

FEBRUARY ROCK PARTY

By Sharon Marburger

The February Rock Party was hosted by Vera Lyman on Sunday the 18th. Tacos was the theme of the party. A magnificent array of items to build your own tacos and burritos was spread on the counter of Vera's basement kitchen. In addition to taco/burrito fixings, there was chicken tortilla soup, salad, chips, and several dessert items. As always, everything was delicious!

After talking and eating, and more talking and eating, Sharon and Corey set up a Genie lapidary machine to work on cabochons and stone face polishing.

Those who attended had a great time of eating, visiting, and working on lapidary. Taking into account that there are several activities going on in Arizona in February, and the club has several snowbirds, it is still somewhat sad that more members do not take advantage of the monthly rock parties. Everyone is welcome to participate. Addresses are not necessarily published, however, they are announced at the club meetings. As club members you have a directory of active memberships, including names, addresses, and phone numbers. It is a quarter-page sized booklet called the Who's Who. If you don't know the address of a Rock Party, you can always contact someone in the club who can provide that information, or direct you to someone who can.

These gatherings are fun! Join us at the next Rock Party, hosted by Jackie and Wooly, March 17 at 5:00 p.m.



Corey & Sharon cutting cabochons



Front and back of a piece of petrified wood. Corey plans to make it a pendant, mounting it so both sides can be seen.



Corey's gems



Sharon's Mexican agate