



BUGLE



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Regular monthly meeting

2nd Friday each month at 6:30 pm

(except July & August)

Craft Room, Campbell River Community Hall

401-11th Ave

Campbell River, BC

RIPPLE ROCK GEM & MINERAL CLUB

RIPPLE ROCK EXECUTIVE 2024

President	Molly Milroy	250-203-2447
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WORKSHOP

Shop located at 247 Dahl Rd.

For general shop information contact
Ian Shepherd 778-269-2655
Maggie Bradshaw 604-789-7847

MEMBERSHIPS

A single membership is \$15.00 and a family is \$25.00. Memberships may be paid at the General meetings, or by mail to the address on the Bugle cover.

Programs:

The Club meets at 6:30pm on the 2nd Friday of each month (except July and August), in the craft room at the Campbell River Community Centre, 401-11th Ave downtown Campbell River. Guests are always welcome! After each meeting, we have entertainment related to some facet of the lapidary hobby.

Workshop:

The Club has an equipped workshop for lapidary work. New members must take a training course to learn lapidary arts and equipment before regular access to the shop is allowed. There is a minimal charge for the use of the equipment.

Field Trips:

The Wagonmaster organizes several family friendly field trips and camps throughout the year.

Newsletter (Bugle):

The Bugle is the Club newsletter. Its purpose is to inform members about monthly meeting, field trips, camps, activities, and almost anything related to RockHounding and Lapidary skills and equipment.

Code of Conduct (British Columbia Lapidary Society):

- I will respect private property and do no Rockhounding without the owner's permission.*
- I will use no firearms or blasting material in Rockhounding areas.*
- I will take garbage home or deposit in a proper receptacle.*
- I will leave gates as found.*
- I will do no willful damage to materials or take more than I can reasonably use.*
- I will fill excavations which may be dangerous to other people or livestock.*
- I will build fires in designated places only, and make sure they are completely extinguished before leaving.*
- I will not contaminate wells, creeks, or other water supplies.*
- I will not tamper with signs, structural facilities or equipment.*
- I will obey all laws and regulations of forestry and game departments in the area in which I am Rockhounding.*
- I will appreciate and protect our heritage of natural resources and wildlife.*
- I will always use good outdoor manners.*
- I will show respect to other club members.*

Ripple Rock Gem & Mineral Club Membership Application

Single membership, 18 years and up, \$15

Family membership, 2 adults and children under 18, \$25

Membership is for the calendar year.

Name(s): _____

Children: _____

Phone: landline _____ or cell _____

Email: (our primary method of communication) _____

By signing this application, I agree to abide by all Club bylaws and rules.

SHOP OPENERS

Here is a list of openers you can contact when you want to cut and polish your stones in the Rock shop on 247 Dahl St.

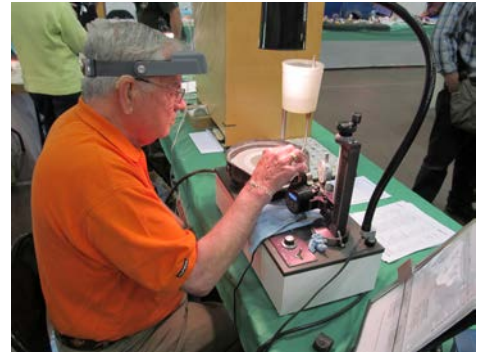
1. Steve Cooley for Mondays, 10 – 12, 250 287 4388 or text at 250 570 1917.
2. Tuesday evenings 630pm Ian Shepherd 778 269 2655
Prefers contact by text only (hard of hearing).
3. Wednesday Kim Wilson 778-554-8750 (currently Ken is standing in for her) prefers contact by text
4. Thursday Bonnie DesLaurier 250 923 5050. prefers contact by phone.
5. We have a new floating opener, John Fisher, 250 338 4573 . He is ok doing sat/ Sunday or evenings (with notice) text or phone
6. Ellen C 250 201 6960 has also indicated she will be a floating opener (with notice). She is not available Sundays or Mondays. Able to do evenings. Text or phone.

From my archive of past Rock Shows

Port Alberni, 2012



Our show 2012 in the Timberline Gym



Gord Billings faceting



Charlie's hardness scale specimens



Charlie's specimen display



Dave Barclay (now deceased)

Victoria Show 2013



Abbotsford 2018



Our Show 2018



Our Show 2019

