



UPCOMING SHOWS

Gem- Mineral-Fossil-Jewelry Show

June 2, 2007
River & Court Streets
Hackensack, NJ

Celinka Gem Show Gems, Minerals & Jewelry

June 23-24
The Radisson Hotel
1730 N. Ocean Ave.
Holtsville, NY (LIE x63)

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To promote cultural, educational, and scientific interest in mineralogy, and develop member's skills in lapidary arts and jewelry crafts

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THE CONGLOMERATE

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This Meeting – May 21st

- **Library-** The club will meet at the East Islip Library, 381 E. Main St. (7:30 PM – 9:30 PM).
- A presentation on Fluorescent Minerals in Greenland, the Ilimaussaq Complex, will be made by Howard Green.

Last Meeting

- **Demonstration** - Gail and Rich from Alcyone, held a hands-on-demonstration in making “Earrings”.



Annual Show

- ? New show sites are still being explored. As of now, the show will be at the Radisson Hotel with 4500 sq. ft. on December 1 & 2.

Announcements

- Congratulations to Dorothy Scott, on becoming a grandmother to a bouncing baby girl.
- A parting gift of \$75, was presented to the custodian, Frank Bigelow, at the Brightwaters Library.
- The club sent Edith Heinlein a birthday card. She celebrated her 90th birthday.

UP and Coming Events

- West Springfield, Mass. bus trip. The club will subsidize those going on the bus trip and give them back \$10.
- Club Picnic – at Heckscher State Park. A tentative date of July 21st, with a rain date of July 22nd was set.
- A trip to Gore Mountain, North River, NY (Garnets) and
- A trip to Ace of Diamonds, Middleville, NY (Herkimer Diamonds) is being planned.
- Celinka will be hosting a show on 6/23,24 at the Radisson Hotel (LIE x63). It was suggested that the club set up a table and try to recruit new members. Approximately 6 club volunteers, would be needed to man the table.

Science Open Nights

SUNY-SB holds free lectures on such topics as Astronomy, Physics, Ecology, Evolution, and Geology. Sessions are generally held each Friday evening during the month at the Earth and Space Sciences Building starting at 7:30 pm. Some lectures may be of interest to Club members.

For more information go to:

<http://pbisotopes.ess.sunysb.edu/openight/>

Subject: Great Puns

- I wondered why the baseball was getting bigger. Then it hit me.
- Did you hear about the guy whose whole left side was cut off? He’s all right now.
- The roundest knight at King Arthur’s round table was Sir Cumference.
- To write with a broken pencil is pointless.
- When fish are in schools they sometimes take debate.
- The short fortune teller who escaped from prison was a small medium at large.

(to be continued)

