

NOVEMBER ROCK PARTY

By Jayne Beer

Thank you to the great members who joined us for the November rock party! It was a great time as always! There was plenty of food and lots of rocks being cut and polished. And much show and tell and some identification.



Corey was giving some lapidary instructions to the young folks. Ja'Zeil got reprimanded for his unsafe maneuver documented in this photo.

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A NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

I was speaking with one of the long-time Mineral Monkeys, saying I would put pictures and information in the Pick & Shovel for them. The response I got was, "What's the Pick & Shovel?" When I explained that it was the newsletter for the club, I got a shoulder shrug.

Come on, parents! The Pick & Shovel is not only for the adults, it is for the kids, too. Carolyn puts a lot of work into the youth group. Make sure they read the Mineral Monkey page every month! And you never know when your, or their, picture might show up.



Judith and Eddie taking a break from specimen identification



Some pretty stones completed during the rock party

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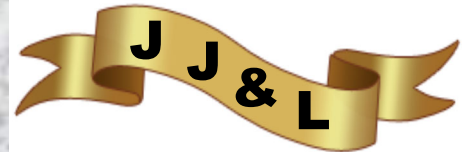
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