

FIELD TRIP & CLUB ACTIVITY NIGHT

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We had a great time visiting Robbers Cave again this year! Joel Green did a fantastic job hosting us on the tour. We had some returning club members and some first-timers along for the tour this time around. Everyone seemed to have a great time and it was a well earned cool down, going into the 58 degree cave from the sweltering heat outside.

Once the tour was over, we headed to the shop where a few people who didn't come on the tour joined us and we had a delicious meal! Thanks to everyone that prepared some food; there is always more than enough for everyone.

After the meal, a few folks got to use the shop equipment to cut and polish some rocks. We had some of Ja-zeil's young friends that got to use the equipment for the first time. Ja-zeil even took on the roll of teacher and taught his friends to make a cabochon! A few adults went back and used the equipment as well.

These gatherings cause us to do so much needed cleaning and decluttering. It's nice to see the club come in and use our space as intended. Thank you to everyone who made the evening fun for all. Cheers!



Looking down the tunnel from the entrance.



Ladder to another level of the cave. Check out the beautiful colors!



Carvings in the cave wall.