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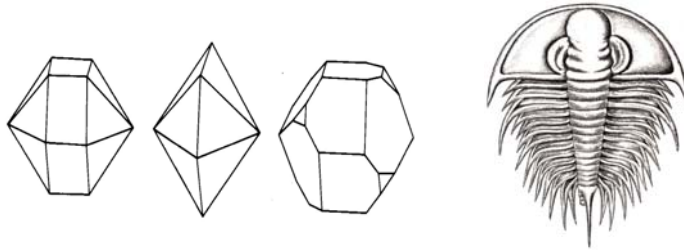
**NEXT REGULAR MEETING**

Date: March 10, 2014

Time: 7:00 pm

Place: Orientation Centre, Peterborough Zoo

If you placed road signs, please return them at this meeting.

**22nd ANNUAL PETERBOROUGH
GEM, MINERAL AND FOSSIL SHOW**

Date: Saturday, February 28, 2015;

Sunday, March 1, 2015

Time: 10:00 am to 5:00 pm each day.

Place: Evinrude Centre, 911 Monaghan Road,
Peterborough, ON

Admission: \$3.00 per person, children under 12 years free.

Admission free to each member with a 2015 membership card shown at admissions table.

If you have any questions about the Show, contact Bob Beckett at 705-740-4530.

For work parties, the Centre will be open Friday, February 27 from Noon until 8:00 pm.

1. If you wish to put in a display (or even one specimen for display) at the Show contact George Thompson at 613-827-0368 or truenorthminer@aol.com and let him know your intentions. George will assign a case or space in a case for you. Lots of members have really great specimens we never get to see, so please, let's get a look at them, bring them out to the show.
2. You may enter one item in each of the Competitions for Best Collected Fossil and Best Collected Mineral for 2014. Please give the item or items to Ulrike Kullik before 10:00 am, Saturday. Included with item(s) must be a paper furnishing a name for the mineral and the genus and species for the fossil, as well as the site where found and the collection date or year (2014). Labels for the Show Case will be provided.

Please include your name and address, phone number and email address so Ulli will know to whom to return the items on Sunday. Collect item(s) at the end of the Show, 5:00 pm Sunday. If you cannot be there on Sunday, let Ulli know so you can make arrangements to retrieve the item(s).

Ulli may be contacted at:

Ulrike Kullik, email: ulrike.kullik@gmail.com, phone: 705-768-3787

Let's try and fill the display case.

3. Volunteers are needed for sand box duty. Contact: Tom Jenkins, email: tomjenkins@sympatico.ca, or phone: 705-745-1189.

This is a fun activity. The main duty is to make sure there are always fossils or minerals in the box for kids to find and to keep control of claim jumping.

If you have any minerals and/or fossils you have been collecting that you do not wish to keep, but that would be good for the sand box (larger samples) and silent auctions (smaller samples), just label them and contact Tom Jenkins, or bring them to the Show.

Tom would appreciate clean, clear or opaque milk bags in which to place samples. You may bring them to the Show.



COMING EVENTS

Courtesy CCFMS Website

- Mar 13-15 **The Gem Expo**
Hyatt Regency on King, 370 King Street West, Toronto, ON M5V 1J9
Admission: \$5.00, or \$10.00 for all 3 days, Kids 12 & under free.
Canada's premier show for beads, beading supplies and tools, gems & gemstones, copper and sterling silver findings, jewellery, minerals, amber, pearls, glass and lampwork artisans. The show features handmade jewellery from talented artisans and features a large variety of precious and semi-precious stones. Whether you're looking for strands to

make your own jewellery, beautifully faceted stones for setting or wire wrapping, or finished pieces with exquisite gems, exquisite mineral samples or interested in the healing properties of minerals, The Gem Expo has it all. The show also supports a local charity through a silent auction at each show.

Website: www.thegemexpo.com/

- Apr 11-12** **The Brantford Lapidary and Mineral Society presents the 43rd Annual Gem and Mineral Show.**
Paris Fairgrounds, 139 Silver Street, Paris, Ontario, N3L 1V5.
Admission: Adult - \$5.00, 12 years & younger - Free.
Dealers, Demonstrations, Exhibits, Mine for Gems Display, Silent Auction Saturday & Sunday.
Website: www.brantfordlapidarymineral.ca/gemandmineralshow.htm
- Apr 17-19** **30th Salon des Pierres, Mineraux et Fossiles de Montreal**
Center Pierre-Charbonneau 3000 Viau St. (Viau Metro), Montreal, Quebec.
Admission: \$8.00, children 6-12, \$4.00
Contact: 514-353-0101
Website: www.salonminerauxmtl.com