

### From the President's Pen

Well, everyone, after receipt of this bulletin we are less than a week away from having our 60th Annual Gem and Mineral Show! I truly am excited that this is happening and looking forward to a wonderful weekend surrounded by folks that love everything rocks. So please make sure to tell all your friends and family to come out and enjoy a wonderful weekend at our show.

Along the lines of everything rocks, I found a wonderful website that covered all the different types of sand on this planet and beyond. Some very cool things to see: *https://geology.com/stories/13/sand/* 

Another popular item for the kids at our shows is the trilobite fossils, or any fossils for that matter. Here is a story that may lead many of you fossil hunters to seek out the localities to find your own trilobites: *https://www.smithsonianmag.com/travel/five-places-to-see-trilobites-in-the-united-states-180980209/* 

So stay cool everyone and see you all in a few days.

— Glenn Fiala

### **Vice President's Corner**

Happy Summer to ya, Rock Rollers! I hope you are staying cool and hydrated as we approach the dog days of summer, in the shade!

August brings our Ice Cream Social/Desert festival, to beat the heat and have a little fun chatting with our members and guests. Bring your favorite ice cream or another dessert to share... And . . .

We will host an informal Show & Tell throughout the evening, so plan to get involved by bringing something you've made, or have an interest in, to explain. Or bring your questions about a rock or process you are curious about, and let us find some answers for you. It doesn't need to be more than a few minutes, so take this opportunity and step up to the mic... this is your opportunity!

On Tuesday Sept. 13, we will have a renowned presentation on Jade by Mike Burkleo. Monterey Jade, and Jades of the world, have been his life's passion, passed down from his father. Mike founded The California School of Jade Carving, with J C Buller, to pass on the fine art and many techniques in carving and sculpting incredible works of art.

YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS IT!

- Vernon Deck



### Educational Program August 9, 2022

(In the Garden Room) SHOW AND TELL AND ICE CREAM !!

Please bring your best items for Show and Tell. Everyone will have a chance to get up and "Tell" for a few minutes.



And August is always our Annual Ice Cream Social.

Members: please bring your favorite ice cream, or other dessert item (pies, cakes, brownies, cookies), and/or toppings like sprinkles, syrup, fruit, whatever. Please pre-cut any pies or cakes. And don't forget your ice cream scoops!

Please bring your items around 6:30 so that we can have everything on the tables and ready to go by 7:00!

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**Roseville Rock Rollers** 

### MINUTES FOR ROSEVILLE ROCK ROLLERS EDUCATIONAL MEETING JULY 12, 2022

**Call to Order** at 6:30 p.m. by President Glenn Fiala. **Flag Salute.** 

Introductions of Guests.

**Present**: Members: 39+, Juniors 5 and Guests 2, **Recess** for potluck dinner.

**Business Meeting:** 

**Sunshine** - a sympathy card was sent to Alexis Prince.

- Juniors Les Holbrook had 7 Juniors who played Rock Bingo.
- **Treasurer** Terry Yoschak was absent, but reported all Show fees have been paid to the Fairgrounds. Show Security needs to be paid.
- **Secretary/Membership** Florence Brady reported 234 members.

**Programs** – Vice President, Vern Deck, explained the August 9<sup>th</sup> Educational Meeting will be an Ice Cream Social.

- During the meeting, members can do a show and tell presentation.
- **CFMS Director** Barbara Louden reported on Camp Paradise. Applications were available. Camp ZZYZX was explained.
- Vests, Tee Shirts & Patches Steve Todd was absent.
- **Field Trips** Gene Doyle reported on the field trip to the Bear River and the upcoming field trip to Indian Springs.
- Librarian/Historian Karla Shannon reported on the books and Rock and Gem magazines she has available for check out.
- **Show** Jim Hutchings updated the information on the show. He is working on a final tally of the number of vendors, number of tables which will be needed, etc. We will be able to sell snacks and drinks. Donations of store bought baked goods will be needed. As it is our 60<sup>th</sup> show anniversary, we are having a drawing each Show day for a .2 carat diamond. Volunteers can enter the drawing. Members were encouraged to take some Show flyers and to send out Show information to people in their e-mail directory.
- **Lapidary Shop** Holli Hinkle reported the Lapidary Shop will be closed Starting Aug 1st- Sunday Aug 7 reopening on Monday Aug 8th. The plumbing installation will start soon.
- Lapidary Classes Cathy Nelson was absent.

**Refreshments** – we need more signups for the upcoming meetings.

Old Business – none.

**New Business** – We are selling the meat, which was bought, for \$5.00 per bag.

General Announcements – none

**Drawings** – winners were: Member, Les Holbrook; Junior, Doris Zancai; and Guest, Jerry LaFave.

Silent Auction – Sherri Collins & Holli Hinkle reported SA will close at 7:50 p.m.

Adjournment – meeting was adjourned at 7:42 p.m.

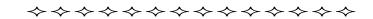
## MINUTES FOR ROSEVILLE ROCK ROLLERS BOARD MEETING JULY 12, 2022

**Call to Order** – by President Glenn Fiala at 8:05 p.m. **Present** – 7 officers, a quorum was present.

**Membership Applications** – a motion was MSA to approve the membership applications from: Chris & Carter (a Jr.) Johnson and Jacqueline Parker.

Adjournment – meeting was adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Florence Brady, RRR Secretary



## ROSEVILLE ROCK ROLLERS LAPIDARY SHOP OPEN HOUSE Sunday, August 14th, 9am - 12:00 pm

@ The Grounds/Placer County Fairgrounds Roseville 200 Corporation Yard Road, Parking Lot L Roseville, California 95678

Tour the shop, meet the instructors.

Find out about the other

Rock Roller activities, such as rock hunting trips and our junior meetings.

Enter to win a door prize, one each hour. (Must be in attendance to win.)

# Upcoming Northern California Shows

August 6-7: ROSEVILLE, CA Roseville Rock Rollers @the Grounds Hours: Sat 10 - 5; Sun 10 - 4 Contact: James Hutchings, (916) 995-7380 Email: jhutchings22@hotmail.com Website: www.rockrollers.com





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 hmcrane7@gmail.com

## Volunteering at RRR Show

It is not too late to sign up to volunteer to help during our show days. But the deadline to sign up to help is Tuesday, August 2nd.

Contact Florence Brady if you can help on any of the 4 days – August 4 – August 7.

Remember, Saturday & Sunday free parking pass for Lot J, free admission and you can enter for one of the diamond drawings.

Contact information: Florence Brady, fhbrady@comcast.net



On each Show day, Saturday & Sunday, at 2 p.m. will be a drawing from the Hourly Prize entries. It was decided that **each Show Volunteer will receive an entry for these drawings.** Your entry will be added to the Hourly Drawings Drum.

Please fill in the required information, including which day's drawing you choose to place your entry. Place your entry into the proper day's box. Entries will be in the Admissions area, starting Thursday morning. It will be your responsibility as a Volunteer, to fill out one (1) entry only. Florence or Kim will be placing the entries into the proper day's drawing drum.

**BE SURE TO WEAR YOUR NAME BADGE** 

#### **3E SURE TO WEAR YOUR NAME BADGE** WHEN WORKING AT THE SHOW !!

### **OR ATTENDING THE SHOW!**



# Co-Op & Other Field Trips

Oct. 22-23	Hawthorne & Mina, NV areas for Microcline Feldspar, Copper minerals, Black Quartz Crys- tals, Epidote, Grandradite and Grossular Garnet. Fossils, and possible petrified wood. Roseville Rock Rollers, Contacts Jim Hutchings & Gene Doyle.
Nov. 11-12	Black Butte Reservoir for jaspers of multiple color, sometimes poppy or orbicular jasper. Mother Lode Mineral Soc. Contact Kevin Kirschman: kkirschman@prodigy.net or 209- 769-1502 cell/text



## **Rookie Rock Roller News**



The Rookies will meet in the Garden Room on Tuesday, August 9. We will play different kinds of pebble games. Remember, starting in September the meeting will be in the Lapidary Shop

from 5:30 to 6:45. The Rookie program is designed for children 8-17 years of age. I am finding that children younger than that need extra support to do the activities. They need help following directions and completing the activities. I don't want to turn younger children away if they are interested in the program, so I am asking that parents stay with children under eight to assist them one on one.

Over the next year the Rookies will be working on two badges from the Future Rockhounds of America Badge Program. The first is Earth Processes and second is Collecting. In September I will be asking each of the Rookies who are interested in earning the collecting badge to report on their collection as a final requirement for the badge. I will make sure that there is enough repetition and review that it will not be necessary to attend all the meetings to earn the badges. The Rookies are also able to work on these or other badges on their own. Just let me know when they finish a badge, and I will go over it with them.

The club show in August is a perfect opportunity for the Rookies to earn some of the requirements for the Showmanship and Leadership badges. Rookies who volunteer to work at the show or choose to display their collection can complete two or more of the required activities:

Showmanship Activities 6.1, 6.3 and 6.4.

Leadership Activity 9.6

All of the information to complete these activities is in the Future Rockhounds of America Badge Program at www.amfed.org (on the homepage click on Kids Corner, then click on Merit Badge Program, and finally click on AFMS Badge Manual. Parents, please let me know if your child wants to do a display of their collection for the show.

See you in August, Patty Holbrook, Junior Advisor 916 834-3915 and pattyholbrook@hotmail.com

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# Federation Director's Report

### **CFMS Earth Science Studies**

CAMP PARADISE CLIPPER MILLS (not city of Paradise) 1st Week: August 21-27 \$425. 2nd Week: August 28-September 3......\$425.

There are still openings for both weeks, also spaces for RVs and Travel trailers. The line up of instructors this year is the best I've seen in years.

Note received from Tony Fender, ESS Chairman:

We have just confirmed that Bob Rush will be teaching a class at Camp Paradise this year in advanced lapidary. Most of us have seen his work at Federation shows, and the articles in Rock and Gem Magazine authored by him. His classes include carving decorative patterns from the back, making cabs with inside curves and making the custom tools necessary for these skills.

Classes at Camp Paradise will include basic and advanced silversmithing, beginning lapidary, advanced lapidary, beading, chain making, wire wrap, beginning faceting, Ming tree magnets, enameling, lost wax casting, precious metal clay, dichroic glass, soft stone carving and relief carving. There will be demonstrations of specific jewelry techniques including silver bead forming, fold forming and etching.

All classes will be taught both weeks.

For application forms:

CFMSinc.org scroll down to camp paradise, then Registration 2022.

I will have forms with me at our RRR show and August Educational Meeting.

As soon as the applications are received by Heidi, a list of suggested supplies will be sent. For questions call: Barbara Louden, CFMS Director for RRR 530-305-2825 Please leave a message, I'll return your call.

- Barbara Loudon, Federation Director



Saturday 10 am - 5 pm, Sunday 10 am - 4 pm Admission: \$8.00 General Admission \$7.00 Seniors (60+) 12 and under FREE with paid adult

# SAVE THE DATE!!

### 10th Annual Mariposa Rockin Tailgate Rock Swap!!!

Saturday, October 8th from 10am - 5pm

Mariposa County Fairgrounds parking lot

Vendors - \$10 no reservation needed

Buy, Sell and Swap; rocks, gems, minerals, rough, fossils, lapidary supplies, beads, jewelry, tools, equipment

Bring your stuff to sell or swap.....or just come to shop!

This is an informal tailgate - BYO tables/chairs/shade/etc

Questions? Mariposa Gem & Mineral Club: mgmc@sti.net





### It's 2022 Show Time - We Need Helpers!

### DATES: August 4, 5, 6, & 7, 2022

#### (NO Experience Needed!)

Our show for 2022 needs volunteer workers to help with a setup Thurs. morning, August 4th; our regular setup on Friday, August 5th; AND 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 below.** Check in with the Chairperson for the area where you are working. Signups will be taken at our Educational Meetings. Contact Florence at fhbrady@comcast.net

**SETUP** – starts at 9 a.m. on Thursday and 9 a.m. on Friday, and continues through the morning/afternoon. Assist with unloading items from storage trailer. Skirting is placed where needed, exhibit cases are set up, & signs placed. During Friday afternoon, we help the exhibitors, vendors, and assist in kitchen if needed. A dinner is available for workers. <u>TAKEDOWN</u> – starts promptly at 4 p.m. on Sun- day, August 7th . Assist exhibitors. Remove empty exhibit cases, remove skirting, take down exhibitor tables. Remove skirting from other tables. Help pack all items into storage trailer. Help Silent Auction, Kids' Junction/ Education Station, Snack Area and Entrance Area clean up. Clean up buildings/vacuum.

### **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 (\*Kids' Junction/Education Station has different times/shifts.)

**<u>SNACK AREA</u>** -help with snacks or be a cashier and take orders and money.

**\*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.

<u>ADMISSION TABLES</u>-greet visitors, take ad-mission money, assist with filling out forms for hourly drawings and for addresses for the postcards. Explain the show is in lobbies and main building.

<u>SILENT AUCTION</u> - 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! <u>SECURITY</u>-Walk around the assigned building, be observant of the guests. Cell phones will be used to keep in contact. Vests stating "Security" are worn.

**<u>RAFFLE TABLE</u>** - 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.

<u>SIDEWALK/GREETER</u>-Stand outside, near the steps and direct visitors inside .

<u>**PARKING LOT MONITOR**</u> – more information later, but will need RRR monitor at the parking lot to be used by our RRR volunteers.

# Thank You for These Library Donations

The Roseville Rock Rollers Library has received many wonderful donations of books, Rock and Gem and other magazines, pamphlets, and DVDs over the last several months.

The donors include, but are not limited to, Eugene Zaharris, Florence and Hugh Brady, Barbara Louden, Frank and Meg Zbierski, Lillian Kirtley, Kelley and Colleen Ballard, Patricia Barber and other members and non-members.

Thank you so much! Your generosity helps to make our club outstanding!

— Karla Shannon, Librarian



If you have library books you have not returned in a while, please return them!

# Lapidary Shop News

**Lapidary Shop**: We are still open for the cabochon classes, open sessions and Mineral ID. This will be by appointment only, there will be no drop-ins at this time. Classes will be a limited to 6 students/ people at a time due to COVID mandates.

Students must call the instructor for the day that they wish to attend for an appointment.

Everyone must wear a mask covering the mouth and nose while in the shop. Also, everyone must wash their hands or use a hand sanitizer before signing in.

The schedule is:

Mondays: 5PM to 9PM. Instructor is Vernon Deck. Please call him to set up an appointment. (805) 598-3206 Wednesdays: 11AM to 3PM. Instructor is Holli Hinkle. Please call her to set up an appointment. (916) 579-8011 Wednesdays: 5PM to 9PM Instructor is Fran Todd. Please call her to set up an appointment. (310) 987-0642 Mineral ID: with Jim Hutchings. Please call him for an appointment. (916) 995-7380

**Thursdays: OPEN SESSIONS**: Thursdays: 5PM to 9PM. Monitor is Holli Hinkle. Please call her to set up an appointment. (916) 579-8011

This open shop time is for those who have completed RRR's introductory cabochon class. Starting in July the open shop will be every Thursday. The usual \$5.00 shop fee will apply. — Please contact Cathy for any questions. 925-321-2024.

\*\*\*The Monday and Wednesday classes are still being limited to 6 students. *Denise Coyne, Shop Chairperson 714-393-0006* 

Please note that the shop will be closed during the week of August 1 through 7, for cleanup in preparation for the Shop OPEN HOUSE on August 14.

August Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	I SHOP CLOSED	2	3	4 Pre-Show Setup 5:00 pm	5 SHOW SET-UP 9:00 am	6 SHOW 10-5
7 SHOW 10-4	8 Lapidary Shop 5:00-9:00 pm	9 Meetings: Rookies 5:30 pm Club 7:00 pm	10 Lapidary Shop 11:00 am-3 pm 5:00-9:00 pm	 *** Lapidary Shop 5:00-9:00 pm	12	13
14 Lapidary Shop OPEN HOUSE 9 am—Noon	15 Lapidary Shop 5:00-9:00 pm	I6 Show Meeting 7:00 pm	17 Lapidary Shop 11:00 am-3 pm 5:00-9:00 pm	18 *** Lapidary Shop 5:00-9:00 pm	19	20
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28	29 Lapidary Shop 5:00-9:00 pm	30	31 Lapidary Shop 11:00 am-3 pm 5:00-9:00 pm	For questions *** about classes, contact : Cathy Nelson (925) 321-2024 Email: canelson2@netscape.net		



Birthstone: Peridot

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August 2022 Diamond Jubilee SHOW August 6-7





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EDUCATIONAL MEETING $2^{ND}$  TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH, 7:00 PMEXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING $4^{TH}$  TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH, 7:00 PM

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

Changes and exceptions will be published in the bulletin. GUESTS AND VISITORS ALWAYS WELCOME