

# JANUARY ROCK PARTY

by Sharon Marburger

The Rock Party was held on Sunday, January 19, 2014 at the home of Jim & Sharon Marburger. Eleven club members arrived to good food and fun lapidary activities - Charles Bachle, Jackie Barnhardt, Jayne Beer, Corey Beer, Ja'zeil Jayvian, Tori Lee, Vera Lyman, Ellie Lyman, Ed Ridge, Andrew Tiedje, and Charles Wooldridge.

The meal was a crock pot festival with chili, meatballs, and two kinds of crocked apples. Bread and dessert abounded. Very yummy, as usual.

Prior to and following the meal, several members availed themselves of the two Genie lapidary machines, and the Beers' grinding unit. Eddie brought his horizontal lap and Jackie brought a gifted dremel tool to learned how to buff and polish silver jewelry.



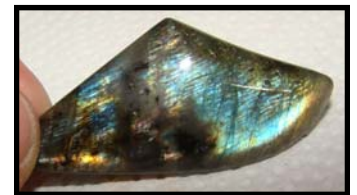
Charles demonstrates to Tori how quickly and easily it is to cut a cabochon with a Genie.



Even Mineral Monkeys have a good time at Rock Parties



Safety-conscious Jayne sports her protective eyewear



Wooly and Corey share the use of one of the Genies

A sampling of what came out of the Rock Party. Unfortunately, not all of the photos turned out, so not everything is shown here.



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