

❧Membership Benefits❧

- Field collecting caravans with experienced, helpful guides
- Lapidary arts classes
- Lending library
- Fun social events and get-togethers throughout the year
- Club & hobby news in the *Yakima Rock & Mineral Club News* & the NFMS' *Northwest Newsletter*
- Access to rock, equipment, and lapidary supplies

❧Meeting Highlights❧

- Speakers/Films/Demonstrations
- Raffle drawings for door prizes
- Special displays and sharing table
- Junior Rockhounds AFMS Program
- Refreshments & Fellowship

❧Community Activities❧

- Supply speakers to local schools and other interest groups
- "School Days" at our annual show
- Displays, demonstrations, and dealers at the annual show
- Scholarships to qualified, second year, college students

2015 Annual "Parade of Gems"

April 11th

10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

April 12th

10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Central Washington
State Fair Park

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YAKIMA ROCK & MINERAL CLUB, INC.



About Us...

In the 78 years that we have been organized, we have been interested in working with rocks and minerals, going on field trips, making jewelry, and having a good time together.

We help local college students further their educations through the Andrew L. Beeman Memorial Scholarship Fund. We award, one or more, scholarships each year to second-year earth science students.

The rock club hosts fun monthly meetings and an annual gem and mineral show each April.

At each meeting, and in satellite programs throughout the Yakima Valley, we host the AFMS Future Rockhounds of America Merit Badge Program. Children are instructed in lapidary arts, build their own collections, and learn earth science in a fun and rewarding environment.

During good weather, club members caravan to local sites for field collecting fun.

**Our Purpose: To keep
interest going in the earth
sciences, rocks, and minerals.**

2014 Elected Officers

President: Dwayne Drake

Vice-President: Ken Junt

Secretary: Jim Landon

Treasurer: Marti Sondgeroth

Meeting Time & Location

We meet on the Third Friday of most months (for exceptions, please call ahead or visit our Facebook page). For the 2014-15 Season, meetings this will be : November 21st of 2013, and January 16th, February 20th, March 20th, May 15th, June 19th, September 18th, October 16th, & November 20th of 2015.

Come as early as 6:30 p.m., meetings start at 7 p.m. and generally run about two hours, at the Yakima Central Lutheran Church, 1604 West Yakima Avenue, in the lower level meeting room (parking at S. 16th Ave. & W. Chestnut Ave.). The facility is accessible.

AFMS Junior rock enthusiasts meet during the first half of the meeting.

Treats and refreshments are served.

**Everyone is Welcome
& Guests are Expected!**

Join the Fun!

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Single Membership | \$13 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family Membership | \$18 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Student (under 18) | \$6 |

Name: _____

Name: _____

Contact #: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Children (names & ages):

E-mail: _____

Please mail this application with check payable to:

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