



Lincoln Gem and Mineral Club's
53rd Annual Gem and Mineral Show



“Wonders of the Earth”

held in conjunction with the
Nebraska Association of Earth Sciences Clubs' Annual Show

April 2 & 3, 2011

Saturday,
April 2

9:00 - 6:00

Lancaster Event Center
84th and Havelock
Lincoln, Nebraska

Sunday,
April 3

10:00 - 5:00

Featuring Dealers, Gemstones, Minerals,
Agates, Fossils, Jasper, Petrified Wood,
Jewelry, Beads, Gem and Jewelry Making
Equipment and Supplies, Demonstrations,
Educational Programs, Rough and Uncut
Gems, Children's Activities, and much
more.

Fun for the whole family

Free
Parking!

Admission:
\$5 per adult
children 11 and under free with paid adult
\$9 for a 2-day pass
Bring this coupon for \$1 off admission for
each adult in party

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Educational Programs

All programs are approximately one hour in length.

Saturday, April 2

- 10:00 a.m. **Marv Carlson** – *Treasures (and Pleasures) of the Earth in Nebraska*
- 11:00 a.m. **Peter Bleed** – *The Processes of Flintknapping*
- 1:00 p.m. **Charles Yost/Jeanne' Lillich** – *Jewelry Maintenance & Appraisals*
- 2:30 p.m. **Jeanne' Lillich** – *Shopping for that Diamond: The Good, Bad and Ugly*
- 4:00 p.m. **Dennis Ferraro** – *Herping Nebraska Road Cuts: There's Reptiles Under Those Rocks*

Sunday, April 3

- 10:00 a.m. **George Corner** – *University of Nebraska State Museum: 140 Years of Evolution*
- 11:00 a.m. **Shane Tucker** – *Nebraska's Highway Paleontology Program: 50 Years in the Past Lane*
- 1:00 p.m. **Marv Carlson** – *Treasures (and Pleasures) of the Earth in Nebraska*
- 2:30 p.m. **Mindi Searls** – *Martian Ice Ages*
- 3:45 p.m. **Dave Loope** – *Earthquakes & Volcanoes in the Western U.S.*

Mark your calendar now!

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Lancaster Event Center, April 7 & 8, 2012

Show Program

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4100 N. 84th Street

Lincoln, Nebraska



President's Welcome

Welcome to the Lincoln Gem and Mineral Club's 53rd Annual Show! Whether you are a first time attendee or a long time regular, you are entering the colorful world of gems and minerals. Our club's members have worked diligently to organize a show with gems, minerals, and fossils that are sure to appeal to a wide range of interests. A big thank you is extended to our show committee, our dealers, exhibitors, demonstrators, and program speakers. To everyone, we sincerely hope this will be an enjoyable event. We look forward to seeing you back next year.

Richard Peterson, President

Special Features

Amber Latvians
Indian Artifacts Primitive Man
Indian Peace Pipes Chuck Bordeaux
Minerals Nebraska State Museum
Opals Barry Rose
Petrified Wood Norman Balliet

Activities

LGMC youth booth! – Learn the ABC's of building your own rock collection.
Find some of your own invertebrate fossils. Other hands-on activities.
Gem Dig! – Find your own gemstones.
Rock Races! – See who has the fastest rock.
Fluorescent Display (LGMC) - Linda Guenter, Shari Nelsen
Silent Auction

Show Committee

Chairman: Ed Dvorak
Dealer Breakfast: Vera Lyman
Dealers: John Harrison
Demonstrators: Charles Wooldridge
Displays: Ed Ridge
Finance & Ticket Sales: Vera Lyman, Jim Atkins
Floor Chairman: Roger Pittard
LGMC Club Booth: Sharon Marburger
Plants: Ed Ridge
Printed Program: Sharon Marburger
Programs & Speakers: Karen & Charles Messenger
Publicity & Promotion: James & Sharon Marburger
Ribbons & Recognitions: Al & Marilyn Stewart
Security: Vera Lyman
Silent Auction: Stella Thiessen, Andrew Tiedje, Kathleen Medcalf
Special Features: Ed Dvorak
Web Master: Jim Atkins
Youth Activities: Stella Thiessen, Kay Jurgens

Show Chairman's Welcome

Perhaps this is your first visit to a Lincoln Gem and Mineral Club Show, or perhaps it is your 53rd. I believe you will be able to find something here at our Show that you will enjoy and make you want to come back again next year. We have enjoyed over half a century of putting on shows and we are looking forward to the next half century. We have experienced many changes in our hobby, from the kinds of material we collect and turn into finished gems to the changes in technology we use to collect and fashion gems. But most importantly, we have cherished our relationships with all of you who have supported our events over these 50 plus years. We thank you, our show visitors, for your support, because without you, none of this would have ever been possible.

Edward J. Dvorak, Show Chairman

Demonstrations

Lapidary Techniques Ed Ridge, Al Stewart
Metalsmithing Judith Bay, Jayne Beer

Selling Demonstrators

Cabochon Working Judy Cropp
Faceting Tom Whitlatch
Glass Artistry Julie Whitlatch
Proxy for Roger Pabian Judith Bay
Rock Painting Aerie Artwork
Rock Polishing with Vibrating Laps Robert Cropp
Wire Wrap Cheryl Barnholdt
Wire Wrap Rock-n-Wrap

Dealers

Brushy Creek Gems & Minerals Boone, Iowa
Burns Gems Marshalltown, Iowa
Hurlburt Minerals St. Louis, Missouri
JJ&L Rocks & Minerals Hickman, Nebraska
K&K Minerals Scottsbluff, Nebraska
Lincoln Curios Rock Shop Lincoln, Nebraska
One of a Kind Branson, Missouri
Pharaoh's Custom Gems Springfield, Nebraska
River View Gems & Gifts Bandon, Oregon
Schooler's Blue Springs, Missouri
Simon's Lincoln, Nebraska
Teton Gems Riggins, Idaho
The Crystal Singer Lincoln, Nebraska
West Side Agates Ames, Iowa