

# ROCK PICKENS

ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY ROCK & MINERAL CLUB Date: November, 2018

## November

The next club meeting is Wednesday, **November 7th, 6:00 PM at the Canton Library.**

**President: William deLorraine**

**Vice President: Lisa Garlough**

**Treasurer: Phoebe Rogerson**

**Secretary: Joanna deLorraine**

**Show Chair: Gary Garlough**

**Advertising Chair: Elaine Hopper**

**Webmaster: Glen Simonelli**

**Field Trip Coordinator Needed: If interested please contact Bill deLorraine**

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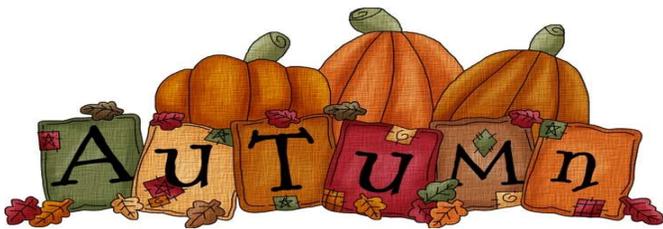
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Mail checks for annual dues to:  
William deLorraine, President  
1 Indian Head Trail  
Gouverneur, NY 13642

### Club Dues:

\$10.00 Single Membership

\$20.00 Family Membership

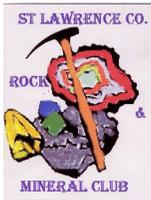


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### Minutes from the October Meeting:

Seven members attended the October meeting. The meeting opened with a video on meteorites. The drawing for the door prize, a green fluorite specimen, was won by Joanna.

The business meeting started at 7:00 PM. Joanna read the minutes from the October meeting. Barb made a motion to accept the minutes; Wes 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion - all in favor. The Treasurer's report was read by Joanna. We now have Community Bank "online" so it's possible for us to view our account at any time. Roy mentioned that we will have to change our password monthly with them. Bill made a motion to accept the Treasurer's report; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Roy; all in favor. Under old business Bill proposed order more bases for our signs and recycle out old broken ones. Roy and Barb suggested wiring two together as a means of extending their useful lives. Roy will look at them when he gets time before next year. He and his wife are going on a cross country road trip and will be absent from meetings for a few months. Bill talked about the field trip to Macomb which was held on Monday Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>. Most attendees were from the Wayne County Club along with Bill and Joanna and the Bancrofts who belong to both clubs. Bill talked about the Pavillion 2018 rental fee going up \$200.00 without concurrent upgrades such as Wi-Fi. He passed around a letter that he had composed to the Mayor of Canton letting him know about the need for Wi-Fi especially for our dealers. Some experienced unfortunate and unnecessary loss of some large sales because they did not have Wi-Fi at our show this past year. Roy asked if Bill would send his letter by e-mail to club members so they could reprint and use as a template to compose their own. Julie volunteered to contact the Best Western about our Christmas party and get some dates and feedback. It was suggested by Roy that the club purchase two 100' power cords for next year's show. We only have two in storage and we actually need four if the dealers do not bring their own cords. Bill noted that Bruno Baldacci, long time club member would like to hear from members. His address is 8681 Sugar Tree Dr. Novelty, OH 44072 ; telephone # is 330-690-2997. October 6-7<sup>th</sup> is the Walworth Quarry Open House. Joanna went over next year's show start-up expenses along with our total in the bank as reserve. In light of current bank



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balance members determined that we would award \$300.00 mineralogy scholarships each to St. Lawrence University and Potsdam State Geology Departments this year for a total of \$600. Barb made the motion to accept this amount; motion 2<sup>nd</sup> by Wes; all in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 PM.

**Rochester Gem, Mineral, Jewelry and Fossil Show & Sale**

**ADMISSION \$6.00**

**2018**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27<sup>TH</sup>**  
10:00 A.M. TO 6:00 P.M.

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28<sup>TH</sup>**  
10:00 A.M. TO 5:00 P.M.

**ONE**  
(Only ONE grand prize entry per person per day. You do not need to be present to claim prize. Club members ineligible for free drawing.)

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November 17 & 18, 2018

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## Christmas Dinner Party:

Our annual club Christmas dinner party will be held at Mullins, Rt. 11 in Gouverneur, on Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm for cocktails and dinner at 6:00 pm. There will be door prizes and soon-to-be announced program for the dinner. Please RSVP by November 15<sup>th</sup> to [wdellie@gmail.com](mailto:wdellie@gmail.com) if you will be attending or call 315-287-4652. All you can eat buffet, \$20.00 or possibly three dinner choices were discussed. More information to be announced.

The Club would like to recognize all the work and many hours that George and Susan Robinson put in at Timmerman Hall, SUNY Potsdam, in reorganizing the Geology Department's collections. Duplicates were labeled and boxed by them and donated to the Club for our scholarship fundraising efforts. Many thanks again, George and Sue!



**November 17-18—LEBANON, PENNSYLVANIA:** Gem Miner's Holiday; Mid-Atlantic Gem & Mineral Association; Lebanon Valley Expo Center, 80 Rocherty Road; Sat. 10-5, Sun. 11-4; admission \$5, children under 12 free; vendors with gems, jewelry, beads, minerals and fossils, gift and craft-related items, wholesale section available, hourly door prizes, grand prize drawing, handicap accessible; contact Jill Feder, (908) 720-1774; Email: [jillfeder.jf@gmail.com](mailto:jillfeder.jf@gmail.com).