

PREZ NOTES:

Ready to start a new year of rocking. September meeting will be a program on DINOSAURS by our good friend Dr. Bruce Oldfield, Professor emeritus from SUNY Broome. He will enlighten you with information that we are currently learning about dinosaurs. Much of what we know about dinosaurs has dramatically changed in the past ten years. We have learned much from the remnants, the artifacts left behind through fossilization, and from what they tell us about dinosaur anatomy and physiology. His presentation will examine physical evidence scientists use to learn about dinosaur behavior. His program will also present new information on every kid's favorite dinosaur, the Tyrannosaurus rex.

Now it is time to dig into the upcoming year to make it better. A committee is on deck, looking into our annual Christmas party. Dave will be looking into possible field trips. As always, if you have an idea for a trip, bring it up.

Secretary report:

Che-Hanna Rock and Mineral Club, Inc. August Picnic/Meeting

Kirby Park, Nichols, NY Sunday, August, 18, 2024

The regular meeting of Che-Hanna Rock and Mineral Club, Inc., held at Kirby Park, Nichols NY on August 18, 2024, was called to order by President, Bob McGuire around 1:30 PM.

Minutes: No secretary report for July 21, 2024.

Financial: No treasurer report for July 21, 2024. The audit is finished for the past year.

Pebble Pups: Pebble Pup Leader, Inga Wells gave a brief report on the Pebble Pups activities.

Sunshine: Sunshine Chair, JoAnn McGuire gave the sunshine report. Mary Walter and Janet Andrus are improving. Gloria Dick has a birthday in September.

Field Trips: Field Trip Leader, Dave Millis reported on finds from Pitcairn, NY. No field trips are planned at this time.

Upcoming Meetings: September 11 Dinosaurs, October 9 Meteorites, November 13 Auction, December TBA Christmas Party.

Other:

Speaker fees to be discuss at a board meeting.

Susquehanna River Archeological Center (SRAC), Waverly NY needs volunteers.

Dave Millis made the suggestion to hold the November 13 Auction there.

If any one has any suggestion or wishes to present a program at a club meeting, please contact Bob McGuire or Inga Wells.

Adjournment: With no further business to discuss, Jude Kane made a motion, seconded by Jeff Bennish to adjourn the meeting. With all in agreement, the meeting adjourned at 1:50 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Lou DeMarco
Secretary

SUNSHINE

Was nice to see everyone that was able to make the last picnic of the season on August 18th. Was a perfect weather day.

Get well wishes to Gloria Dick who has been under the weather and hope to hear she's doing much better.

HAPPY, HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Gloria Dick as she turned 94 years young on the 1st of September. Hope she has a great day!

Happy Birthday to anyone who may be celebrating in the month of September. Have a nice day.

Get well to anyone who's a bit "not up to par" right now and hope you're feeling much better soon.

Mary Walter is coming along really well with her foot. She gets skin grafts about every two weeks. She will soon be fitted for a shoe. Keep progressing, Mary. Hope to see you at the next meeting.

Janet Andrus is feeling much better and out and about more too. Hope you continue to improve and hope to see you soon.

If you know of someone who needs some cheer or sympathy, please let me know and I will take care of it. Email me at uvbob1942@gmail.com.

Take care, everyone. Stay well! Stay warm! There is beginning to be a "nip" in the air.

JoAnn
Lady Sunshine

Our last summer picnic at the Kirby Park was a great success. Fortunately or unfortunately Inga may have created a situation from the 1800 hundreds by causing some young members to catch GOLD FEVER.



