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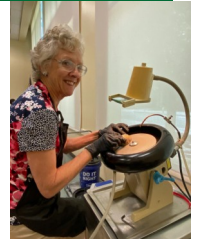
# The Rock Slab News

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**The Searchers next meeting:**  
May 13th 2025 6:30p.m. Doors open at 6:00 p.m.



## The President's Message

**Hello Searchers,**

The Searchers Club was represented at the Cal State Fullerton Natural Sciences and Mathematics Awards on April 30. The club scholarship went to Leon Kindig. Nancy Bird presented the California Federation of Mineralogical Societies scholarship to Abby Melgar. Both students received their scholarships for their work in Petrology. Along with 6 other Cal State Geology club students, Leon attended the Searchers' Show on Sunday, making polished stone rings at the Kidz Zone.

**Other events coming up:**

**General Meeting, Tuesday May 13, 2025 at the Anaheim Downtown Community Center. Doors open 6:00 p.m., business meeting 6:30 p.m., speaker after the business finishes. Speaker will be by zoom on the overhead screen. I hope to see the new members there: Marcia Kerr, Katie Reynolds, Derek Casebold, and Mike Yamada – welcome!**

Saturday May 17<sup>th</sup> Pearson Park Children's Festival (4 hours) – volunteers needed.

On Saturday, May 31, 2025 our club is promoting a turquoise presentation at the Florence Sylvester Senior Center in Laguna Hills. Steve Borden, John Klima and Sue Gevedon have volunteered to staff our Searchers Table.

**The 2025 Searchers Annual Gem and Mineral Show** was rainy on Saturday morning, but it didn't dampen the attendance. 803 vendors and guests came through the doors. On Sunday, 536 vendors and guests. Searchers who gave out free door prize tickets also asked if guests were from Anaheim – Saturday had 345 and Sunday had 366 Anaheim locals. In general, people spent more money than last year, which was a surprise given the upsets to the economy.

For next year, the club will have a discussion about how to put on the Show. Many of us are too old to do the physical work that is needed over the 5 days of set up and take down. The City of Anaheim is not going to grant us the rental fee for the community center, which changes the financial picture. Something new will come from all the club's experience, I am looking forward to what that will be.

Robin Larzelere, President



## Searchers Club Meetings

Board Meeting- **May 6th at 6:30 P.M.**

Member Meeting- **May 13th at 7 PM**

### Searchers General Meeting March 11 2025

**Call to Order:** The meeting began at 6:30 PM by Robin Larzelere

**Fossil Show and Tell:** This month's meeting includes a members' fossil show and tell. See the tables at the back of the room.

**Wire Wrapping Class:** On Saturday, March 29, Regina and Daniel Tula will hold a class on basic wire wrapping at the workshop.

**Grab bag stuffing party:** Will be held at Karen Kramer's house on March 15.

**2025 Show:** Volunteer signup sheets are at this meeting and in the workshop. We need prizes for kids and adults, and donations for the Silent Auction (rough and slabs are popular). Our show will be held the last weekend in April. Most of the kids activities have been moved outside, and cost \$1 each. You can help now by taking some of the show flyers/postcards and distributing them.

**By-laws:** We now have the 3 required members for the review committee: Bill Hogarth, Caleb Guyer, and Jamie Cassidy-Curtis, so the review will begin soon. One issue we need to review is whether junior members should pay membership fees.

**Events:** Several events, including our show and Pearson Park, that need volunteers are coming up soon.

**Field Trips:** The Burro Creek field trip was last weekend, on March 7 – 9. The April field trip will be to the American Girl mine on April 11 – 13. Kyanite can be found, also sodalite, wood palm root, chrysocolla, copper minerals, and limonite cubes.

**CFMS:** This year, the annual CFMS show is in conjunction with the Antelope Valley Club's show in Lancaster on May 10 & 11. The spring CFMS meeting will be held at the show. Nancy recommends attending a CFMS show; it typically has a lot of cases to see, including juniors' cases. You can check the CFMS website for information about a lot of shows each year.

This year Nancy got to choose a school to receive a \$2000 CFMS Scholarship. She chose CSUF, who decided to present \$1000 each to a male and a female student.

**Meeting adjourned:** The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 PM.

**Presentation:** Mary Pat Webber, *Non-Competitive Display Cases*

### Lost and Found at the Show

**One grey, cushioned folding chair**

**Two black adjustable work light with table clamps**

**One black canvas bag left by the main hall door half full of rough**

## Searcher Presenters and News

### May Speaker: Dr Sarah Milkovich

#### TOPIC: Water and Fire: Perseverance Rover's discoveries in Jezero Crater, Mars



For decades, NASA has been exploring Mars with a fleet of spacecraft to understand the role of water in its history and look for areas that in the past could have supported life. This work has paved the way for the Perseverance Rover, which landed on Mars in February 2021 and has been studying the geology of Jezero Crater ever since. It has discovered a fascinating array of rocks that tell a story of ancient volcanic flows and lake waters – and collected the first set of rock samples intended for eventual return to Earth.

#### BIO:

Dr. Sarah Milkovich has spent decades exploring the solar system with a variety of spacecraft, including *Mars Phoenix Lander*, *Mars Reconnaissance Orbiter*, *Mars Curiosity Rover*, the *Mars 2020 Perseverance Rover*, and the *Cassini* spacecraft at Saturn. As a science systems engineer with NASA's Jet Propulsion Laboratory, she specialized in bringing together international teams of scientists and engineers to collect the best possible science within spacecraft engineering restraints. She holds a B.S. in planetary science from Caltech, and a M.S. and Ph.D. from Brown University in planetary geology with studies of ice on Mars, and volcanoes on Mercury. Sarah is a frequent public speaker at astronomy clubs and fan conventions.



## Camp Paradise

For Camp Paradise, we will have registration online and students will be able to pay electronically too. Registration opens **March 15, 2025**. The camp dates are **August 17-23 2025 and August 24- 30, 2025**. **The fee for Camp Paradise will be \$550 per person**, per week; still an amazing bargain. The second change is scheduling. We break down camp on Friday afternoon of the second week. Our students were losing ½ day of classroom time. To compensate, the schedule will include one evening of class the second week only. (reprinted from the CFMS Newsletter December 2024)

## Saw Oil Available

The club supplies saw oil at a good price. It is located at Jim Peterson's home. Bring your own 5 gallon container. The cost is \$65 for 5 gallons to members. \$75 for non-members. Jim Peterson 714 904-8573  
Call 714 904-8573 and make a check payable to "Searchers"

**Slab donations for the General Meeting Raffle are needed. Please bring them in  
To the next meeting.**

## Upcoming Searchers Field Trips

### May 17,18 2025 Kokoweef Caverns, Chrystal Caverns and Dinosaur Tracks, Zinc Mine

Searchers will again visit the Kokoweef Caverns and surrounding area for Cave Onyx. Bailey road exit/Zinc mine road 4 miles down to our camp site, Searcher signs will be out! The elevation there is 4500', so it's a little cooler than the lower desert.

Come join us and dig in the mine dumps for cutable specimens for your lapidary fun !!

There is a story of 'a lost river of gold' below the area, which is intriguing and if Bob puts his miner cap on, we might have to send out a search party to find him. You know how that gold fever is :))

Presently, Steve and his associates are now down 22stories, actively searching for an opening to the underground river which is carrying gold rich ore (hopefully), <https://KOKOWEEF.com>. Of course we will be actively digging through the material removed called "Cave Onyx";, etc., etc

207 MILES ONE WAY: NEARBY IS Valley Wells Smelter, Perimeter of Copper World, once an active Copper mining area, which has had many lives of Copper mining inhabitants. A very colorful History of American mining as it were in that day of hard mining activity from 1860 till late 1960, quite a history !!

Hope to see you all there!! Rick Webber....text first...714.585.54606.



## INTERESTED IN ROCKHOUNDING?

### LAVIC SIDING FIELD TRIP MAY 17, 2025

Join the Searchers in a DAY TRIP to one of the premier collecting sites in California, LAVIC SIDING. It's great for those who are new to the club and/or field trips, but also just a fun day in the desert. Mostly driving on hard-packed dirt roads, cars with higher clearance will be fine.

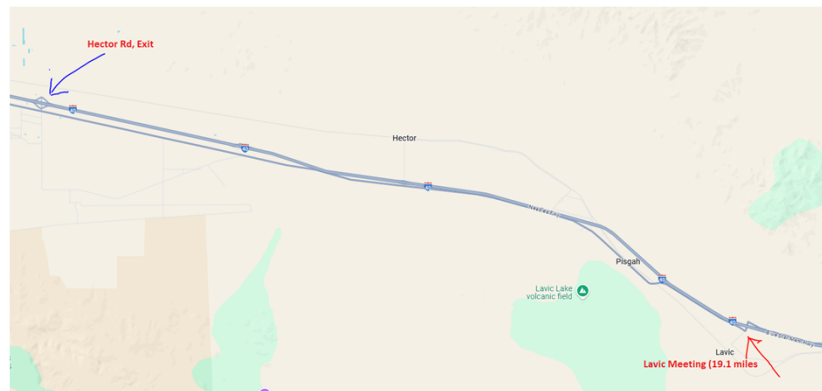
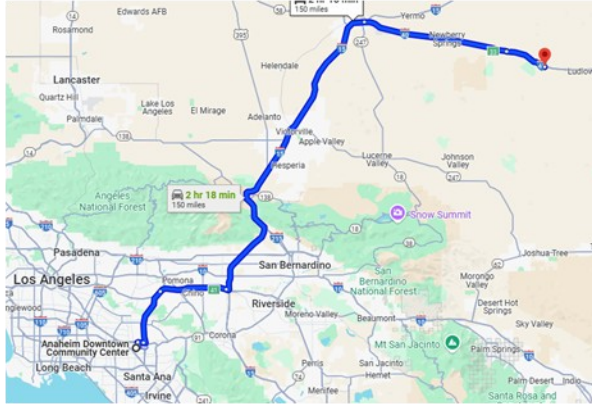
Trip leaves at 9:00AM from the Lavic Highway Overpass and Route 66.

This is a DAY TRIP, so no camping is required. The nearest facilities are at Ludlow, about 8 miles east of the meeting spot. You need to bring all your food and water with you. It's still springtime but prepare for heat. Bring lunch, at least a gallon of water per person for the day, including the wee folks (it's better to have too much than too little). Also bring hats, sunscreen, cover-ups, heavy walking shoes, buckets or daypacks to hold your rocks, etc. Read more about rockhounding at <https://www.searchersrocks.org/field-trips>.

**DIRECTIONS:** The meeting point is about 150 miles from the Anaheim Community Center. Head NORTH on I15 towards Barstow, turning EAST on I40 towards Needles for about 35 miles to the Hector Rd exit. Use the frontage Rd., National Trails Hwy (Route 66) south of the freeway and travel another 19.1 miles East to Lavic Rd., a dirt road on the right before Route 66 travels under I40. There will be Searcher Signs. For those who are GPS-enabled we will be at or near 34.735131, -116.304629.

Please RSVP to Bill Hogarth at 909-264-1122. Hope to see you there!

## Maps for Lavic Siding trip



For field trip  
information  
contact:  
Rick Webber

### Trip Report American Girl Mine 4-11 to 13 2025

American Girl Mine, Cargo Muchacho, Bluebird Hill (Kyanite), Tumco Area...ass did not disappoint. Friday, we were able to explore Bluebird Mine area, which is chock full of Kyanite (light blue) crystals imbedded in Andalusite (light grey aka "drifted snow"). Weather was warm, breezy, cooling slightly as the weekend progressed. Saturday, we drove into and around the American Girl mine pit and found Chrysocolla colored rocks too large to transport. The extensive pits and shifting mine dumps show the huge efforts of gold mining in an area second only to the Sutter's mill area of gold prospecting up North. Later, we visited the hill north of Bluebird and collected to our hearts content and we were able to drive to the top of that hill. Saturday night potluck and fire pit chat was fun and full of good cheer!

Sunday, we headed north past Gold Rock Ranch and past Tumco Ghost Town (one thriving with 2500 people), in search of Geodes, Ironwood, Palm Root and more. We traveled into remote trails and were treated to amazing panoramic views and geological anomalies. Some collection, but no substantial finds except challenging trails which Jimmy exhibited fearless leadership skills. This is an area that dates back to 1700's for gold enrichment, where cycles have excelled and fallen quickly and the evidence is written about and dug out extensively. Still more to see and begs for more to explore. The Kyanite rough did cut and I used high polish to heighten the striking blue color and background host rock, then let it dry and applied a sealer, (free) sample sealer (free) sample obtained from Thompson Building Material, looks like turquoise!

Map included from Gold Rock Ranch, a good visit during cooler months. Thank you, Rick Webber, and all present campers and enthusiastic Searchers Rock Hounders.... Happy Trails...:))

**Auction Announcement: 2012 Haulmark 16' Dual-Axle Trailer**

The California Federation of Mineralogical Societies (CFMS) is offering a **2012 Haulmark 16-foot dual-axle cargo trailer** for sale via **silent auction** at the **2025 CFMS Convention!** Don't miss this opportunity to bid on a well-maintained trailer, perfect for hauling equipment, supplies, or personal use.

**Trailer Details:**

- **Make/Model:** 2012 Haulmark 16' Dual-Axle Trailer
- **Unladen Weight:** 2,606 lbs
- **Condition:** Good
- **Brand-New Tires:** 4 brand-new tires recently installed!
- **Tags Paid Until:** November 2025



**Auction Rules:**

- **Bidding Opens:** Friday, May 9, 2025 at 2:00pm
- **Bidding Closes:** Sunday, May 11, 2025, at 2:00 PM
- **Minimum Starting Bid:** \$5,000
- **How to Bid:**
  - Register at the auction table to receive a bidder number.
  - Submit your bid in writing at any time during the convention.
  - The highest bid at **2:00 PM on Sunday** wins!
- **Winner Notification:**
  - The highest bidder will be contacted and must complete the purchase by the end of the event.
  - If the highest bidder declines, the next highest bidder will be offered the trailer.
  - Trailer must be removed from the AV Fairgrounds by 7:00pm Sunday, May 11, 2025.
- **Payment:**
  - Accepted forms: Cash or certified check or Zeffy
  - Full payment required before the trailer is released.

**Where to See the Trailer:**

The trailer will be on display throughout the convention. Antelope Valley Fairgrounds, 2551 W. Ave H, Lancaster, CA

Hours: Friday 2 PM – 7 PM; Saturday 10 AM – 5 PM; Sunday 10AM – 2 PM Stop by, check it out, and place your bid!

For questions, visit the CFMS booth or contact Diane Cook at dianecook.cfms@gmail.com.

**Bid High & Take Home This Great Trailer!**

**HUGE ROCK, GEM & MINERAL SALE**

**FEATURING:**

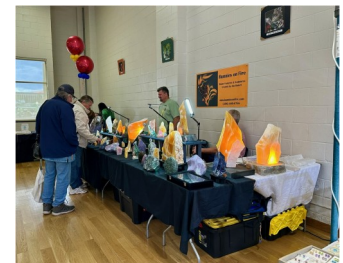
**OPALS – GARNETS – TURQUOISE  
AGATES – LIMB CASTS – SLABS - GEODES -  
FACETING MACHINE - FACETING MATERIALS AND MUCH MORE.**

**WHEN: SATURDAY, MAY 3, 2025**  
**TIME: 8:00 AM – NOON**  
**WHERE: 4631 SCENARIO DRIVE**  
**HUNTINGTON BEACH, CA 92649**

**CONTACT: FRAN BYLUND**  
**714-846-1537**  
**FRANOLA555@AOL.COM**

**This sale is held by the family not Searchers**

## Photos from Searchers 2025



## Mini Miners Coloring Box DropBox site.

Click the link. If you get a pop-up that asks you to create an account, click somewhere around it and it will go away. Then you can download the file. **You do not have to have a DropBox account to access the file.** You do NOT have to pay to access DropBox.

Here is the link: <https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fi/j6smnxbrs4gnmob15fuzh/Mini-Miners-Monthly-March-2025.pdf?rlkey=0lzaafonjj9ghaan67m2fscnr&st=6e5erihk&dl=0>

## Show News

I am so happy to report that the show was very successful. We had very good attendance both days and many families came. We did a much better job of counting attendees and identifying those who live in Anaheim. Despite the rain, big successes were:

Kid's Zone with grab bags, Wheel of Fortune and Goodie Bags

The treasure hunt

Thunder egg/Geode cracking

Silent Auction (all ages!)

The exhibits were very beautiful this year

Having snacks at the Searcher's tables required fewer people

The financials won't be final until we receive the bank statements and input all of our last-minute expenses (truck rental, table rental, security, snacks, supplies, and decorations) but here are some numbers we can share.



Activity	Square Sales	Cash Sales	Sum Square + Cash
\$1 Grab Bags	\$ 16.00	\$ 589.00	\$ 605.00
\$1 Raffle Tickets	\$ 2.00		\$ 2.00
\$5 Grab Bags	\$ 35.00		\$ 35.00
2025 Searchers Membership \$35	\$ 35.00	\$ 71.00	\$ 106.00
2025 Searchers Membership \$45	\$ 45.00		\$ 45.00
6/\$5 Raffle Tickets	\$ 65.00	\$ 235.00	\$ 300.00
Geode Cutting	\$ 10.01	\$ 439.12	\$ 449.13
Gum Ball Machine		\$ 11.25	\$ 11.25
Searchers Sale Table	\$ 461.01	\$ 548.00	\$ 1,009.01
Silent Auction	\$ 1,369.15	\$4,513.00	\$ 5,882.15
Silent Auction Equipment Sale		\$ 403.00	\$ 403.00
Snacks	\$ 30.00	\$ 234.00	\$ 264.00
Wheel Of Fortune	\$ 8.00	\$ 116.00	\$ 124.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 2,076.17</b>	<b>\$7,159.37</b>	<b>\$ 9,235.54</b>



The show could not happen without the dedicated help of the Show Committee and volunteers. Normally, I don't name names because it is so easy to forget people. But these people in particular have loaded the truck, unloaded the truck, set up, and stay all weekend at a station making sure things run well. Then they take down, load the truck and then unload the truck at the storage unit. Many additionally prepare our products that we sell or distribute, which can be heavy work! They have helped year after year! In no particular order, I want to thank: Jimmy Peterson, Steve and Marcia Duncan, Elaine Foster, Debbie and Bob Tanner, Bob Rubino, Gwen Sharp, Virgil Talbot, Dean and Joanne Wanless, John O'Connor, Veronica Purpura, Bill Hogarth. And of course, thank you to our president, Robin Larzelere. Additionally, many thanks to all of the show volunteers and geode cutters. I apologize for any omissions. You made a real difference and our show could not be a success without you!

The show de-brief will be at Jimmy Peterson's house on Saturday, May 10, 2025 from 3 to 6 p.m. We will have a taco bar potluck. I will bring the taco meat water and sodas; please bring additional dishes.

Be sure to send show feedback. We will go through it at the debrief.

Thank you from the bottom of my heart,

Margaret Hogarth [Hogarth.m@gmail.com](mailto:Hogarth.m@gmail.com) 909-815-3045



# Upcoming 2025 CFMS Gem Shows

## 2025- Shows

For a more complete listing of shows go to web-site: [www.cfmsinc.org](http://www.cfmsinc.org)

**May 2-3, 2025 – Yucaipa, CA**  
 Yucaipa Valley Gem and Mineral Society  
 Yucaipa Blvd and Adams Street, Yucaipa, CA 92399  
 Hours: Friday, May 2 5 PM – 10 PM, Sunday Noon – 9 PM  
 Contact: grandpasgems@gmail.com  
 Website: <http://YVGMS.org>

**May 10-11, 2025 – Lancaster, CA**  
 Antelope Valley Gem and Mineral Club  
 Antelope Valley Fairgrounds, 2551 W, Ave H, Lancaster, CA  
 Hours: Saturday 9 AM – 5 PM, Sunday 9 AM – 4 PM  
 Admission and Parking are Free. The CFMS Convention will be held in conjunction with our show.  
 Website: <http://avgem.weebly.com>

**May 16-18, 2025 – Vista, CA**  
 Vista Gem and Mineral Society  
 Antique Gas and Steam Engine Museum, 2040 N. Santa Fe Ave., Vista, CA 92083 (in the Lower North Field)  
 Hours: Friday and Saturday 10-5 and Sunday 10-4  
 Come on out for a fun-filled weekend to the Vista Gem and Mineral Society's Spring Gem and Mineral Market at the Antique Gas and Steam Engine Museum. There will be a food truck so you can even plan to join us for lunch. This is an outdoor show so we recommend wearing good walking shoes, sunscreen and hats. We hope to see you there!  
 Contact: [info@vistarocks.org](mailto:info@vistarocks.org)  
 Website: <https://vistarocks.org/events/>

**May 17, 2025 – Grass Valley, CA**  
 Nevada County Gem and Mineral Society  
 At the Banner Grange parking lot, (12629 McCourtney Rd., Grass Valley, CA 95945) just 1 mile past the Nevada County Fairgrounds  
 Tailgate Show – Second Annual. Parking spots to sell are \$25 (cash), free admission, anything rock related beyond minerals and jewelry allowed (even art, plants, equipment, etc. all fine!) Additional

spaces to sell \$20. Just come early, 7-ish, pick your spot, and Blaze will be there midmorning to collect for the Grange. Hope to see you there.  
 Contact: [oominerals@gmail.com](mailto:oominerals@gmail.com)

**May 30-June 1, 2025 – Reno, NV**  
 Reno Gem and Mineral Society, Inc.  
 Reno Town Mall, 4001 S Virginia St, Reno, NV 89502 (across from Atlantis Casino)  
 Artisan Craft Fair. Beautifully crafted jewelry by RGMS members. Vendors with rocks, gems, fossils, crystals, and related crafts. Kids corner. Free parking.  
 Contact: [theresalanghans@yahoo.com](mailto:theresalanghans@yahoo.com)  
 Website: <http://renogms.org>

**May 31, 2025 – Laguna Hills, CA**  
 South Orange County Gem & Mineral Society, Anaheim Searchers Gem & Mineral Club, Laguna Woods Lapidary Club  
 Florence Sylvester Senior Center, 23721 Moulton Parkway, Laguna Hills, Ca 92653  
 Hours: Saturday 10 AM – 11 PM; Presentation 10 AM, Sale 11 AM – 2 PM  
 Turquoise: Natural or Otherwise. Presentation: 10-11, by Dayton Simmons, Turquoise Miner and Silversmith, 11am-2pm, sale of natural turquoise rough, cabs and jewelry, plus gems, minerals, rough, cabs and jewelry from three host clubs.  
 Contact: (408) 718-0504, [edupuy@me.com](mailto:edupuy@me.com)

**June 7-8, 2025 – Escondido, CA**  
 Palomar Gem and Mineral Club  
 The California Center for the Arts, The Museum, 340 N, Escondido Blvd., Escondido, CA 92035  
 Hours: Saturday, 10 AM – 5 PM, Sunday 10 AM – 4 PM  
 The Cal Arts Museum is a beautiful place is a beautiful place with great lighting, clean bathrooms and generous galleries. There are many great restaurants in Old Town Escondido directly across the street. Also 5 banks with ATMs  
 Admission for adults is \$5.00, children under 12 free. Enjoy a large free parking lot.  
 Contact: (425) 281-6218, [tonifloyd41615@gmail.com](mailto:tonifloyd41615@gmail.com)  
 Website: <http://palomargem.org>

**June 14, 2025 – Bellflower, CA**  
 Delvers Gem & Mineral Society  
 Holy Redeemer Lutheran Church, 14515 Blaine Ave., Bellflower, CA 90706  
 Hours: 9 AM – 4 PM  
 Rock and Lapidary Extravaganza – Parking Lot Sale  
 Website: <https://delversgemclub.wordpress.com/>

**June 28-29, 2025 – Culver City, CA**  
 Culver City Rock & Mineral Club  
 Veteran's Memorial Auditorium, 4117 Overland Ave., Culver City, CA 90230  
 Hours: Saturday 10 AM-6 PM, Sunday 10 AM-5 PM  
 Festival of Gems Show – Featured Gem – Fluorite  
 Club Exhibits, Dealers, Demonstrations, Classes, Jewelry, Rocks, Minerals, Fossils, Games for kids, Books, and Tools. Our club aims to introduce to the public the joys of collecting rocks and minerals, the art of lapidary, silversmithing, and jewelry making.  
 Contact: [culvercityrocks35@gmail.com](mailto:culvercityrocks35@gmail.com)  
 Website: <https://culvercityrocks.org/fiesta/>

**August 1-3, 2025 – Nipomo, CA**  
 Orcutt Mineral Society  
 Nipomo High School, 525 N. Thompson Ave., Nipomo, CA 93444  
 Hours: Friday 10 AM – 5 PM, Saturday 10 AM – 5 PM, Sunday 10 AM – 4 PM  
 57th Rock and Gem Show. Over 60 dealers and 13 inside dealers  
 Contact: (805) 929-2783, [nipomocow-girl55@yahoo.com](mailto:nipomocow-girl55@yahoo.com)  
 Website: [www.oms-inc.org](http://www.oms-inc.org)

## May Birthstone – Emerald



THE COLORS & SHADES OF EMERALD



## STANDARDS OF CONDUCT

This Searchers Gem and Mineral Society was formed for the purpose of banding together a group of congenial persons for the purpose of:

- Studying mineralogy and the earth sciences by means of association with other mineralogical societies and with their members.
- Presentation of public exhibitions, lectures, and similar programs.
- Field trips for exploration, study, and collecting of specimens.
- The encouragement of interest among young people and the fostering of interest in mineralogy and the lapidary arts.
- The procurement and maintenance of collections of minerals, mineral products and related pictures, writings, and other information thereof.

All other means which are appropriate to the accomplishment of the primary objectives above set forth.

To help achieve our purpose, The Searchers Gem and Mineral Society is committed to providing a social environment in which all members and guests are treated with respect and dignity. Each member has the right to attend meetings, club functions, club programs, and to interact with other club members in a non-threatening professional atmosphere that promotes equality and prohibits discriminatory practices, including harassment. We expect that all relationships among members and non-members who interact with our club will be business-like and free of bias and harassment. The activities listed below are not supportive of the Searchers purpose and are therefore strictly prohibited. Any member or guest who exhibits any of the behaviors listed below may be subject to consequences, including termination or denial of club membership.

1. Abusive or threatening language towards a member or guest.
2. Rude or offensive actions or language directed to a member or guest.
3. Verbal or physical harassment of a member or guest.
4. Actual or threatened violence toward any individual or group.
5. Conduct endangering the life, safety, health or well-being of others.
6. Hate speech, bullying or taking unfair advantage of any member or guest.
7. Bringing into a Searchers event dangerous or unauthorized materials such as explosives, firearms, weapons or other similar items.
8. Verbal or physical disruption of Searchers meetings or events.
9. Theft of Searchers property.

Failure to follow the Searchers Bylaws or Standing Rules.

All Searchers members should report prohibited behaviors as outlined above to the Searchers Board of Directors. Upon receiving any such report, the Board will promptly investigate and take appropriate action.

# Searchers Gem & Mineral Society

## General Information

Check our website for unexpected changes in schedule!

[www.searchersrocks.org](http://www.searchersrocks.org)



**General Meetings:** 7 PM, 2nd Tuesday of each month, Jan - Nov  
**Board Meetings:** 6:30 PM, 1st Tuesday of each month, Jan - Nov  
**Workshop:** Thursday 5:30 to 9:30 PM and Saturday 2:30 to 7:00 PM

**Location:** Anaheim Downtown Community Center  
 250 East Center St.  
 Anaheim, CA 92805

**Mailing Address:** Searchers Gem & Mineral Society, Inc.  
 P.O. Box 3492  
 Anaheim, CA 92803

**Website:** [www.searchersrocks.org](http://www.searchersrocks.org)

**Membership Dues:** Individual \$35  
 Each additional household member is \$10

**Valid Jan.1-Dec.31** The dues are prorated for new members. If new members sign up from October to December, their dues are good for those months, plus the entire next year.

**Bulletin:** Submissions due 3rd Friday of the month via e-mail to: [editor@searchersrocks.org](mailto:editor@searchersrocks.org).

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 P.O. Pox 3492  
 Anaheim, Ca. 92803

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**Affiliations:** California Federation of Mineralogical Societies  
 American Federation of Mineralogical Societies

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