



# Beehive Buzzer

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## NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Hi Everyone,

What a month the club has had! The trip to New Mexico was a rewarding one. Going to many sites we all found beautiful pieces of petrified wood, carnelian and agate. Look for the pictures later in the Buzzer. They are great! Then we enjoyed seeing a lot of your favorite finds for the year at the club meeting. Lynn Campbell did a fantastic program about rock identification which we all enjoyed. Keep an eye out for an email of her PowerPoint presentation we are sending to all of you.

With the Holidays coming up and I hope all of you have fun plans you are making.

Be Blessed,  
Debbie

## LAST MONTHS MEETING

### **November Elections were held in October**

due conflict of time and inviting the public to our Christmas Market at the November meeting! A vote was taken at the October meeting and all present agreed to vote on the officers that night. Thank you for your service, Debbie, Mary, Tom and Alan! We appreciate you. 😊

**President - Debbie Larsen**  
**Vice President - Mary Dean**  
**Secretary – Alan Dean**  
**Treasurer – Tom Larsen**



# SHARING OUR BEST ROCK FINDS of the year!



Linda Campbell gave a great presentation about Rock Identification.

We all learned so much!



## **THIS MONTH'S MEETING - TIME CHANGE!**

**4:30pm - 5:20pm setup your table for the Christmas Market**

**5:15pm People in club who aren't selling PLEASE don't arrive till then.**

**5:20pm – 5:30pm Club Announcements**

**5:30pm – 8:30pm Christmas Market time**

**8:30pm – 9pm Clean up**

### **MEMBERSHIP DUES for 2025 are DUE NOW!**

*Single Membership - \$15.00*

*Couple/ Family Membership - \$20.00*

*Junior Membership - \$5.00*

*(Junior members less than 16 years of age must be supervised by an adult relative or designated Club Member)*

### **November 26th – Christmas Market**

*Have you been making an overabundance of cabochons, slabs, craft items, jewelry, etc. with your rocks you have found or bought? Now is your time to*

**SHOW, TELL AND SELL them!**

*Bring them to the meeting and SHOW what you have been working on, TELL about what you have there and then be able to*

**SELL your items to the CLUB MEMBERS and the PUBLIC! Yes, that is right!**

*The Senior Center is letting us open it up to the PUBLIC. Everyone will be given one table to use. No Rocks that aren't worked (Slabs are ok).*

*If you would like to **reserve a table**, choose a 4x4 or 4x8, then leave your name, number and what you will be selling*

**with Georgina Du Four by texting 801-712-9639**

***TimeTable:** 4:30pm- 5:20pm setup. 5:20pm-5:30pm Club Announcements, 5:30pm-8:30pm Christmas Market, 8:30pm-9pm Clean up. Please do not pack up your items you are selling till 8:30pm Thank you!*

**Club Members that are Not Selling anything please do not arrive til 5:15pm**

**Thank you!**

**Hey club members! What a great time to shop for UNIQUE CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!!**

# ***ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER PARTY***

## ***DECEMBER 10<sup>TH</sup>***

We had such a fun time last year we decided to make it an annual event!

We will be having it at a delicious Mexican restaurant called “**The Spanglish**” in Layton. It’s at 2146 N Main St.

½ a block north of Antelope Dr in the shopping center behind Mc Donalds. **Each member will just pay \$10 and the club will pay the rest for each meal.** There will be a Secret Santa Gift exchange. So, each person brings a gift of \$10 (not a gag gift) if you would like to participate! It was so much fun last year!

**Contact: Tom Larsen (text 801-390-8270) that you will be coming. \$10 for dinner due by November 26th at the meeting.**

**Merry Christmas!!**



### **October Field trip to Farmington, New Mexico**

We had a great time in Farmington with the San Juan County Gem & Mineral Society. Joe Bishop took us rock hounding to areas where we found all types of petrified wood (cypress, alluvial, mustard and palm) agate, carnelian, pudding stone and florescent rocks. He was a wealth of information teaching us about the area and what we were finding. Then he took us to his house and showed us his lapidary workshop and rock storage shed. In his house were beautiful displays of jewelry, cabs, petrified wood pieces he had finished and the Awards he had won for his amazing work. Saturday, we had a delicious potluck with great company. The last day we went to a place that had a ton of petrified wood down in a canyon. We all got some great pieces, but it was a grueling hike back to the trucks w the weight of our buckets and backpacks. Gotta say though, “It was a wonderful trip!” We will have to plan it again! Thanks, Darrell & Darlene!











# Need to Contact Us?

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