

HASTINGS ROCKHOUNDS

Vancouver Rock and Gem Show at the PNE Forum March 11-13, 2016

Members displaying their work at the Vancouver Rock and Gem Show:



Grab Bag Work Party May 18, 2016

Fun times and loads of shiny distractions for the team sorting out buckets of rocks for the Kids' grab bags and silent auctions for the show in June.



Attendees Included: Paul, Vivian, Marilyn, Vera, Alison, Brian, Shane, Rose, Bich, Adam K, Donna, Elaine, Dave G, Pandora, Joyce W, Ivy and Tit Bo, Rebecca, Peter, Nickell, Manda

Rendezvous - Hope May 20-23, 2016

Rainy Hope couldn't keep these Rockhounds from Rendezvous this year!



The Gang in front of the Hope Curling Club (Venue for Rendezvous 2016).



(clockwise) Adam K. smashing some Serpentine; Manda, Wendy and Donna having a good time; Debbie wins a prize at the silent action!

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(left) Nick and former member enter the bucket draw (below) Bonnie and her twin sister Lindea from the Kelowna club (or is it Lindea and Bonnie?) down by the river

When we are together it is easy to tell the difference, isn't it!



Classifieds, Reminders and Shout-outs!

- ✓ Club Show: June 25th & 26th (24th for set up)
- ✓ Grab-Bag Work Party (Bag Stuffing): June 2nd, 7:00-9:00PM
- ✓ Next Meeting: Thursday, June 23rd

Upcoming BCLS Field Trips

(for more details visit: <http://www.bclapidary.com/trips>)

ALWAYS CONTACT THE TRIP LEADER THE DAY BEFORE TO ENSURE THE TRIP IS GOING, AND THAT THERE HAVE BEEN NO OTHER CHANGES.

- Slesse Creek Crinoid Fossils
May 29, 2016, Sunday - 9:00 a.m.
Near Chilliwack
Collect Crinoid fossils in host rock.
Creek contains boulders - high rubber boots for walking the creek & collecting samples.
Tools: carrying container for your specimens, rock cracking hammer.
Bring a lunch, snacks, water.
The road in is paved with some gravel; roadworthy for all vehicles.
Meeting Place: "On The Way Store" at 46484 Chilliwack Lake Road, Chilliwack BC
Wagonmaster: Bob Morgan - outrockhounding@yahoo.ca

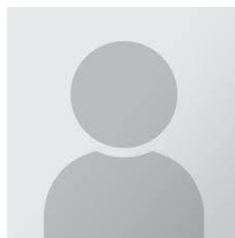
- Clam & Belemnite Fossils
June 5, 2016, Sunday - 9:00 a.m.
20+ km west side Harrison Lake
A scenic trip to collect clam fossils, which are plentiful.
Tools: hammer, chisels to break open larger rocks, carrying container for specimens.
Gravel, logging roads, easily passable by any vehicle with some clearance.
Bring a lunch, snacks, water.
Meeting Place: Sasquatch Inn parking lot 46001 Lougheed Hwy, Harrison Mills, BC. The Inn is at the turnoff for the Hemlock Valley ski area.
Wagonmaster: Trevor Christie - bcrockhunter@yahoo.ca or phone: 604-794-3668

Club Member Exposé

This Could Be YOU!

Member Name Member Since: MMM-YYYY

I'll be choosing random members at each month's meeting ask them some light hearted questions. Maybe we'll learn some surprising things about our fellow members ... and maybe some less interesting things also!



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Caption The Photo!!!

Send your funny captions for these photos to naktarian@gmail.com, and if it's funny enough, I'll put it in the next news letter!



Adam K. at
Rendezvous



Alyson at
Vancouver Rock
and Gem Show

Credits

Photo Credits to Vera, Bonnie & Holly from the Kelowna club and Nickell!

Send me your photos and stories to be in the next news letter!



Summers heating up!
Remember to take
sunscreen and plenty
of water on your rock
hunting excursions!