapes were offered and taken during the Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> Ed. Mtg.

**Lapidary Shop** – Glenn reported he is donating some supplies to use in the shop. For the next 2 wks. the shop will be closed due to the holidays.

**Directors** – Stan Bollinger, out-going Director reported he enjoyed serving and for the Board to continue to get things done.

**Juniors** – Carole Kowalik reported the program will be to study sedimentary rocks along with a fun project.

Old Business – a member from the Paradise G & M Society came down and looked at the old show storage trailer. The Society president will let us know if they are interested in taking it. If they do not want it, we can see if Sims Recycling/Metal Management will take it (after detailed photos are submitted), or it could be offered to club members with a bidding/starting price of \$200. (The 4 tires are new, purchased last January.) Jim reported the location for the new storage trailer's pink slip.

#### New Business -

Discussion regarding changing the Lapidary Shop Chair to a Board Officer. It was decided to keep the position as a Chair position, with the Chair appointed by the President. Will keep the 4 Director positions.

Camp Paradise Video – we have received from the CO-OP a video produced for use by the CO-OP to promote Camp Paradise. It was decided to save this video along with the one produced by RRR Member Daniel Grant and his son. They will be saved together and could be shown to the RRR Membership during a future educational meeting (perhaps the May Ed. Mtg.).

Gem Faire – the annual Roseville event will be held on Jan. 31<sup>st</sup>, Feb.1<sup>st</sup> and Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup>. Gene Doyle offered to work with Jim Barton to do setup and takedown. Kyle Corbett will be contacted to see if we could have our volunteers park in J/North Parking Lot. Jim Hutchings will bring to the Shop on Jan. 6<sup>th</sup> the needed items.

Next Board Meeting – Jan. 28, 2020.

**Adjournment** – meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Florence Brady, RRR Secretary

## To Current Unrenewed Members:

This will be your last issue of the bulletin if you do not renew your membership!

If you are renewing, please add the \$5 late fee to your check.

Welcome New Member
Andreea Mottram
And New Junior Member
Bella Sorescu

## Rookie Rock Roller News



The Rookies will meet in the lapidary shop at 5:30 p.m. on January 14th, 2020. We will have a study of sedimentary rocks. Then we will move on to an activity after the lesson.

Last month, we created rock art with slices of trees, rocks and decorations. After the fun, we joined the adults for the potluck and gift exchange. My oh my, was that ever a great feast. I hope everyone had fun.

I would love to award juniors badges for all they worked on during the year. Let's make an appointment to see if you have earned any. I am available by phone, text, or email. You may contact me any time of day or night since I turn off the sound when I sleep.

Hope to see you all at the meeting.

Carole Kowalik, Junior Advisor (916) 871-0573 home3004@gmail.com



## January Board Meeting

The meeting will be held Tuesday, January 28 at 7:00 PM in the club Lapidary Shop @the Grounds.



When you know of any member who is ill or has been hospitalized, please contact our Sunshine Chair, Heather Crane, at (818) 903-4433 or hmcrane?@gmail.com

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## Gem Faire Workers Needed



This is not our annual show, which is in March! We do need volunteers to "man" our table in order to distribute show flyers for <u>Our Show</u> in March.

The annual Gem Faire will be held @the Grounds, Roseville Fairgrounds, on January 31<sup>st</sup>, February 1<sup>st</sup> and February 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Three Shifts are as follows (2 volunteers per shift) Friday, Noon to 6 p.m., Saturday, 10 - 6 and Sunday, 10 - 5. The time is split up into 3 shifts.

We are given table space to distribute show flyers and information regarding our club. You get to tell the Faire attendees, "At our show, they can get rocks, minerals and jewelry (and oh, yes, beads!)" here at the Fairgrounds on March 28 and 29!

RRR volunteers are needed. We have shifts for 2 1/2 – 3 hours, each of the 3 days. Signups will be taken during the January 14<sup>th</sup> Educational Meeting or e-mail Florence Brady, <a href="mailto:fhbrady@jps.net">fhbrady@jps.net</a> for more information and to sign up for a shift. (The first and last shifts for Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup>, Sunday are filled.)

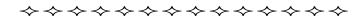
#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR OUR SHOW**

For the RRR 2020 Show, volunteers are needed to help with setup (Thursday afternoon and Friday morning) before the Show and on the weekend of March 28 and 29. A total of about 130 - 140 volunteers, many who work more than one shift will be needed. Friends and relatives can also volunteer.

Every volunteer receives one Workers' Raffle ticket for the drawing which will be held during the April 14<sup>th</sup> Ed. Mtg.

Clipboards will be on a table during our Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> Educational Meeting. Shifts are clearly labeled on charts for both events. Details for volunteers are on page 5 in this bulletin.

Show your support for our gem & mineral society and sign up to help, either at the Educational Meeting or via e-mail to Florence, fhbrady@jps.net



#### Save the Date!

Saturday February 22nd will be the date for Work Parties for the Silent Auction and the Kids' Junction. More details in the February bulletin.

## Tumbled Stones Needed

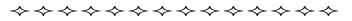
In the past, many members have donated polished/ tumbled rocks for the grab bags we use for Kids' Junc-



tion at our gem & mineral show in March. Last year, there was a wonderful show of generosity. We thank you so much for that help. We filled over 600 bags.

Karla Shannon buys some brightly colored polished rocks every year from Tucson but they are so expensive. We need more than she can buy. We accept donations all year long and now need to plan for the February 2020 show work party. We appreciate any type, any color, and any amount you are able to donate. **February 11, 2020 is the deadline** to make it for the March 2020 show grab bags. There will be containers at all the meetings from now on. Or, you can see me, Cathy Hutchings, or Karla Shannon so we can properly thank you.

Carole Kowalik, Juniors' Advisor, 916-871-0573



## Raffle Donations

Chris and Denise are requesting donations for the Show Raffle and Door Prizes. We are looking for your **rock art and jewelry**. Also, we are looking for **slabs**. Please ID your items, and add your name if you wish.

There will be a donation box on the Show & Tell table at the meetings. Any more questions contact Denise at dedoodads@gmail.com or Chris at kissicad@gmail.com.







## January Refreshments (we need more!)



Refreshments for the January 14 Educational meeting are to be provided by Darlene Becker, Connie & Wes Arendtsen, Kim Loe and Rob & Martha Nichols. Thank you all in advance!

We would appreciate if each family would sign up and bring a refreshment once in 2020.

The refreshment sign-up sheet is at the entrance, on the Greeter's table.

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Setup/Takedown

Admission

**Kids' Junction** 

Kitchen

# It's 2020 Show Time — We Need Helpers! DATES: March 27, 28, 29 (NO experience needed!)

Our show for 2020 needs volunteer workers to help with a short time setup Thurs. afternoon, March 26; our regular setup on Friday, March 27; members to help during the show hours on Saturday and Sunday; and also with the takedown procedure on Sunday. For our new members, don't hesitate to help, as you will be working with other club members who can provide any needed assistance to you. Remember, once it was all new to us, too!

See areas below where help is needed. We ask that you sign up for a complete shift. Each volunteer will receive one ticket (for the whole show) for the "Workers' Raffle". Sign in with the Chairperson for the area where you are working.

Signups will be taken at our Educational Meetings. Look for the **SHOW SIGNUPS** sign. OR contact Florence at (916) 961-6868, fhbrady@jps.net

**SETUP** – starts at 9 a.m. on Friday, March 27 and continues through the morning/afternoon. (A lunch is provided.) Assist with unloading items from storage trailer. Skirting is placed on vendors' tables and exhibit tables, exhibit cases are set up, and signs placed. During the afternoon, we help the exhibitors, vendors, and assist in kitchen if needed. A dinner is available for workers.

TAKEDOWN – starts promptly at 4 p.m. on Sunday, March 29. Assist exhibitors. Remove empty exhibit cases, remove skirting, take down exhibitor tables. Remove skirting from vendors' tables. Help pack all items into storage trailer. Help Silent Auction, Kids' Junction/Education Station, Kitchen, and Entrance Area clean up. Clean up buildings. Fairgrounds puts away tables and chairs.

## **DURING THE SHOW** - Hours Open: Sat. 10-5, Sun. 10-4

Each Show Day, two different shifts: 9:30 -1:30 and 1:00-5:00 (\*Kitchen and Kids' Junction/Education Station have different times/shifts.)

\*KITCHEN - help prepare the food or be a cashier and take orders and money. If you want to work 2 shifts, signup for first and last shifts.

Shifts are: 9:00 - 1:00, 10:30 - 2:30 and 1:00 - 5:00.

\*KIDS' JUNCTION/EDUCATION STATION Run the train, assist with selling items, the spinning wheel, making necklaces, selling grab bags, etc. If you want to work 2 shifts, signup for first and last shifts. Shifts are: 9:30 -12:30, 12:00 - 3:00 and 2:00 - 5:00.

**ADMISSION TABLES** - greet visitors, take admission money, assist with filling out forms for hourly drawings and for addresses for the postcards. Explain the show is in 4 buildings.

**SILENT AUCTION** - Explain different auctions. Help setup an auction. Collect money from winners and make direct sales. A lot of fun, you get to see what is offered for sale!

**SECURITY** - Walk around the assigned building, be observant of the guests. Cell phones will be used to keep in contact. Vests stating "Security" are worn.

**RAFFLE TABLE** - Sell Raffle Tickets! Explain grand prizes and hourly prizes. Assist Chairpersons.

## EXTRA PERSONS - TO BE ASSIGNED WHERE NEEDED

These members would fill in where needed during the shift they signed up for.

**DRIVEWAY/GREETER** - Stand in front of Garden Room door and direct visitors inside; make sure no one goes into the other part of the Show without going through the Garden Room first, to pay.

**PARKING LOT MONITOR** – more information later, but will probably need monitors at a parking lot to be used by our RRR volunteers.

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## Lapidary Classes

Lapidary Classes - Introduction to Shop Use & Cabochon making is \$10 per class for 5 classes or \$45 paid in full. Our Shop is staffed Monday & Wednesday nights 5 pm - 9 pm! Learn more about the Lapidary Arts & Cabochon Making. A DVD is available for viewing at the Shop for Cabochon Making.

Regular \$5 per day or \$20 monthly rates apply for lapidary shop use after Orientation/Introduction classes.

Large & Extra Large Saws: \$2 per slab for 18 inch saw & or 24 inch saw for cutting large & extra large rocks.

Crafty Days - Crafty Days is an open get together/play day for anybody wanting to work on their craft while yakking and snacking! We always have fun! Bring whatever you are working on and a snack to share. We meet 1st and 3rd Mondays each month. No class or class fee, \$5 for use of the Shop is the only fee. 10-2pm at the Lapidary Shop.

Crafty Days this month are on January 6 and 20.

## LAPIDARY SHOP NEWS

Happy New Year from all of us in the Lapidary Shop. We reopen on January 6th with operating hours: Mondays and Wednesdays 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm Hope to see you then.

Denise and Chris, Raffle chairs, are looking for donations of rock slabs for the very popular slab baskets at the raffle in the RRR show in March. You can bring them to the education meeting or drop them off at the Lapidary Shop. See the article on Page 4.

There will be a **Viking Knitting class** on Sunday, January 19 from noon to 4 PM at the RRR shop. Our own Ronnie Goodlund will be teaching the class.

The project will be a bracelet. For those needing or wanting additional time to work on their project the instructor will be staying late. There will also be additional time the following Sunday to work on custom made wire clasps and end caps.

A supplies list will be sent after registering for the class. The instructor will have a supply kit of copper wire for \$5.00 for those who need it.

The class fee will be \$25.00 plus a \$5.00 RRR shop fee.

Please register early.

Thanks, Cathy 925-321-2024



#### **Intarsia Classes (Offsite)**

Bill Simpson, whose intarsia work was displayed at our latest RRR Show, is offering intarsia classes at his shop in Meadow Vista. The classes are two 1/2 days, schedule to be determined.





Fee is \$80.00 which includes \$5.00 to the RRR as a shop fee. Please contact Bill Simpson 408-799-3243.

I have attached a picture of the wonderful intarsia that Bill Simpson does (green one) and a picture that I did (brown one) in his class.

— Cathy Nelson





When I see amber I instantly think of the movie Jurassic Park. If you have seen the movie, you've seen the techniques used in extracting amber that's been entombed for generations and finally unearthed for human eyes to see. Before and after the movie, many people took advantage by producing fakes. Since more precious amber is harder to come by these days, fakes have popped up all over the market. Humanity has a sneaky way to mimic so called "amber" and it takes a keen eye or nose to figure out if you have a true piece. There is art to figuring out the fakes. Here are some simple techniques that might save you money and heartache.

Research has shown me, if amber is vigorously rubbed against fur, it will produce static and an aroma of pine. Many plastics may replicate the static but the smell of pine is always a good hint that it is genuine. Heating a pin and touching the side should produce that pine resin smell too; if you smell burnt plastic then it is obviously a fake.

Another cool treatment is the water method. By mixing a large amount of salt with water in a bowl or bucket, your amber should float. If not, you may have another plastic fake. With all these useful techniques, it should be easier to spot a fake and find the true treasure.

Brian Miller, Editor, Oxnard Gem & Mineral Society via the Golden Frog 4/15

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## RRR Holiday Party December 10, 2019







Lots of food!!



Swearing in of the new RRR officers for 2020 at the December meeting. December 10, 2019.

All photos by Gloria Marie



## January Calendar

Birthstone: Garnet



Sun	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri	Sat
For more class information, contact Class Coordinator: Cathy Nelson (925) 321-2024 Email: canelson2@netscape.net			I Royal Park	2	3	4
5	6 Crafty Day 10-2 Lapidary Shop 5:00-9:00 pm	7	8 Lapidary Shop 5:00-9:00 pm	9	10	II
12	Lapidary Shop 5:00-9:00 pm	Meetings: Rookies 5:30 pm Club 7:00 pm	15	16	17	18
Viking Knitting Class Noon-4 pm	Crafty Day 10-2 Lapidary Shop 5:00-9:00 pm	21	22	23	24	25
26 Viking Knitting Class Noon-4 pm	27 Lapidary Shop 5:00-9:00 pm	28 Board Meeting 7:00 pm	29	30	31	

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## Upcoming Northern California Shows

#### January 18 – 19: EXETER, CA

Tule Gem & Mineral Society, Visalia

Exeter Veterans' Memorial Building, 324 N. Kaweah Ave.

Hours: Sat 10 - 5; Sun 10 - 4

Contact: Gayle Bingaman (559) 802-6029

Email: bandgbing@aol.com Website: www.tulegem.com

#### February 15 – 17: ANTIOCH, CA

Antioch Lapidary Club

Contra Costa County Fairgrounds, 1201 West 10th Street

Hours: 10 – 5 daily Contact: Brenda Miguel

Email: brenda.miguel@yahoo.com Website: www.antiochlapidaryclub.com

#### February 22 – 23: VALLEJO, CA

Vallejo Gem & Mineral Society

McCormack Hall, Solano County Fairgrounds

900 Fairgrounds Drive Hours: 10 – 5 daily

Contact: Debra Duhon, (415) 254-1506 Email: dduhonvgms@gmail.com Website: www.vjgems.org

#### March 6, 7 & 8: NEWARK, CA

Mineral & Gem Society of Castro Valley Newark Pavilion, 6430 Thornton Avenue Hours: Fri 10 – 4, Sat 10 – 6; Sun 10 – 5

Contact: Cathy, (510) 305-4196 Email: cdmiller59@gmail.com Website: www.mgscv.org

#### March 14 – 15: TURLOCK, CA

Mother Lode Mineral Society, Modesto

Stanislaus County Fairgrounds, 900 North Broadway

Hours: 10 - 5 daily

Contacts: Bud & Terry McMillin, (209) 524-3494 Email: bud.mcmillin.B7YJ@statefarm.com Website: www.motherlodemineralsociety.com

#### March 21 - 22: SAN JOSE, CA

Santa Clara Valley Gem & Mineral Society Santa Clara County Fairgrounds, 344 Tully Road

Hours: 10 – 5 daily Contact: (408) 265-1422 Email: info@scvgms.org Website: www.scvgms.org

#### March 29 - 29: ANGELS CAMP, CA

Calaveras Gem & Mineral Society

Calaveras County Fairgrounds, 101 Frogtown Road

Hours: Sat 10 - 5; Sun 10 - 4

Contact: Robin Williams, (209)-728-8277

Email: robinski@yahoo.com

Website: www.calaverasgemandmineral.org

#### March 28-29: ROSEVILLE, CA

Roseville Rock Rollers

@the Grounds, 700 Event Center Drive

Hours: Sat 10 - 5; Sun 10 - 4

Contact: James Hutchings, (916) 995-

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Email: jhutchings22@hotmail.com Website: www.rockrollers.com

#### April 4 – 5: CHICO, CA

Paradise Gem & Mineral Society

Silver Dollar Fairgrounds, 2357 Fair Street

Hours: Saarot 9 - 5; Sun 9 - 4

Contact: Trish Haggerty, (530) 966-5112

Email: hagboyz5@gmail.com Website: www.paradisegem.org



### Adults \$6.00 Children Under 12 Free

Return Admission On Sunday Free with Reciept or Hand Stamp

#### \$1.00 Off with this card--FREE PARKING

Wheel of Fortune, Geode Cutting, Grab Bags, Hourly Drawing, Demonstrators, Silent Auction

#### April 4 – 5: RENO, NV

Reno Gem & Mineral Society

Reno Convention Center, 4390 S. Virginia Street

Hours: Sat 10 - 5: Sun 10 - 4

Contact: Daniel Ellis, (775) 229-2442 Email: greybeard65@hotmail.com Website: www.renorockhounds.com

#### April 11 – 12: MARIPOSA, CA

Mariposa Gem & Mineral Club

Mariposa County Fairgrounds, 5007 Fairgrounds Road

Hours: Sat 10 - 5; Sun 10 - 4

Contact: Meredith Meehan, (559) 868-3535

Email: mgmc@sti.net

Web Site: http://mariposagemclub.org



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EDUCATIONAL MEETING EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

2<sup>ND</sup> TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH, 7:00 PM 4<sup>TH</sup> TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH, 7:00 PM

EDUCATIONAL MEETING LOCATION: @THE GROUNDS, JONES HALL, 700 EVENT CENTER DRIVE, ROSEVILLE, CA

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