

NOC NEWS

**NORTH ORANGE COUNTY GEM AND MINERAL SOCIETY, INC.**

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**Meetings**

**Day and Location:**

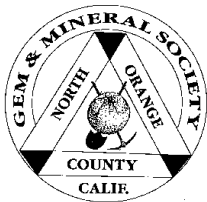
With the exception of December,  
meetings are held at 6:30 p.m.  
the second Wednesday of the month at the  
La Habra Community Center  
101 W. La Habra Blvd., La Habra

The La Habra Community Center  
is located west of Euclid on La Habra Blvd.

For current meeting information,  
please call **Kevin Smith, President**  
**(714) 342-1227**

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**P.O. Box 653**

**La Habra, California 90633-653**

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**MISSION STATEMENT**

The objective and purpose of the North Orange County Gem and Mineral Society is to disseminate knowledge of mineralogy and the earth sciences and to encourage study in these subjects through means of: the presentation of public exhibitions, lectures, slide programs; field trips for explorations, study and collection of specimens; the preparation, publication and distribution of articles and studies pertaining to mineralogy and the earth sciences; the promotion of scientific research in these fields; the encouragement of interest among young people and the fostering of classes in mineralogy and lapidary arts; and all other means which are appropriate to the accomplishment of the primary objectives set forth.

*Annual Membership Dues: Individual, \$20; Family, \$20 and \$10 for additional member over 18; Juniors 3-18, \$8. (Initiation Fee: Individual, \$10; Family \$10) - Badges for junior members \$10 1 time fee.*

*Visitors are always welcome at our regular meetings and field trips.*

*The North Orange County Gem & Mineral Soc. does not yet have a Junior Division.*

*Material contained in this newsletter may be used if credit is given.*

Please send exchange bulletins to:

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# NOC GEM & MINERAL SOCIETY NEWS

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## President's Corner

Welcome one and all. Summer is over, and fall is here.

First, I would like to thank everyone that jumped in and gave me a hand while I was injured, a big thank you to all.

Second, we have a scholarship drive coming up on October 9<sup>th</sup> it's a casino run. This trip is to raise money for our favorite charity. Contact Jann Cohen at 562-691-8019. Call Jann ASAP sets are limited. Looking to have lots of fun and hope to have a little jingle in my pocket on the way back lol.

Third, Halloween will be here soon, and I want everyone to be safe while loading your bags and buckets full of candy. Anyone who wants to donate their SNICKERS bars to me I will be glad to take them off your hands lol. Just love those SNICKERS

Fourth, I would like for everyone to attend this month's general meeting there is a lot of stuff going on and we all need to be brought up to speed, especially me, lol I am just a little behind.

Fifth, silent auction is in November at our regular schedule general meeting and we are looking for some great donations to help cover the cost of the Christmas party. We have a great catering Service picked out. We have a low cost of just 20.00 a person for the amazing meal they will serve. And don't forget we would like each person to bring one canned food for the food drive.

Well, I think that's all for now, be safe roads will be wet and slippery.

Kevin Smith  
President NOCGMS

## NOC Club Activities

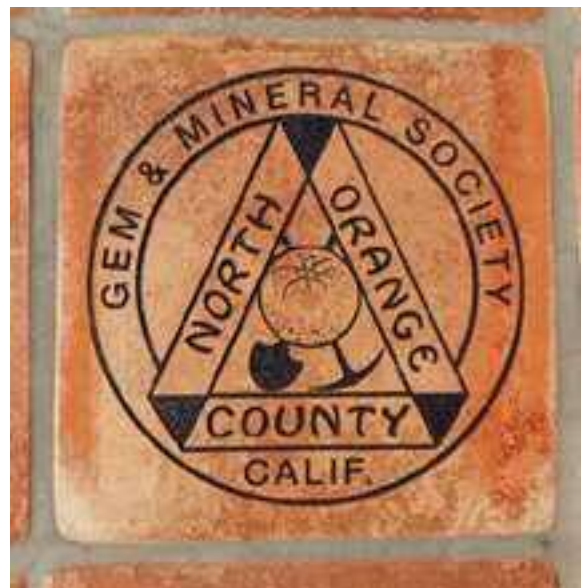
Board Meeting - 6 p.m. 3rd Wed. at La Habra Community Center  
Field Trips - TBD

## Program

The program for October 10th will be a Halloween social event. We will have door prizes, a raffle and snacks. Will also be displaying Agates and Jaspers. Come learn and see the difference.

## Meeting

**Date:** Wed. September 12  
**Time:** 6:30 p.m.  
**Place:** La Habra Community Center  
101 W. La Habra Blvd.



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## Shows and Events

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### 2018 SHOWS

OCTOBER 13 - 14: TRONA, CA  
Searles Lake Gem & Mineral Society  
Gem Show Building  
13337 Main Street (corner of Main & Trona Rd.)  
Hours: Sat 7:30 - 5: Sun 7:30 - 4  
Contact: Jim & Bonnie Fairchild, (760) 372-5356  
Email: slgms@wvvisp.com  
Website: www1.wvvisp.com/tronagemclub

OCTOBER 20 - 21: WHITTIER, CA  
WHITTIER Gem & Mineral Society  
Whittier Community Center  
7630 Washington Avenue  
Hours: 10 - 5 daily  
Contact: Frank Winn (626) 239-5457  
Email: RkhndFW@gmail.com  
Website: www.wgmsca.com

NOVEMBER 3 - 4: ANAHEIM, CA  
American Opal Society  
Business Expo Center  
1960 S. Anaheim Way  
Hours: Sat 10 - 6; Sun 10 - 5  
Contact: Veronica Purpura (714) 501-9959  
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Website: www.opalsociety.org

OCTOBER 27 - 28: LANCASTER, CA  
Palmdale Gem & Mineral Club  
Palmdale Elks Lodge  
2705 E. Avenue Q  
Hours: 10 - 5 daily  
Website: www.palmdalegemandmineral.com

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## Field Trip

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*by Joe Goetz*

### Calico Mountains, Here We Come

The first field trip of a hopefully cooler collecting season will happen on the first weekend of November. We'll go to the area around the Whittier club claim and the Calico Mountains and who knows where else.

Saturday, November 3, at 8:30 a.m., we'll meet up in Yermo in the parking lot of the Baymont hotel (previously the Oaktree Inn). It is at 35450 Yermo Rd. Take I-15 to exit 189, Yermo Rd.

Where we go will be determined Saturday morning. It'll be a surprise for all of us when we figure out where we will go.

Be sure to bring a lunch and have lots of water, electrolyte water, or even Gatorade to drink. Also bring a broad-brimmed hat, sun block, and collecting gear (i.e., a bag or bucket for rocks you find and a geology pick or something similar).

After visiting some sites throughout the day, we'll have "potluck" at Peggy Sue's where you can dine on delicacies of deep-fried pickles and wash it down with a pineapple shake.

Sunday morning, we'll meet up again at the hotel parking lot at 8:30 a.m. We'll go out to more collecting sites until 12 noon, and those that are going home can beat it before the traffic gets too heavy. For those that remain, it may turn into an exploratory trip. Or - if some are there on Sunday but not on Saturday - we may just go back and revisit some of the locations that we went on the day before. Questions? Call or text (626) 260-7239.

# GEMS AND MINERALS OF THE BIBLE

 Alabaster	 Galena	 Amethyst	 Iron	 Beryl
 Agate	 Jasper	 Malachite	 Flint	 Carnelian
 Sulfur	 Marble	 Quartz Crystal	 Onyx	 Coal

## NATURAL GEMSTONE COLLECTION — JEWELS IN THE ROUGH

 Turquoise	 Citrine	 Agate	 Tiger Eye	 Amazonite	 Fluorite	 Peridot
 Rose Quartz	 Jasper	 Amethyst	 Crystal Quartz	 Garnet	 Sodalite	 Carnelian
 Obsidian	 Azurite	 Rhodonite	 Chrysocolla	 Moonstone	 Alabaster	 Black Onyx

## ROCKS, FOSSILS, MINERALS AND GEMSTONES OF THE UNITED STATES

IGNEOUS	SEDIMENTARY	METAMORPHIC	FOSSILS	MINERALS	GEMSTONES	
 Granite Vermont	 Gypsum New Mexico	 Serpentine California	 Pelecypod Texas	 Galeena Missouri	 Chrysocolla Arizona	 Rose Quartz South Dakota
 Basalt Washington	 Sandstone Ohio	 Slate Virginia	 Brachiopod Kentucky	 Copper Michigan	 Fluorite Illinois	 Turquoise Nevada
 Dunite North Carolina	 Coal West Virginia	 Marble Georgia	 Grinoid Stem Indiana	 Quartz Arkansas	 Rhodonite Colorado	 Obsidian Utah



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**MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

**CIRCLE ONE: New Member / Returning Member**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:**  
 Check box below if you want your address left off the club roster.

Last Name	First Name	Birthday Month	Cell Phone
Last Name	First Name	Birthday Month	Cell Phone
Additional Names: _____			
Address _____			
City/State/ZIP _____			
Home Phone _____	Work Phone _____	E-mail _____	

**AREAS OF INTEREST**

**OFFICERS & COMMITTEES**

<input type="checkbox"/> Lapidary	<input type="checkbox"/> Jewelry Making	<input type="checkbox"/> Field Trips
<input type="checkbox"/> Carving	<input type="checkbox"/> Geology	<input type="checkbox"/> Budget
<input type="checkbox"/> Faceting	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Panning	<input type="checkbox"/> Monthly Bulletin
<input type="checkbox"/> Silversmithing	<input type="checkbox"/> Teaching Classes	<input type="checkbox"/> Membership
<input type="checkbox"/> Wire Wrap	<input type="checkbox"/> Annual Show	<input type="checkbox"/> Refreshments
<input type="checkbox"/> Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Becoming a Club Officer or Committee Chair	<input type="checkbox"/> Future Rockhounds of America (Junior Members)
<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER		

**TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Individual Membership:** \$20 per year, plus a one-time fee of \$10 to cover the cost of the name badge.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Family Membership:** \$20 per year for the first person and \$10 per year for each additional person over 18 years of age. Plus a one-time fee of \$10 for each person to cover the cost of the name badge.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Junior Membership:** \$8 per year for family members from 7 through 17 years of age. Plus a one-time fee of \$10 for each person to cover the cost of the name badge.

**Amount Enclosed** \_\_\_\_\_ **Please make check payable to:** North Orange County Gem & Mineral Society (NOCGMS) and bring COMPLETED form to a monthly meeting on the second Wednesday of each month or mail to the P.O. Box above.

4/18 **For contact information of officers and club newsletter, please refer to [www.nocgms.com](http://www.nocgms.com)**